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MAN SENTENCED TO 118 YEARS IN PRISON

A 41-year-old man who robbed and kidnapped a woman in June 2008 was given the maximum sentence of 118 years in the Colorado Department of Corrections.

Darrell Tyrone Guice (dob:07-20-68) was convicted earlier of *aggravated robbery* (F3), *first-degree burglary* (F3), two counts of *kidnapping* (F2 and F3) and *aggravated motor vehicle theft* (F5).

On June 16, 2008, Guice confronted a 62-year-old woman as she was coming out of her home, forced her back inside, held her against her will while ransacking her home and then fled in her car. Denver police were able to identify Guice as a suspect within a few days and he was arrested four days later.

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey, who prosecuted the case with Chief Deputy DA Adrienne Greene, argued for the maximum sentence in court today saying, "The court has ample opportunity to end the criminal career of this man; he is a flat out danger to people in their homes." The victim, who also spoke, told the Court that her life has changed forever since the attack and she doesn't feel safe in her own home anymore.

Guice, who remained in custody following the trial, was remanded to immediately begin his sentence.