Similarly, a 35-year-old pregnant woman, Risikat Saliman, was reportedly shot dead during a bloody clash between suspected cult groups at Aleke community in Ikorodu, Lagos State last September.

It was gathered that dozens of suspected cultists had invaded the community market at about 8 pm on a fateful day and started shooting sporadically, killing the woman in the process.

The Baale of Aleke, Adeniyi Okemati, was quoted as saying that the hoodlums had gunned down the mother of two before the arrival of policemen from Imota division.