

# President Harry S. Truman Presenting the Congressional Medal of Honor



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## **Description**

President Harry S. Truman presents the Congressional Medal of Honor to an unidentified soldier. The man standing behind the desk is Major General Harry Vaughan. The dignitaries seated in the front row on the right are (from right to left): Secretary of the Navy James Forrestal; Secretary of War Henry Stimson; unidentified man; General George C. Marshall; Fleet Admiral William Leahy; General Henry "Hap" Arnold. All others people are unidentified. This photograph is from the album "Mr. President, His Family and Friends."

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Black & White

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People Pictured

Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972

Arnold, Henry Harley, 1886-1950

Forrestal, James, 1892-1949

Leahy, William D. (William Daniel), 1875-1959

Marshall, George C. (George Catlett), 1880-1959

Stimson, Henry L. (Henry Lewis), 1867-1950

Vaughan, Harry H., 1893-1981

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