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Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Gerald Stanley Miller, age 74, of Modesto was convicted on April 11, 2011 of Lewd and Lascivious Act with a Child under the age of 14. Deputy District Attorney Annette Rees prosecuted the case for the People.

From 2004-2007 Miller was an after school caretaker of a young girl who suffers from a rare form of muscular dystrophy. He had been a friend of her mother's for 20 years. When the mother found a suspicious e-mail her daughter had sent to Gregory, the child disclosed that Gregory had been having her touch him and had shown her a pornographic magazine photo. "At 74 years old with no criminal history, 3 years in prison will be a very long stay," said Rees. Defendant was also ordered to register for life as a sex offender. His crime is considered a "strike" offense and limited to 15% credits. Any other sex offense will send him to prison for life.

Upon entry of the plea, the Honorable John Freeland sentenced Gregory to 3 years in state prison. Gregory was also ordered to register for life as a sex offender.

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