Return of President Harry S. Truman (back of car, left) and Vice President-elect Alben Barkley (back of car, right) to Washington, D. C. after the Presidential election. Between them is Senator J. Howard McGrath. Bess Truman, Margaret Truman and Mrs. Marian Barkley Truitt, Senator Barkley's daughter, are seated in front of them. Others are unidentified.

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**Description**

The image depicts a moment from the presidential election of 1948. President Harry S. Truman is seated in the back of a car on the left, while Vice President-elect Alben Barkley is on the right. Between them is Senator J. Howard McGrath. The immediate figures in front of them include Bess Truman, Margaret Truman, and Mrs. Marian Barkley Truitt. The image captures a notable moment from the election season, illustrating the movement of presidential figures to or from their capital city.