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# Rustlers kill 1 in Katsina

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Suspected cattle rustlers yesterday attacked Tsambe village in Jibia Local Government Area of Katsina State, killing one and injuring another.

The deceased identified as Ibrahim Munkairi was shot dead just as his son Murzuka Ibrahim sustained injuries during the attack.

The village head, Idi Uba, who confirmed the attack, said at about 11pm, several gun shots were heard across the village. He said the situation caused panic in the area, as residents scampered for safety. He said it was later discovered that two bulls were carted away by the rustlers, after killing the victim.

According to him, four months ago in a similar attack, seven persons were killed while 36 cattle were stolen.

He said last year, ten people were killed in the village by rustlers.

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