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JURY CONVICTS NOVOTNY

A Denver jury returned a guilty verdict in the murder trial of **Martin Novotny** (01-21-83) today. After deliberating less than a full day, the jury found Novotny guilty of *first-degree murder after deliberation, first-degree felony murder* and *first-degree burglary* in the death of 24-year-old Ana Elisa Toledo in December 2005.

Novotny went to immediate sentencing and was given a mandatory term of life in prison without parole.

The case was prosecuted by Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey and Chief Deputy DA Verna Carpenter.