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3 siblings suffocate inside car in Kwara

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Three siblings, a boy and two girls, were on Sunday around 2pm found dead after they locked themselves in a car at No 8, Boluke Line, Zango-Kulende Quarters in Ilorin,

It was learnt that the mother of the victims, Shade Sili-fat, went to buy noodles for their school meal for Mon-day but came back and discovered them lying in a suspicious situation inside the car.

A neighbour said, "When the

mother returned, she discovered their shoes outside the parked car and called them persistently without any response. She then raised alarm before the door of the car was forced open by neighbours.

"The kids were rushed to the Olutayo Clinic close to their

house. The Medical Director, one Dr Adeyemo, was said to have referred them to the University of Ilorin Teaching Hospital (UITH) where they were confirmed dead.

The spokeswoman of the Kwara State Police Command, Toun Ejire-Adeyem, who confirmed the incident, said "We discovered that the incident happened when operatives visited their residence. They had then buried the kids (at the Muslim cemetery, Osere.

"But the family did not officially report the matter. It's very unfortunate."