

Five Burnt To Death By Petrol Explosion In Bauchi

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Following a fire accident that was sparked off by petrol, five persons have been confirmed dead at Badagari village in Bogoro Local Government Area of Bauchi State.

The fire incident also left one Solomon Wollo in a critical condition at the General Hospital in Tafawa Balewa.

According to witnesses, the fire started when one Hannatu Habila, a mother of six, tried to sell petrol to a customer.

Mummy, a disabled, was running the petrol business, often regarded as illegal and risky, to assist the family augment the little they earn to keep body and soul.

The dutiful mother, oblivious of the Inherent danger, was attempting to sell the product to a motor-cyclist identified as Solomon Wollo at about 7:00 pm that fateful day when suddenly they were greeted with a loud bang.

The explosion came swiftly, like a hurricane roasting two of her children and Solomon to death, leaving Hannatu and two of her children with various degrees of burns. Her entire house was burnt down.