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FRESH violence erupted in Jos between Fulani herdsmen and Berom people on Friday, following the invasion of Rim village by the Fulanis. The attack, Saturday Independent gathered, was, however, repelled by the men of the Special Task Force (STF) on Jos crisis code named "Operation Safe Haven," who responded promptly to prevent loss of lives.

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However, while trying to repel the Fulani invasion, a stray bullet hit and killed a Berom youth. It was not immediately known if the shooting from the men of the STF or the armed Fulanis killed the victim.

Saturday Independent gathered that the victim's family has buried him, while the wounded two are receiving treatment at Vom Christian Hospital in neighbouring Jos South local government of the state.