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True Father was released from Danbury Prison on August 20, 1985 and it took 13 months after he entered the prison.



▲July 5, 1985 the satirical cartoon of New York Post

## In the prison, True Father gave the influence to other prisoners through his action and words.

After that, many prisoners were moved True Father's speech and followed him.



When True Father was in the prison, he gave many instruction to True Mother. The proclamation of the opening gate day, publishing the sermon books, the instruction of the aid Nicragaraguan Contras, launching an international coalition dedicated to homeland defense, and the proclamation of the end of Communism.

## **O**n July 4, 1985,

True Father moved from Danbury Prison to Halfway House where is prepared for prisoners to adjust physically and mentally into a society when they go back there. Until True was Father released from the prison, he spent there for 43 days and it represented 3 days after Jesus died and 40 days of Jesus's resurrection.

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▲ American News Paper article related to True Father's release from a prison

True Father indemnified the cross through the Danbury Prison and resurrected what Jesus could not. This is the first step for Eastern Unification church culture to lead a society instead of Western Christian culture society.



True Father had the Prison Life six times and

he accepted his suffering as the victorious moment.

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have suffered imprisonment six times in my life. As in the past, I had moving experiences with God during this time in prison. I was not there because of my personal actions or mistakes, yet I did not brood with resentment or hatred for those who persecuted me, nor did I spend my time in prison pleading my innocence. Rather, I dedicated my time in prison to prayer and meditation to understand what America needs to do to fulfill God's Will for the world.

True Parents [August 20, 1985]

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