

2 DROWN IN KWARA QUARRY LAKE

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Men of the Kwara State Fire Service have recovered the bodies of two young men who drowned in a quarry lake at Opete area of Asa local government area.

The victims - Fatai Abdulraman (26 years) and Muhammed Awal (27) reportedly drowned in the quarry lake on Monday.

The recovered bodies, according to a statement signed by the spokesperson of the state Fire Service, Hakeem Adekunle, have been handed over to one Malam Abdulfatahi.

The statement reads, "On Monday, 23rd March, 2026, at about 17:08hrs, the Kwara State Fire Service responded to a rescue operation at Opete Area, Asa local government area, Kwara State.

"The incident involved two young men who drowned in a quarry lake. Upon arrival, firefighters conducted a recovery operation and successfully retrieved the bodies of the victims, identified as Fatai Abdulraman (26 years) and Muhammed Awal (27 years).

"The recovered bodies were subsequently handed over to Mallam Abdulfatahi for necessary arrangements.