

Cult Members Invade House, Kill Student

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Suspected cult members invaded number 9, Bashorun Street, Shomolu, Lagos on Saturday and killed a rival member.

The suspects held all the occupants of the building hostage before they asked for the whereabouts of one Oluhan Samuel. When they saw their target, they pumped bullets into him in the presence of his parents. He died on the spot.

Samuel was an undergraduate of a higher institution in Lagos.

The Lagos State Police Command spokesman, Olubode Ojajuni, confirmed the report.

He said while the assailants were leaving they did not remove anything from the house, which suggested they were on a revenge mission.

The police image-maker hinted that investigations into the matter had been handed over to the homicide operatives at the State Criminal Investigation Department (SCID), Panti, Yaba, Lagos to find the killers.

The victim's corpse, Ojajuni said, has been deposited at a public mortuary in Lagos for post-mortem examination.

Similarly, a commercial motorcyclist has been declared wanted by the police for allegedly killing his passenger.

While it was suspected that the man was a victim of ritual killers, others said he might have been murdered by a robber who posed as an *Okada* rider.

Sources said the yet-to-be-identified *Okada* operator picked the passenger, one Olanrewaju Ibrahim in the frontage of his house at No. 4, Okuyemi Street, Odo-Eran, Itire, Lagos on Thursday to an unknown destination. But his body was later found along Alaafia Street, Itire.