

Chicago, Illinois Inaugural Parade Float



Description

Inaugural parade float representing the city of Chicago, Illinois featuring imagery of the Chicago skyline and a heart that says "Chicago's Heart Turned the Tide to Victory to Harry S. Truman." The woman in the white velvet dress trimmed in gold at the front of the float is Patricia Reedy, who was designated the Inaugural Queen by the Chicago Sun-Times newspaper. The four other women on the float are unidentified. The float was designed by Alan Metreger.

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7x9 inches Black & White

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