

Mob Lynches Suspected Bike Thief In FCT Community



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A mob have lynched a suspected motorcycle thief at the old Kutunku village in Gwagwalada Area Council of the FCT.

A resident of old Kutunku, Shuaibu Yahaya, said the incident happened on Monday around 3:54 pm when the suspect allegedly stole a bike at a mosque in the area and escaped.

He said the suspect, who also pretended to join prayers inside the mosque, came out of the mosque and quietly took the bike away.

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He said a resident, who sighted the suspect, raised an alarm and some people pursued him to a farm where he fell down.

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Yahaha said the mob descended on the suspect using logs of wood and hard objects until he gave up the ghost before some vigilantes came to the scene.

A member of the vigilante simply identified as Garba confirmed the incident, saying reported cases of bike theft has become a daily occurrence across Gwagwalada metropolis.

The spokeswoman for the FCT Police Command, SP Josephine Adeh could not be reached for comment on the incident.