

# A History Lesson in Photos

**A good historical photo puts us into different time, enabling us to empathize with a particular moment, otherwise hard to imagine. Enclosed are some amazing photos, capturing moments worth reflection. These photos are real, with no photo-shopping or editing.**



**Women protesting forced Hijab, a few days after the revolution in Iran, 1979.**

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**German prisoners of war in American camps are shown footage of German concentration camps, 1945.**



**U.S. President Lyndon Johnson listens to a tape sent by Captain Charles Robb (his son-in-law) from Vietnam, 1968.**





**The wives of the astronauts on the Apollo 8 mission, the moment they heard their husbands voices from orbit, 1968.**



**Boy receiving a new pair of shoes at an orphanage in Austria, 1946.**





**The Great Sphinx of Giza partially excavated, 1860's.**



**The 3245-year-old seal on Tutankhamen's tomb before it was broken in 1922.**



**1966: Before the creation of the EPA, New York was one of America's most polluted cities.**



**Princess Diana and Prince Harry at an amusement park, April 1992.**



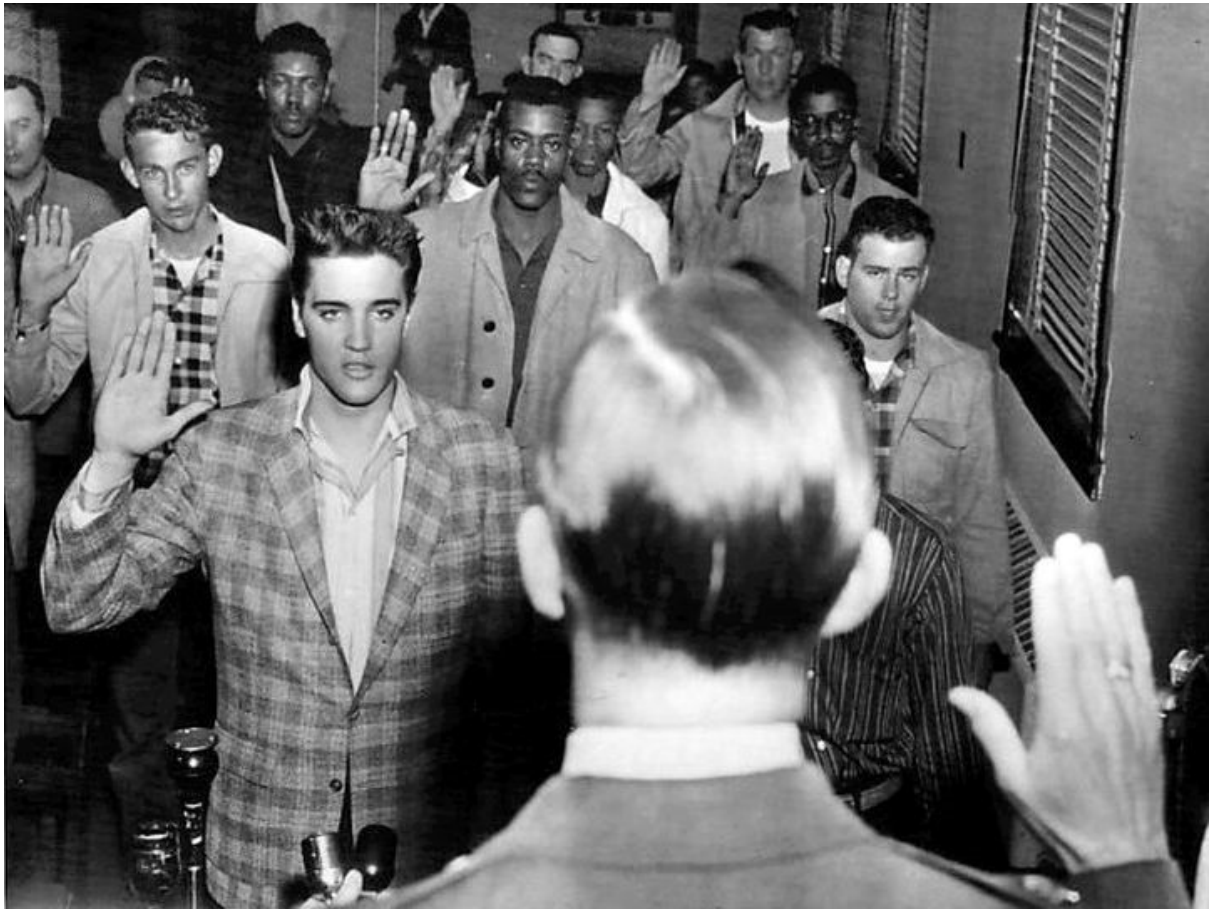


**Marilyn Monroe performing for the thousands of allied troops in Korea, February 11th, 1954.**



**Judy Garland taking a break during filming of The Wizard of Oz, 1938.**





**Elvis Presley being sworn into his compulsory army service. Arkansas, 1958.**



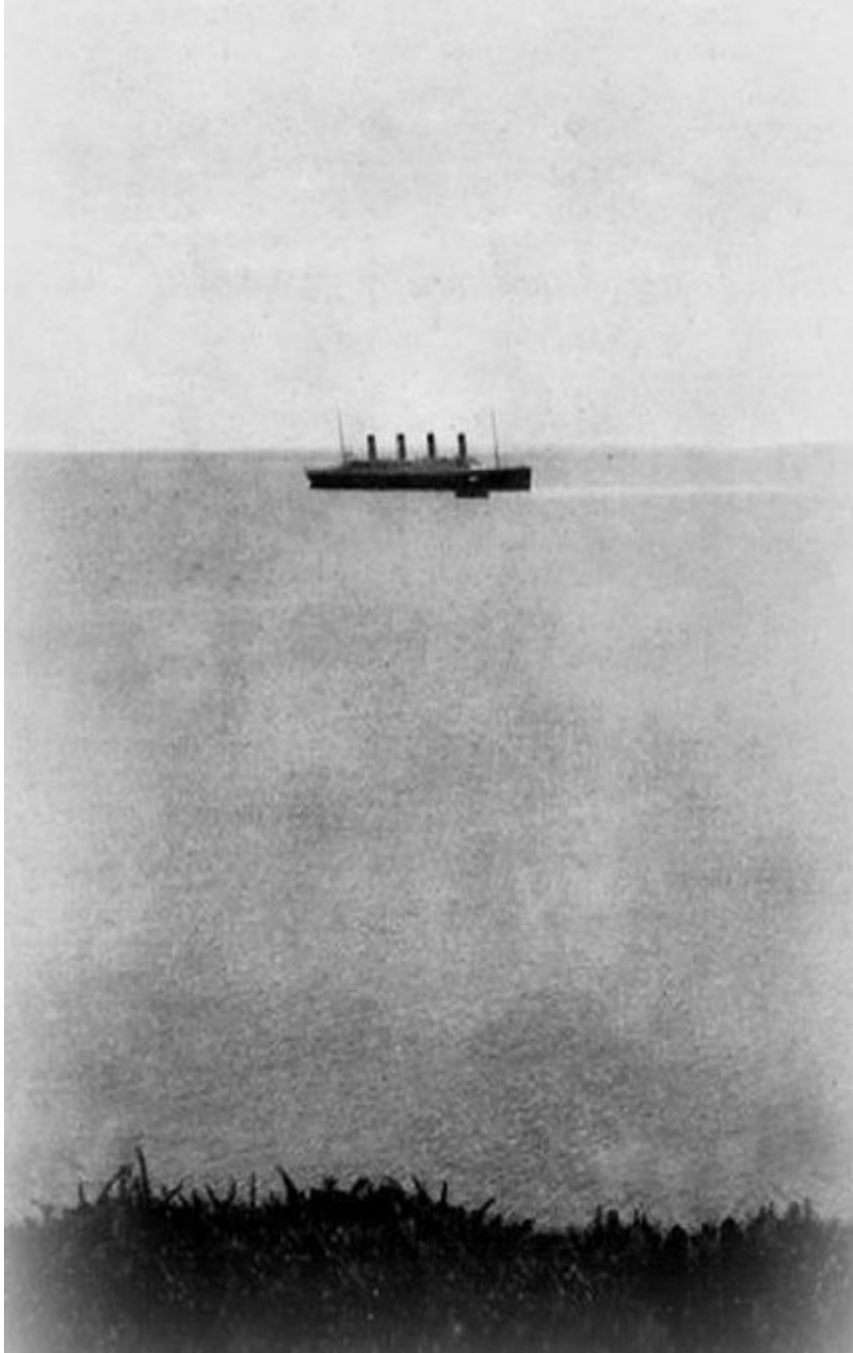
**Private James Hendrix of the 101st Airborne, playing**



