

Son Kills Father Over Attempted Ritual

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Homicide detectives in Lagos have arrested a young man for allegedly killing his father.

He is currently being detained at the State Criminal Investigation Department (SCID), Panti, Yaba, Lagos.

It was learnt that the suspect, Segun Ajasa, beheaded his father, Akin Ajasa, on Monday after a futile bid to use the former for ritual.

Trouble started when the man asked his son to accompany him to an undisclosed trip, located along a farmland, later found out to be a shrine.

On arrival at their destination, the deceased asked his son to enter a shrine and kneel down before a deity in order to perform some ritual rites.

Sensing danger, Segun rebuffed entreaties to make him perform rites he did not understand.

Instead, he pulled out a cutlass and chopped off his father's head.