

# Assailants Kill Housewife, Pound Her Toddlers In Kano

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A 24-year-old housewife, Rukaya Mustapha of Danbare town, opposite BUK new site was at weekend murdered in cold blood by yet to be identified assailants.

The incident which occurred at her matrimonial home around 7:00 pm on Saturday also left her two children, a three-year-old and a one-and-half-year-old beaten to a pulp by the killers.

Already, the Kano State Po-

lice command has arrested 5 suspects in connection with the dastardly act.

Kano Deputy Governor, Nasiru Yusuf Gawuna, who paid a condolence visit to the deceased family on Monday, expressed outrage over the unfortunate development.

Gawuna, who was accompanied by the Police Commissioner, Habu Sani, and the Director, Department of State Services lamented that the murder is coming at a time when Kano is still mourning the sad killing of five-year-old Hanifa Abubakar by her

teacher.

Mr Gawuna warned, "Government will not tolerate unwholesome acts coming at a time when we are doing all we can to ensure peace in Kano.

He explained that Governor Ganduje is ready to sign the death warrant of the killer of Hanifa Abubakar".

The Police Commissioner, Mr Habu Sani explained that they have uncovered that drug addiction was responsible for the heinous crimes and that is why they have since arrested many drug peddlers.