

Man Beaten To Death Over Woman In Niger



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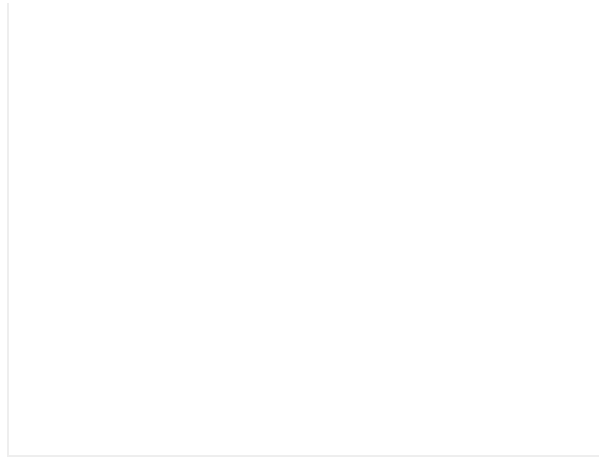
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Naziru Amadu, a young man from Magandu town LGA in Niger State, was reportedly killed by a engaged to marry.

Sources told our correspondent that the deceased was attacked at his residence on Friday night by Tanko Sule and his friends, who claimed to be in love with the girl the deceased was already engaged to.

Tanko was said to have mobilized his friends, with w
beat him into a stupor.



“The deceased’s mother heard noises from her son’s room. She went to investigate and found her son bleeding from his mouth and nose. She raised the alarm, and her son was rushed to the hospital. That was on Friday,” one source explained.

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“On Saturday, the victim passed away around 10 am. Before he passed away, he mentioned that he was attacked by Tanko Sule. He said Sule had, on several occasions, threatened him if he did not leave the girl for him to marry. The deceased had already completed the formal engagement with the girl.”



The source added that the deceased was buried on Saturday in Kawo town, according to Islamic rites.

When contacted, the spokesperson for the Niger State Police Command, SP Wasiu Abiodun, confirmed the incident.

He said the suspect had been arrested by the police.

According to Abiodun: “On 12/09/2025 at about 2 pm, it was reported at B Division Kontagora that on the same date at about 12:30 am, one Nasiru Ahmadu was seriously beaten and strangled in his room. One Tanko Sule (25) was mentioned to have attacked the victim due to a girlfriend issue. “The victim was taken to a nearby hospital where he was later confirmed dead. The suspect, Tanko Sule, was arrested. Investigation is ongoing, and further developments will be made available.”