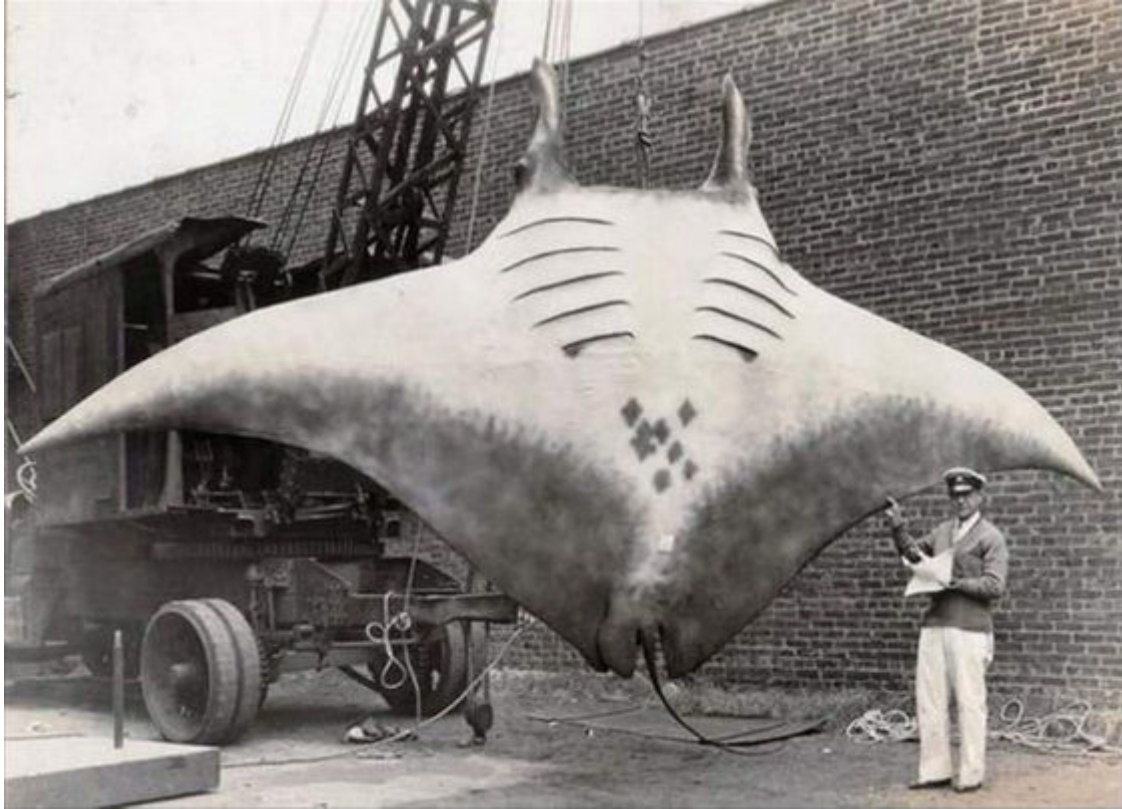
**guitar at Fort Campbell Kentucky in 1962.**



