

# 4 killed in fresh Taraba communal clash

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Four people were feared killed, others injured and many houses burnt in a fresh crisis between Jukun/Tiv ethnic groups in Taraba State yesterday.

The clash reportedly occurred at Wukari Kwatan Sule in Wukari Local Government Area.

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An eyewitness, Jerry Luka, said the crisis started at Kente village Monday evening when youths from both ethnic groups had a misunderstanding.

“The misunderstanding led to the killing of two people in Kente and this morning while two others were killed around General Hospital in Wukari town,” he said.

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Chairman of Wukari Local Government Council, Daniel Adi, said two people were killed and houses burnt in the clash.

He said trouble started on Monday when some Tiv youth in Kente prevented their Tiv kinsmen from bringing goods to Kente market.

The spokesman of the state police command, David Misal, could not be reached for comment.