

Truman shaking hands with Nimitz after decorating him in the Rose Garden of the White House



Description

President Harry S. Truman (left foreground) shaking hands with Admiral Chester Nimitz (right foreground) after decorating him with a Gold Star (in lieu of a third Distinguished Service Medal) in the Rose Garden of the White House. Looking on are Secretary of the Navy James Forrestal (third from left, in second row), General George C. Marshall (fourth from left), Mrs. Catherine Nimitz (between Truman and Nimitz), Margaret Truman (third from right) and others.

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People Pictured Forrestal, James, 1892-1949 Marshall, George C. (George Catlett), 1880-1959 Nimitz, Chester W. (Chester William), 1885-1966 Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972 Truman, Margaret (Mary Margaret), 1924-2008 Nimitz, Catherine F. (Catherine Freeman), 1892-1979

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