

## Suspected Cultists Kill Farmer, 3 Others In Delta Community

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Suspected cult members rampaging Isoko North local government area of Delta State have allegedly killed a farmer identified as Thom Evon and three others after they were starved and dispossessed of their GSM phones, following a minor quarrel.

Police spokesman in the state, DSP Charles Muka, said the farmer was rushed to a nearby clinic after the incident but died few minutes before treatment could be administered on him by the doctors.

LEADERSHIP reliably gathered that cult related war has pervasively spread across the Uzere community and its environs with no fewer than six persons feared killed in the last three weeks.

But speaking further DSP Muka said the man died after bleeding profusely from his nose, adding that the police were determined to rid the area of all forms of criminality including cult related activities.

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