

Nigeria: Gunmen Kill Police Inspector in Kano

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Kano — Unknown assailants Sunday night gunned down an inspector of police attached to the Kano command.

The incident occurred at Rijiyar Zaki area, along Bayero University, Kano (BUK) new site, in Kano metropolis.

An eyewitness revealed that the gunmen were four in number and they were at the area for hours, obviously waiting for the return of the inspector.

It was also gathered that the inspector was at the mosque for the Isha'i (night) and Taraweeh (Ramadan voluntary prayers) before he went to a nearby shop to purchase mosquito coil. "He went to a nearby shop to buy mosquito coil and on his way back home the assailants trailed and gunned him down. Nobody can tell who the assailants are but by," a resident said.

Confirming the incident, the Kano police command Public Relations Officer, ASP Musa Magaji Majiya, said investigation has commenced to determine those behind the murder and their motive.

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