

# Police Arrest Three Siblings For Allegedly Killing Brother

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The police in Anambra State have arrested two men and their sister for allegedly killing their brother during a family brawl.

The crime was committed on April 6.

DAILY INDEPENDENT gathered that that day at about 6 p.m. the police in

Uli in Ihiala Local Council Area received a distress call that a fight ensued among family members of the same parents in Umunam village Amorka in the local council following a quarrel.

In the ensuing fight two persons got varying degrees of injury.

The police operatives attached to Uli Division led by the Divisional Police Officer (DPO) Ejeh Joseph, a Chief Superintendent of

Police, visited the scene and rushed the victims to the Infant Jesus Hospital, Amoka, for medical attention.

However, at the hospital the medical doctor on duty confirmed one of the participants in the fight, Emeke Umezurike aged about 35 years, dead on arrival while others were treated and discharged.

Following this the three siblings namely Ikechukwu Umezurike, 38, Edith

Umezurike, 26, and Nmesoma Umezurike all of the same address were arrested while the corpse of the deceased was deposited at Chipon Mortuary, Awka, for autopsy.

The Commissioner of Police, John B. Abang, has also ordered for discreet investigation by the State Criminal Investigation Department (CID), Awka, to ascertain the circumstances surrounding the incident.