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LAGOS – Two siblings and a native doctor arrested for alleged armed robbery allegedly confessed how a 72-year-old woman was killed during a robbery operation.

The suspects Akinola Akeem and Muiyiwa Akeem who are brothers, and their native doctor, Odunta Moses, were arrested by the operatives of the Intelligence Response Team, IRT of the police.

They allegedly belonged to a notorious robbery gang that terrorized the Ijebu Mushin area of Ogun State.

Prior to their arrest, the suspects were said to have attacked the home of one Pa Olutokunbo, in Ikala Village of Ijebu Mushin.

They were alleged to have killed 72-year-old wife of Pa Olatokunbo, Christiana Olutokunbo during the robbery operation and carted away the sum of N550,000 and three mobile phones.

It was gathered that one of Pa Olutokunbo's sons, who his based at the United Kingdom, wrote a petition to the Inspector General of Police, Adamu Mohammed, over the killing of his mother by the hoodlums.

He appealed for an indebt investigation into the armed robbery attack on his father's house and the killing of his mother. IGP, in turn, directed his operatives at the IRT, led by Deputy Commissioner of Police, Abba Kyari, to investigate and track down the armed robbers.

It was revealed that the Ogun State Annex of the IRT, was swiftly deployed to investigate and track down the suspects .

Few days later, they arrested one of the users of the mobile phones carted away during the robbery operation.

The suspect confessed that he got the mobile phone from one of Pa Olutokunbo wife's killers, who he identified as Akinola Akeem.

A manhunt was launched for Akeem. He was eventually arrested.

During interrogation, he allegedly confessed to the crime.

He narrated how they carried out within robbery operations in Ijebu Mushin area of Ogun State, including the killing of Pa Olutokunbos's wife.

He led the IRT operatives to arrested his younger brother, Muiyiwa, who also took part in the killing and their native doctor, Oduntan Moses, who prepared charms for them before their operation.

A source who took part in the operation that led to the arrests revealed on the condition anonymity that Oduntan usually consult his oracle and fortify members of the gang with charms before sending them out to operate.

The source said; "The incident occurred on the 15 March, 2020, and we learned that members of the gang invaded the residence of Pa Olutokunbo, of Ikala Village in Ijebu Mushin area of Ogun state and during the robbery, the sum of N550, 000, three mobile phones, were taken from the home and while the robbery was on, Pa Olutkunbo,'s wife who is 72- year-old, Christiana Olutunkbo, started shouting for help, one of the robbers, named Akinola Mayowa, pulled the old woman into one of their rooms and strangled her to death. His brother, Akinola Akeem, who is also a member of the gang, attempted to kill Pa Olutokunbo, but the old man pretended to have died and the robbers left with believe, he was dead. The case was reported at Itamogiri Police Station and Mrs. Olutokunbo's corpse was moved to the Mortuary. While on the 20 March, 2020, a son to the man Femi Olutukunbo, whose is a resident of United Kingdom sent a petition to the Inspector General of Police. The Ogun State annex was asked to investigate and they swung into action and they succeeded in arresting the users of one of the robbed phones. Akeem Akinola, who took part in the armed robbery and murder was arrested. He led us to arrest Mayowa, his brother and Oduntan Moses AKA Koba, the native doctor.

They all confessed taking part in the crime. Further confessions of the gang revealed that Oduntan prepare charms and fortify members of the gang before they go for any operation by consulting his oracle called Osunyi and all proceed of the robbery are usually brought before him before it will be shared. We are currently making efforts to arrest other members of the gang who at large." He stated.

Mayowa Akiola, 29, he native of Ijebu Mushin area of Ogun state, while narrating how he killed Pa Olutokunbo's wife, stated that he and his brother took to crime because they were frustrated with life. He said; "I am a motorcycle rider and I have gone for three robbery operations and I killed a woman in my last operation. I and my younger brother formed the gang because we are frustrated. Robbers had in the past stole two of my motorcycles and I got frustrated. The first place I robbed, I

got N5000, the second house I got N9,000. The third was at Ikala, where we killed the old woman. Before I went for that robbery I went to Koba, a powerful native doctor in my community to prepare charms for me and my brother. We got information about Pa Olutokunbo, because he talked carelessly. He was in a bar and was talking about the money he has in his house.

The man talked carelessly and my brother over heard the man talking about the money he has in house in a bar and we went and consulted a native doctor to prepare charms for us so that we will succeed in the operation. We asked Koba, to check if the man has the money in his house and he said yes and we asked him to give us charms that will enable us appear inside the man's house.