

Gunmen Shoot Dead 65-Year-Old Man In Ebonyi

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Mr Nathaniel Onwe, a 65-year-old man from Ishielu Ishielu Local Government Area of Ebonyi State, has been shot dead by unknown assailants who attacked him and his 25-year-old wife in their compound.

It was gathered that the incident took place on Tuesday, at about 9:30pm.

The assailants, it was gathered, shot the man on his chest and shot the wife on the leg before they left.

When contacted, the Police Public Relations

Officer, Mrs Loveth Odah, confirmed the incident to our Correspondent on Thursday.

The police spokesman, said, "Around 9:30pm (on Wednesday), two un-identified gunmen invaded the house of one Nathaniel Onwe, aged 65 and his wife who, is aged 25 years. While they were discussing at the sit-out in front of the compound, gunmen shot at the man at his chest and also shot the wife on the leg."

"They abandoned the victims in the pool of their own blood and escaped into the bush from the backyard where they came from."