

## Dale County sex offender sentenced to life without parole

A 45-year-old convicted sex offender will spend the rest of his life in jail.

Daniel Fabris, a resident of Dale County, was convicted earlier of abusing a 7-year-old girl, whom his wife was babysitting. He sodomized the child while his wife ran errands.

He has been sentenced to life without the possibility of parole, according to District Attorney Kirke Adams.

Based on his prior criminal history and the conviction of the Class A felony, the only available sentences were life or life without the possibility of parole. Presiding Circuit Judge P.B. McLaughlin issued the maximum punishment.

He had been on parole for a rape charge from the 1970s and other theft-related charges, but he was ordered to finish serving the previous life sentence because of the 2005 revocation for the felony conviction.