

Jungle justice: Motorcycle Snatcher Burnt To Death In Niger

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An unidentified man was Friday night burnt to ashes in Nda-zagbo area of Bida, Niger State for attempting to snatch a motorcycle of a commercial motorcyclist who took him to the area.

It was learnt that the commercial motorcyclist took the deceased from the main town to Nda-zagbo area located at the back of Umaru Ndayako Hospital Bida but suddenly he cut the motorcyclist on the back with a machet.

The commercial cyclist it was gathered shouted from the pain of the cut which attracted people who came out to see that the man was trying to snatch the motorcycle from him.

Infuriated by the development the mob that had built up suddenly rescued the commercial motorcyclist from the motorcycle snatcher and attacked him by pouring petrol on him and setting him ablaze and then allowed him to be burnt to ashes.

It was gathered that the Nda-zagbo area of Bida was known for snatching of motor cycles and other notorious activities and the residents of the area have always been living in fears until they decided to take the law into their hand Friday night.

A senior police officer in Bida who does not want his name to be mentioned confirmed the incident but stated that no arrest was made because the mob dispersed before the police arrived the area but however stated that the police was investigating the incident.