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Shasta County Jury Convicts Man of Forcible Rape

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Today, a Shasta County jury found Terry Lee Crosley, 48, guilty of Forcible Rape, Criminal Threats, and Corporal Injury to a Former Spouse. The jury did not find the defendant guilty of Assault with a Deadly Weapon or the additional allegations involving a knife.

Evidence presented at trial showed that during the late evening hours of November 18, 2010, Terry Lee Crosley raped the victim outside of her home. During the rape, Crosley threatened to kill the victim and told the victim this would be the last time ever. Crosley told the victim during the assault and rape that she needed to die for the pain to stop. Crosley and the victim were married during the 1990s but divorced sometime in 1999.

Crosley faces a potential sentence of 18 years and 8 months in state prison. The defendant is presumptively ineligible for probation, and will be sentenced on April 9, 2013. The case was prosecuted by Deputy District Attorney Sarah Van Slyke and investigated by Investigator Kristen Blehm of the Shasta County District Attorney's Office and Investigator Daniel Smetak of the Redding Police Department.
