

# Assailants Strangle Man To Death

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A lifeless body of a middle aged man identified as Burges Eze from Etiti Uburu in Ohauzara local government area of Ebonyi State suspected to have been killed by assassins has been discovered inside his house.

It was gathered that the body of the deceased was blindfolded with cello-tape, and tied with wire to his seat inside his house.

The corpse, it was gathered, was already decomposing before it was discovered.

Late Eze was said to be a staff of Tonimas Oil Company, but retired recently.

A source close to the family who preferred to be anonymous, disclosed that even a pot of soup found in his kitchen was already filled with Maggots.

The Source further disclosed that the man's house was ransacked by the suspected assassins.

The source explained that it was when the community discovered the corpse that they informed the Traditional Ruler, Eze Umezurike, who hinted police in Uburu about the death of the man.

Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO) in Ebonyi, DSP Loveth Odah confirmed the incident.

She said the victim body was found already decomposing in his house.

"His corpse has been taken to Presbyterian joint hospital Uburu for autopsy"

"The Command will get to root of this matter. As I talk to you now, the Commissioner of police has ordered for a full investigation into the matter. We are urging emembers of the public with useful information to help the police to unravel the cause of the death of the man.

"They can use an anonymous text messages to pass on useful information to the police. This man retired and returned home only to be killed", the police spokesman said.