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10 Killed In Intra-Cult Clash

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The busy neighbourhood of Owina Quarters, off Ekenwan road, Benin City, Edo State, was Saturday night deserted following a bloody clash among friends said to be members of the dreaded Eiye confraternity, which claimed 10 lives

At least six members of the group were said to be on the danger list at an undisclosed hospital around the Ekenwan road axis where they are being treated of knife and bottle injuries sustained in the clash.

Trouble reportedly started when one Chris and Uwaila, both members of the group, engaged themselves in an argument over paying respect to an uncle's wife

Uwaila was said to have openly challenged Chris over the inability of the latter to greet his uncle's wife when she came to pay a visit to them during a burial ceremony in Owina.

Not satisfied by his response that he owes her no obligation to greet her, Uwaila whom it was learnt was already tipsy with alcohol, picked two beer bottles, broke them and stabbed his victim on both sides of his ribs.