

Gunmen kill contractor

CHINEDU WOSU, Port
Harcourt

UNKNOWN gunmen have killed a famous Shell contractor and the patron of the Rivers chapter of Sports Writers Association (SWAN), Mr. Wale Adegboye.

The death has caused a great shock among members of his family, close associates and members of SWAN in the state.

Our correspondent gathered that Adegboye, a Catholic was going for his morning mass at his church located at Rumukrushu, Port Harcourt in his Infinity Toyota car with Registration Rivers 307-RVC, when he was being chased by the assassins.

Eyewitnesses who pleaded anonymity further told *Daily Champion* that while chasing him, the assailants over took his car,

blocked him started opening fire on him along Oporo Road linking Rumudara Road.

We learnt that he was shot from the back before he slumped and died.

Police officers, who immediately visited the scene of the crime hours later on Sunday, promised to arrest the killers.

Contacted, Rivers State Police Public Relations Officer, Mrs. Rita Inoma-Abbey, said she was not in town and has not receive information about the latest killing in the State.

Similarly, the Joint Military Task Force (JTF) spokesman, Lt. Col. Sagir Musa, said his office had no information about the incident.

The remains of Adegboye have been deposited at the Port Harcourt Teaching Hospital, mortuary in Choba, Port Harcourt.