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MOTHER FOUND GUILTY IN BABY DEATH

A woman charged with the death of her 10-month old son in September of 2011 has been found guilty by a Denver jury.

Muriel Keer (dob: 08-12-72) was convicted of *child abuse resulting in death* (F2). The jury acquitted her of a first degree murder charge.

On September 20, 2011, Keer left her 10-month-old son, Aldrich Leathers, alone in a bathtub with the water running while she was on her computer. The baby was found floating in the tub by another adult and was transported to a local hospital, but he did not survive.

Keer faces up to 48 years in prison when she is sentenced on August 16, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. in Denver District Courtroom 5D.

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