SIX KILLED IN FRESH PLATEAU VIOLENCE

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Six persons have been killed in Bisichi village along Foron Road in Barkin Ladi Local Government of Plateau State in the early hours of Friday.

Saturday Independent gathered from the affected community that among those killed was a pregnant woman and five men who were returning from Bukuru, the headquarters of Jos, South LGC to Foron district in neighbouring Barkin Ladi local government council.

The Chairman of Barkin Ladi Local Government Hon. Emmanuel Loman, when contacted confirmed the attack, disclosing that the six people were ambush on their way to Foron and Fan villages and the incident took place around 7:30a.m. on Friday.

Loman said two of the victims were from Bwara, while one was from Kakpwis in Foron district, and the other three including the pregnant woman were from Fan district of his local government council.

He described the attack as barbaric and sad, coming at a time that peace has fully returned to the local government. He however called on the people of the locality to remain calm as security agencies are putting effort to make sure that the suspects are brought to book.

