

Police arrest ex-soldier for killing girlfriend

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The Plateau State Police Command yesterday paraded an ex-soldier Sunday Umaru who served with the 3rd Armoured Division of the Nigerian army for allegedly stabbing his girlfriend Charity Thomas to death around Riyom local government area of Plateau state. The ex-soldier who was also attached to Sector 7 of Operation Save Haven in Barkin Ladi was said to have invited the victim from Kaduna to stay with him but killed her on the allegation that she was exchanging romantic text messages with other men.

Plateau State Commissioner of Police Adekunle Oladunjoye said the suspect had stabbed the deceased in the stomach and had been charged to court. Oladunjoye who also paraded Dabung David Dele for strangling to death Nanchi Zakariya, a Psychology student of the university of Jos said the suspect on interrogation owned up to the crime.