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Bricks-laden Truck Crushes Student Nurse

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Tragedy struck yesterday in Makurdi, Benue State, when a truck fully loaded with bricks crushed and killed a student nurse who was returning from work.

The deceased, identified as Faith Odufu was a part two student of the state School of Nursing and Midwifery, Makurdi, and was attached to the Federal Medical Centre, Wadata area of the state for internship, before the incident.

The incident, it was gathered occurred at about noon, at the Aper Aku Stadium Junction, Barracks Road, a busy highway in the state capital.

Witnesses told LEADERSHIP that the driver of the truck which was coming from the opposite direction, lost control of the vehicle, probably because of failed brakes before finally knocking down the commercial motorcycle which was conveying the deceased.

One of the witnesses, Soonen Ninga who said the deceased died at the spot, also said the corpse was removed from the road by passersby and men of the police.

Gunmen Kill Widow, Injure 1 In Jos



Father Beats Son

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An angry father, Mr. Chris Elvis who resides at No 7, Adetola Adelaja Street