

How Robbers Shot Dead 15-Year-Old Bread Seller — Kwara CP

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Speaking in Ilorin, Mr Olaiya said two suspects, Azeez Shola Lawal (Efo) and Ismail Musa (Ostence), were arrested on the strength of a complaint by Mrs Kehinde Abdulquadri Sarumi, the deceased's mother.

He said, “While the mother was at the Oja-Oba Roundabout selling bread at her stand with her children, a group of people with masks attacked them and started shooting sporadically.

“As a result, two of her children were touched: Mariam Abdullahi Sarumi (15) died on the spot, while Abdularaheem Abdullahi Sarumi (six) sustained bullet injuries on the right hand and chest.”

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He noted that the suspects confessed to the crime and would soon be charged to court.