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Again, bandits kill five, abduct four in Katsina

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Bandits have killed four people working in their farmlands at Jibia Local Council of Katsina State.



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Babangida area.

A source, while lamenting the incident, called for more cooperation between residents and security operatives to effectively address the menace in the state.

The latest incident came about 24 hours after hoodlums killed five policemen and injured one other during an attack in the same council area.

The cops were reported to be moving from their base at Zandam village to Jibia when they were ambushed by the assailants.

EQUALLY, hoodlums, in the wee hours of Monday, assassinated an employee of the Federal University, Dutsinma (FUDMA), Katsina State, Dr Tiri Gyal, and abducted two of his sons.

The incident, which occurred between 1.00 a.m. and 2.00 a.m., also saw the bandits abducting two women, who are sisters to one Mr Adeola, and another FUDMA staff.

The attackers also harassed several people, particularly women, and were said to have seized their handsets and funds during the operation.

Gyal was Deputy Dean, Faculty of Agriculture of the institution.

The Vice Chancellor, Prof. Armaya'u Bichi, who confirmed the incident, said: "They killed one of our staff, Dr Tiri Gyal, Deputy Dean, Faculty of Agriculture. They killed him and abducted two of his male children."

He said the body of the deceased had been deposited at the General Hospital, Dutsinma prior to being ferried to Katsina town much more lately.

The incident comes less than a month after bandits abducted two staff members of the institution, alongside the son of one of the victims at their CPA residence, Dutsinma



Also last October, bandits, in their number, abduc

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