

**DAILYTRUST**

HOME

NEWS

BUSINESS

POLITICS

PODCAST

VIDEOS

AGRICULTURE

SPORTS

OPINION

EDU

NEWS

Ogun Cult Clash: Crisis Spreads To Sagamu, Death Toll Hits 15

By **Peter Moses**

Mon, 28 Mar 2022 18:45:04 GMT



Death toll in the raging supremacy battle between rival cult groups in Ogun State, has risen to 15.



The clash between the rival cult group got to its peak following the gruesome murder of an area boy popularly known as Tommy in Oluwo, Abeokuta.

Since the death of Tommy, residents of Abeokuta have been leaving under fear of possible escalation of the crisis.

As of Sunday night, locals in Panseke, Onikolobo, Oluwo, Adigbe fled for dear lives as gunshots rend the air.

Though the police said 18 persons had been arrested, calm seems not to have been restored as the crisis has now escalated to Sagamu, Remo axis of Ogun.

A source told our correspondent that one Akeem, an electrician, was killed at Ajegunle area of Sagamu around 7am.

“Akeem did not die immediately, but when they were rushing him to hospital, another bike hit them and he fell from the bike. That was how he died eventually,” the source, who pleaded anonymity said.

It was also gathered that some of the victims were murdered in places like Sovindo, Ijagba, Ajegunle and Sabo; all in

Sagamu.

not getting response because we're channeling our energy in



DAILY TRUST

HOME

NEWS

BUSINESS

POLITICS

PODCAST

VIDEOS

AGRICULTURE

SPORTS

OPINION

EDU

Sagamu is literally empty, Awoyemi Michael stated.

At the moment, residents of Sagamu amid panicking have called on the police to put the situation under control.

When contacted, the Police Spokesman, Abimbola Oyeyemi, promised to find out and revert.

Oyeyemi had earlier threatened that the police would deal with all cultists in the state.

He said the command would also arrest and prosecute landlords harbouring cultists in Ogun, even as he charged parents to warn their children.

Governor Dapo Abiodun has also assured residents of the State that he would not allow some hoodlums to truncate the peace in Ogun.

Abiodun assured that state would be peaceful for residents and investors alike.

Dear Reader,

Every day, we work hard to provide readers such as you with the most accurate, up-to-date, and comprehensive information. Quality journalism costs money. Today, we're asking that you support us to do more. Your support means that Daily Trust can keep offering journalism to everyone in the world. [Sign up for as little as ₦1,000](#)