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(Nashville, TN)—The two men charged in a 2015 home invasion in Crieve Hall will spend the next 15 years in prison. Robert Corder and Oscar Burnett-Patton pled guilty Friday to Especially Aggravated Kidnapping for holding a Nashville family at gunpoint inside their Trousdale Drive home. Corder and Burnett-Patton admitted robbing the family after forcing them to drive to several ATMs to withdraw money.

Assistant District Attorney Paul DeWitt said the pair entered the family's home as the homeowner returned from grocery shopping. They forced the woman, along with her daughter, granddaughter, and her granddaughter's boyfriend to drive to several banks to withdraw money. Police tracked down the suspects because the daughter was able to memorize the suspect's license tag number, even as she was held at gunpoint.

"We appreciate the victim's courage, determination and patience throughout this process," ADA DeWitt said. "We hope this guilty plea gives the family the justice they deserved."



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