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BOKO HARAM KILLS 9 IN YOBE



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Boko Haram militants between Wednesday night and yesterday killed nine residents of Dunbulwa and Kada-gara villages in Fika LGA of Yobe State.

Residents said the militants moved into the Yobe villages at about 10:00pm Wednesday, setting houses ablaze and shooting at intervals. They also rode into in Kadan-Gana village on 10 motorcycles and unleashed terror throughout the night. Air force jets later dropped explosives on certain locations around 9:30am, our correspondent says.

"Each motorcycle carried three militants. They burnt our houses and killed nine people. Some of them came with explosives, attacking people on sight", a resident said. He said they stayed throughout the night until around 9:00am next morning when the military descended on them.

In Dunbulwa village, a source said they burnt the house of a former Commissioner of Health and current special assistant to Governor Ibrahim Gaidam on Health, Dr. Bello Kawuwa, but killed no one.

"They tried to cross the River Gunguru to attack Ngalda or Gadaka, but the explosives on them in the canoe went off", he said.

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