**Ruth Lee flies a Chinese flag while sunbathing on her day off in Miami - December 15th, 1941. Lee, who worked as a hostess at a Chinese restaurant at the time, flew the flag, so that she would not be mistaken for Japanese in the wake of the infamous attack on Pearl Harbor a week earlier.**



**Last photo of the Titanic. This photograph was taken by John Morrogh at around 2 PM on April 11th 1912 as Titanic was leaving Queenstown, Ireland. It's confirmed that this is the last photo of the famous liner.**

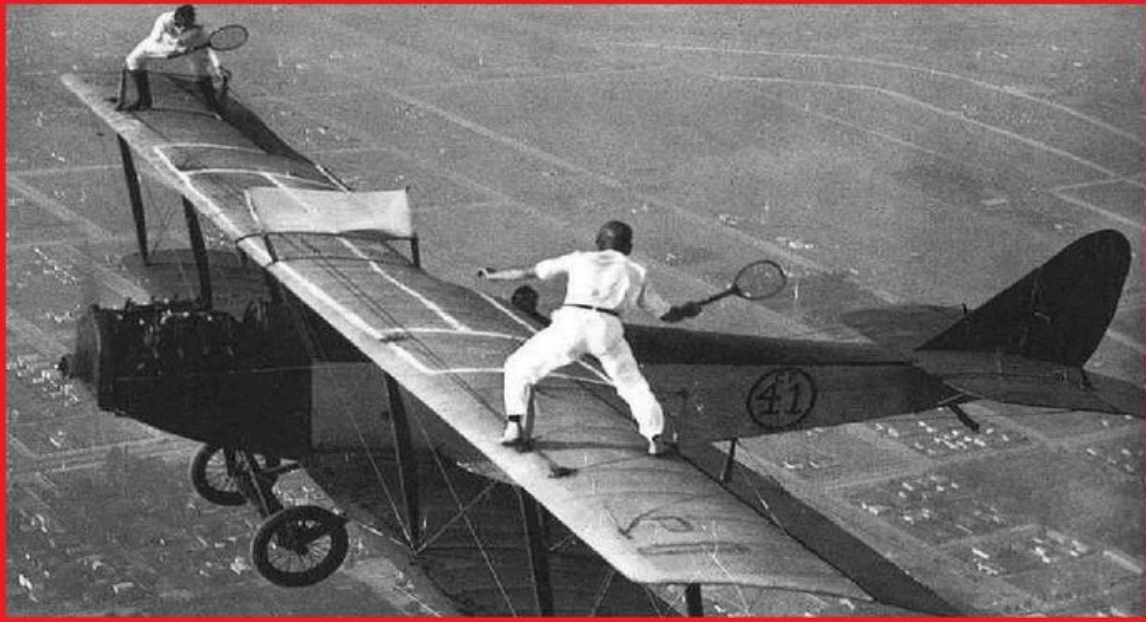


**Giant manta ray captured on the coast of New Jersey in 1933.**





Assembling the Sears and Roebuck catalogue, 1942.



**The photo above was used on a postcard in the 1920s. It represented a common [daredevil] practice at the time; playing tennis on a wing of a plane as it would cruise at up to 60 miles per hour.**



**Marilyn Monroe was married three times, although when she died in 1962, she was only 36-years-old. Her first husband was James Dougherty, a police officer from L.A. They got married when Monroe was 16-years-old.**





**This photo was published in The Vidette-Messenger of Valparaiso in 1948. Due to a poor financial situation, this family decided to sell their children. They were all sold within two years, including a baby the mother was pregnant with when the photo was taken.**



**World chess champion Garry Kasparov was beaten by a computer in 1997. This was the sign of what artificial intelligence could do and we're seeing the progress day after day.**





**In the 1960s, airlines first introduced "first class": a modern, more luxurious way of traveling compared to the single class everyone had before.**