

Petrol Station Owner Murdered In Kaduna

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As residents of Kaduna heave a sigh of relief with reduction in reported cases of kidnapping in the state, especially along Kaduna-Abuja road, the kidnapers have struck again killing a petrol station owner in Kakau area of the state.

Tuesday, March 19, was a very sad day for independent oil marketers in the state as

one of them Mr Omaka Okoha, the owner of Mackson Petrol Station was killed in his petrol station by gunmen suspected to be kidnappers.

A source disclosed to Sunday INDEPENDENT on Saturday that on Tuesday around 9pm, some people had ran into Mr Okoha's filling station for safety from gunmen who were suspected kidnapers in Kakau which is before Kaduna Toll Gate.

According to the source, on seeing the victims, he made efforts to rescue them, hence incurring the wrath of the kidnappers who shot at him severally.

The source said, "The gunmen shot at him severally but as the gunshots could not penetrate his body, they resorted to the use of machete which they used in inflicting serious wounds on him which led to his death.