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Fire: Man Roasted By Mysterious Fire In A/Ibom

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Tragedy struck weekend at Ikot Oku Mfang in Abak local government area of Akwa Ibom when a 46-year-old man, Mfon Daniel Nduke was roasted alive by a mysterious fire.

Property worth millions of naira were also destroyed in the fire incident on the eight bed-room apartment.

Witnesses told LEADERSHIP that the fire which started at about 9pm when the man who was already asleep, burnt him completely before men of the state fire service arrived to put out the fire.

Narrating the incident, elder brother of the victim and owner of the building said the cause of the fire was still a mystery.

According to him, members of the household were in bed when they suddenly began to feel like there was smoke in the room and before long, the entire house was covered in smoke.

"As you can see, all my property including that of my wife and children have been completely consumed by the fire and to add more to the pains, I lost my brother," he said.

Although the cause of the fire could not be immediately ascertained, it was believed that it may have been caused by a kerosene lamp.

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