

Defendant Convicted of DV, Assault, Child Sex Assault



Sacramento County District Attorney's Office

Semper Justitia

DATE: March 29, 2022

CASE: David Capps (Case #18FE016564)

**PROSECUTOR: Deputy District Attorney Quirina Orozco, Special
Assault & Child Abuse Unit**

David Capps pled guilty to nine counts of child sexual assault on March 24, 2022. The case continued to a jury trial on the remaining counts. On March 28, 2022, a jury convicted Capps of all remaining charges of domestic violence causing great bodily injury, assault with a shotgun and assault with a knife.

On August 19, 2018, Elk Grove police officers responded to a call and found Capps and the victim at the scene. Officers learned that Capps held a shotgun to the victim's head and told her it was loaded. He also held a knife to the victim's throat and threatened to kill her. The victim stated that Capps had strangled her to the point of near unconsciousness. Doctors later diagnosed the victim as having suffered a fractured larynx as a result of the strangulation. During the investigation, detectives discovered that Capps sexually assaulted a child when she was 7 to 11 years old.

Capps faces a maximum sentence of 44 years in prison. Sentencing is scheduled for May 20, 2022, at 1:30 p.m. in Department 40 before the Honorable Steve White.