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Akron Man Guilty in Slaying of Canton Man

(February 26, 2015... Akron) ... Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced that a jury found Paul Reed, 39, of Minota Avenue in Akron, guilty of two counts of Murder, both special felonies, in the death of 69-year-old James Harris.

On April 26, 2014, Reed and co-defendant arranged for Harris to come over to their home to purchase a car. After arriving Harris was lured into the basement, to look at other items for sale, and was brutally attacked by Reed.

Judge Thomas Teodosio will sentence Reed on March 13, 2015. He faces a sentence of 15 Years to Life in prison.