

# Mr. and Mrs. Truman boarding a train



## Description

Former President Harry S. Truman waves from the steps of a train at the depot in Independence, Missouri. Mrs. Bess Wallace Truman is in the background and an African-American porter beside him. Mr. Truman has just been surprised with a birthday cake as he and Mrs. Truman depart for New York and Washington. See photos 97-25 through 31. Includes an original negative. Donor: Dorothy Feedback.

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**People Pictured** Truman, Bess Wallace, 1885-1982      Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972

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