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Assassins kill man over N10, 000 in Delta

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PANDEMONIUM broke out at Aladja community, Udu Local Government Area, Delta State, following the killing of a 38-year-old man by unknown gunmen in the early hours of Monday.

The assassins were said to have invaded the residence of the deceased identified as Mr. Benjamin Monday at about 2:20 am and demanded for N10, 000 which the late man owed them.

It was learnt that appeals by the late Monday for the assassins to give him more time to pay the money proved abortive.

The source noted that he was shot on the chest while trying to protect his son who woke up as a result of the heated argument that ensued between him and the assassins.

The father of the deceased was from Ilaje in Ondo state, while his mother hailed from Amatu community in Bayelsa State.

He was survived by four children and a wife.

When contacted, the Delta State Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Mrs. Celestina Kalu, confirmed the story, saying that there are efforts by the police to apprehend the culprits.

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