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## Steve Bannon Released From Federal Prison

Steve Bannon was [released from federal prison](#) this morning [after serving a four-month sentence](#) at FCI Danbury in Connecticut. Bannon was convicted in July 2022 on two counts of contempt of Congress after he failed to comply with a congressional subpoena concerning the events of January 6, 2021.

Bannon returned to hosting his *War Room* podcast following his release and stated the four months in prison empowered him, stating:

The four months in federal prison not only didn't break me, it empowered me. I am more energized and more focused than I've ever been in my entire life, and I can see clearly just like in 2016 and in 2020, exactly what's going on here and what we have to do to defeat it.



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Steve Bannon

Prior to reporting to FCI Danbury, Bannon [unsuccessfully appealed the conviction](#), claiming he was exempt from the congressional subpoena due to former President Donald Trump allegedly asserting executive privilege over his testimony and the documents requested by the January 6 Committee.



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