

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Harry S. Truman  
1884-1972

1. Which of Harry Truman's characteristics do you most admire?

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2. What events contributed to his feelings of unpreparedness when he became president?

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3. What was Truman's response to Paul Hume's criticism of his daughter Margaret? How do you think he should have responded?

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4. Why did he make the decision to drop the atomic bombs on Japan and what do you think of his decision?

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5. How did he overcome the Soviet Union's blockade of Berlin?

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