

2 Arraigned For Murder In Ibadan

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Two young men, Usman Umoru and Basiru Jimoh were on Wednesday arraigned before two different magistrate courts sitting at Iyaganku, Ibadan for two different murder cases.

While Umoru, 27, was arraigned for stabbing his friend to death, Basiru, 32, was docked for killing his neighbour by hitting him on the head with a sharp object.

Umoru, a butcher, was recently arrested at Kara in Akinyele local government area of Oyo State after killing Mohammed Danjuma.

According to the charge sheet, "Umoru, on March 19, at Kara area of Akinyele in Ibadan, did unlawfully cause the death of one Mohammed Namai Zinkafa Danjuma by stabbing him with a knife on the stomach."

"Umoru has committed an offence contrary to and punishable under section 319 of

the criminal code cap. 38 vol. 11 Laws of Oyo State of Nigeria 2000."

In the case of Basiru who was arraigned for killing Ramoni Adeyemi at Kajola, Airport area of Ibadan, the charge sheet numbered MI/353C/2007 reads: "that you, Basiru Popoola, did unlawfully cause the death of one Ramoni Aderemi by beating him up and caused him head injury with an object which led to his death and thereby committed an offence punishable under the law."