

President of Italy Giovanni Leone pays his respects at the funeral of General Giovanni De Lorenzo

Date

1973-1973

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

Giovanni Leone was an Italian politician. He was the 37th Prime Minister of Italy from 21 June 1963 to 4 December 1963 and again from 24 June 1968 to 12 December 1968. He also served as the sixth President of the Republic from 1971 to 1978. Giovanni de Lorenzo was an Italian General and politician. He was head of SIFAR (the Italian secret service), general commander of the Carabinieri (from 1962 to 1966) and Chief of Staff of the Italian Army. He became known for his role in the development of so-called "Piano Solo" - an attempted coup during the emergency state after Aldo Moro's kidnapping.

Dimensions

Overall: 30.3 x 21.2 cm (11 7/8 x 8 3/8 in.)