

Harry S. Truman – The Finest Family in the World

Harry Truman: Well I told you before I had 39 first cousins, and we had one daughter. And all those first cousins were just as fine as they could be. And my brother's sons, the four of 'em, and his daughter are just as fine youngsters as my own daughter, and that's all I can say about 'em. But it's not customary for a man's family never to cause him any embarrassment when he's, especially when he's President of the United States. But not a single one of all that numerous kinfolk that I had ever did anything that would in any way embarrass me. They never asked me to do anything for 'em either, which is unusual. Most of 'em want to take advantage of everything they possibly can, and families that I have known that have been in the White House – I was not troubled that way. I think I had the finest family in the world and still have.

Director: Cut.