

# Truman Returns to Washington



## Description

President Harry S. Truman (seated left, back seat, lead car) and Vice President Alben Barkley (seated right, back seat, lead car) wave to the crowd from the motorcade during their return to Washington after the 1948 Presidential election. Also pictured: First Lady Bess W. Truman (second row, left). All others unidentified.

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8x10 inches (21x26 cm)      Black & White

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**People Pictured** Barkley, Alben William, 1877-1956      Truman, Bess Wallace, 1885-1982      Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972

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