

Bandits kill two as troops rescue three commuters in Kaduna

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SECURITY agencies have said that two persons were killed by bandits in Makoro Iri village of Kajuru Council, Kaduna State, the Commissioner for Internal Security and Home Affairs, Samuel Aruwan, reported at the weekend.

Aruwan quoted the security operatives as saying that bandits invaded the village and shot dead the duo identified as Gideon Mumini and Barnabas Ezra.

In another development, the commissioner said Operation Safe Haven (OPSH) rescued three travellers from bandits along the

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Gidan Waya-Godogodo road in Jema'a local council.

HOWEVER, the Kaduna police command had commenced investigation on the gruesome murder of Capt. Abdulkarim Na'Allah, the eldest son of Senator Bala Na'Allah.

Bandits killed the pilot in his Malali residence of Kaduna, yesterday.

The Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Mohammed Jalige, told *The Guardian*: "Our men have visited the home of the son of Senator Na'Allah where he was killed. We cannot ascertain if the people who committed the murder are bandits

or not. Investigation will reveal it. One thing is clear, one of his vehicles was taken away by the assailants."

IN another development, the Youth Wing of Christian Association of Nigeria (YOWICAN) has condemned the mass killing of Christians and Plateau State citizens by bandits in Jos North Local Council.

National Chairman of YOWICAN, Amb. Belusochukwu Enwere, who stated this in Abuja, yesterday, lamented that Nigeria was sliding into anarchy while banditry, kidnapping and terrorism spread like wildfire.

He said: "I condemn the

gruesome killing of over 35 Plateau citizens, especially Christians, on August 15, 2021 in a midnight attack where houses and churches were burnt, including a primary school in Kunga of Zangam. This is not acceptable to Nigerians, no matter the religion and ethnicity.

"Where are our leaders? The labour of our hero's past is beginning to be in vain."

ALSO, Catholic Archbishop of Abuja, Most Rev. Ignatius Kaigama, has said that the violence, bloodshed and gruesome attacks in parts of the country are a terrible embarrassment to the nation and a tragic contradiction to the tenets of both Christianity and Islam.