

President Harry S. Truman Awards Congressional Medal of Honor



Description

President Harry S. Truman is shown awarding the 100th Congressional Medal of Honor to Sergeant Jake Lindsey, Lucedale, Mississippi, in a ceremony before a joint session of Congress. General George C. Marshall is shown standing directly behind President Truman and Colonel Harry Vaughan, Military Aide to the President, is standing in uniform on the far left. On the rostrum in the background is Senator Kenneth McKellar, left, President Pro Tempore of the Senate and Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn next to him. All others are unidentified.

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People Pictured Lindsey, James B. Vaughan, Harry H., 1893-1981 McKellar, Kenneth Douglas, 1869-1957
Rayburn, Sam, 1882-1961 Marshall, George C. (George Catlett), 1880-1959 Truman, Harry S., 1884-1972

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