

Teen Charged with Aggravated Murder in Death of Foster Mother

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An Ohio woman graciously opened her home to a 19-year-old girl by becoming her foster mother. She welcomed the young girl to her family, which included her husband, teen daughter, and 3-year-old daughter.

A Hard Life

The birth mother was reportedly not able to care for the girl due to a drug and alcohol addiction, so the grandmother stepped up and tried to care for her. Soon, the young girl became unruly and it was determined that her grandmother would not be able to properly care for her. It seemed her life would make a turn for the better as she was offered her a stable home in Ohio.

Stabbed to Death

[The foster girl was then accused of murdering her foster mother](#) by stabbing 2 times and cutting her 166 times with a knife. During the murder investigation, it was uncovered that the foster child and her foster father had been having an affair.

During the affair, the father reportedly promised the foster teen that he would divorce his wife, and convinced the girl to kill her foster mother. He continued to manipulate her by saying the two could raise the toddler together and enjoy his wife's insurance policy. He is accused of teaching his foster daughter how to stab before leaving town.

The foster teen was cooperative with prosecutors and testified against her foster father in court.

Life Sentencing

The foster father was convicted and sentenced for life, while the foster teen was sentenced to life in prison after pleading guilty to aggravated [murder](#). She will have the opportunity of parole in 30 years due to her cooperation.

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