



Woman convicted in parking spot stabbing

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A Mission Hill woman was convicted yesterday of stabbing a neighbor during a bloody tussle over a parking spot shoveled out after a snowstorm.

Carmen Andino, 40, was found guilty on charges she attacked her neighbor with a knife a day after the two had argued over the space the victim shoveled but Andino saved with a plastic play table in January 2010.

The verbal sparring led to an armed assault in which Andino drew neigh-



SHEY CARRASQUILLO

Lugo suffered serious injuries to her face and under her left arm, claiming that the wound was so deep she could see white tissue and fat spilling out.

Andino's daughter Shey Carrasquillo, who was 17 at the time of the melee, was acquitted on charges she stabbed Lugo in the shoulder with a screwdriver as Lugo had Andino pinned on the ground.

"She was relieved of being found not guilty but she broke down in tremendous tears over the guilty verdict against her mother," said Carrasquillo's defense attorney, Arthur Kelly.

"I think it's fair to say the celebration of a not guilty verdict was probably overwhelmed by the guilty verdict rendered against her mother."

Andino's attorney, Craig Collins, did not respond to a message left by the Herald, but he did say last week his client was a victim of a "ferocious attack."

Authorities said Andino pounded on Lugo's door, drawing her into their McGreevey Way neighborhood, where the fight erupted.

Andino will be back in court for sentencing May 9.



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GUILTY: Carmen Andino, 40, of Mission Hill was convicted of stabbing a neighbor yesterday.