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Former Officer Convicted Of Molesting Teen

40-Year-Old Guilty Of Sexual Battery, Kidnapping

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WPLG-TV Image The jury on Monday convicted 40year-old Paul Brosky of sexual battery and kidnapping.

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Prosecutors said Brosky pulled over a car in August 2002 and told the 17-year-old female driver and her boyfriend to follow him to an isolated parking lot in Miami Lakes.

Once in the parking lot, Brosky separated the victim from her boyfriend and sexually battered her, prosecutors said.

"It's not fair. He was a good dad, he was always there for me and he's not anymore," said daughter Ashley Brosky told WPLG-TV after the verdict was read

After hearing the verdict on Monday, Brosky's wife fainted in the courtroom. Rosie Brosky was treated by paramedics.

Two other women also testified the Miami-Dade officer of three years molested and fondled them in the summer of 2002. Brosky was fired from the police department shortly after his arrest.

"This community will not tolerate an officer betraying the badge and violating the citizens of this community," said Assistant State Attorney Bill Altfield.

Brosky's attorney, Eric Schwartzreich, argued the women fabricated the stories to extort money from his client and the Miami-Dade Police Department. Schwartzreich said one of the victims has already settled with the department for \$60,000, Local 10's Kellie Butler reported.

During the two-week trial, the women testified they did not know each other but the defense was quick to point out they went to the same high school.

"This case is not over, the war has just begun. We are taking it to a different battlefield. We will appeal," said Schwartzreich.

"I believe in him. I will wait for his appeal," said Rosie Brosky as she left the courtroom.

Sentencing will likely take place at the end of December. The former officer could be sentenced to life in prison.

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