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Gunmen kill 2 policemen in Borno

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Unidentified gunmen on Tuesday night shot and killed two policemen in Maiduguri, the Borno State capital.

The state's Police Commissioner, Mohammed Jinjiri Abubakar, who confirmed the attack said Inspector Santal Ali, 43, was in the midst of his friends at his Pompomari residence when the gunmen arrived in an unmarked Golf Volkswagen car around 7.15pm and killed him.

"The police officer was shot in the chest and thigh. He however killed one of his attackers before he died. The police are vulnerable because most of them are living in rented quarters, in the midst of the people," he said. The family of the deceased said late Santal left behind three wives and nine children.

The other policeman was shot and killed at Ngomari, along airport road around 8pm on the same day, according to police authorities.

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MOHAMMED GIRGIRI

2011-03-04 01:24 #6

NIGERIAN POLICE, THE FEDERAL GOVT. AND BORNO STATE GOVT. PLEASE DIALOGUE WITH THOSE PEOPLE TO END THESE KILLINGS AS THE CASE IN THE EAST.IE AMNESTY.

[Quote](#)**lukman gombe**

2011-03-03 17:56 #5

the federal gov't they suppose to take care of that family,

[Quote](#)**Baba Shehu Umar**

2011-03-03 15:38 #4

So what is the identity of the one the inspector killed before he was killed

[Quote](#)**Sanusi Shehu**

2011-03-03 12:18 #3

Oh Allah, let this problem in Borno and indeed in our country as a whole come to an end. We need to fast and pray, equally, the authority should take proper action in addressing this issue. In my own view force should be the last resort. Dialogue is also another means.

[Quote](#)**Noor**

2011-03-03 11:54 #2

May his soul rest and perfect peace. and for those people if there are muslim they should remember that killing fellow muslim brother is one of the Major sin.

[Quote](#)**Alshinkafy**

2011-03-03 07:40 #1

When will this police come to their senses and advice this politicians to dialogued with this people so as to stop this blood bath? Oppression is the genesis of all this. Police be wise.

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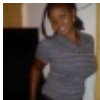
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