

# President Harry S. Truman Awards Distinguished Service Medals



## Description

President Harry S. Truman (center) shakes hands with Howard Bruce (left), Elk Ridge, Maryland, and Harry Hopkins (right), presidential advisor, after he had decorated them with the Distinguished Service Medal during a ceremony on the White House lawn. They are last civilians to receive this honor, bestowed for their part in the war effort. Donor: Clinton A. Brown

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**People Pictured** Hopkins, Harry L. (Harry Lloyd), 1890-1946    Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972    Bruce, Howard K.

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