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Man Receives Life Prison Term For 2003 Slayings of Two Women, Toddler in Miracle Mile Apartment

A 55-year-old man was sentenced today to life in prison without the possibility of parole for the 2003 slayings of two women and a 2-year-old boy, the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office announced.

Robin Kyu Cho was sentenced by Los Angeles County Superior Court Judge Curtis Rappe after a jury recommended in mid-2012 the defendant receive a life sentence instead of the death penalty.

Cho was convicted of murdering 30-year-old Chi Hyon Song, her 2-year-old son Hyun Woo Song and 56-year-old nanny Eun Sik Min on May 5, 2003. The three victims were found fatally shot in a 150-unit Miracle Mile apartment complex where Cho also lived.

Prosecutors said Cho was connected to the crimes through DNA evidence found on latex gloves that was affixed to packing tape placed over Song's face.

Deputy District Attorney Frank Santoro prosecuted the case.

The case was investigated by the Los Angeles Police Department's Robbery-Homicide Division.

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