

Bandits kill villager, kidnap 19 others in Kaduna community

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Suspected bandits have killed a villager and kidnapped 19 others from Anguwar Makeri, under the Anguwaku community in Kufana chiefdom of Kajuru Local

Government Area of Kaduna State.

The bandits, who stormed the remote village, also abducted at least 19 villagers, mostly women.

Daily Trust on Sunday learnt that since the abduction, the victims' families have not been contacted.

Tanimu Makaddas, the secretary

of the community, confirmed the incident yesterday, saying the attackers arrived in the community around 12:00am on Saturday.

He identified the deceased as Kukah Yari, while one Abuki Dogo was injured in the process.

The kidnapped person are Yakubu

Abba, Basiru Maiwada, Keziya Silas, Peace Silas, Lami Istifanus, Habila Musa, Bege Liazarus, Joshua Abuki, Juliana Habila, Stelah Yohanna, Genesis Ezikiel, Deborah Ezikiel, Salomi Dutse, Rifkatu Zaphaniah, Tamar Liazarus, Ejah Habila, Rejoice Ezikeil, Catharine Silas and Gundu

Rubu.

The police public relations officer, Kaduna State command, ASP Mansir Hassan, said he was driving when contacted on phone, and promised to call back, but he was yet to do so at the time of filing this report.