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Police Arrest Monarch, Others Over Woman's Alleged Murder

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Residents of Ojo area of Lagos are living in anxiety following the gruesome murder of 24-year-old housewife, Faith Elo Ibrahim, and subsequent arrest of the traditional ruler of Mebamu Kingdom, Chief Mosiu Adio Hassan, and four others over the alleged murder of a woman.

LEADERSHIP Weekend gathered that the suspects were nabbed by the officers of the Lagos police command at Okokomaiko Division in Lagos State.

It was gathered that the murdered lady was allegedly shot alongside her husband, Bashiru Ibrahim, while they were returning from the market by the security aides of the Baale.

The woman was said to have died a few days after from the gunshot wounds, while her husband survived the attack.

To conceal the heinous act that took place at Mechanic Bus Stop near the Baale's palace in Mebamu area in Ojo Local Government Area of Lagos, the woman was secretly buried in the area without her husband's knowledge.

It was alleged that Ibrahim was still in a hospital recovering from the gun shot wounds, when the suspects allegedly buried his wife.

Narrating his ordeals to journalists, Ibrahim said he went to the market to buy some food items with his late wife on the fateful day and was attacked when returning home.

He said they were accosted by some men with cutlass and guns close to his house and the Baale's palace.

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