

TRAGEDY: Man, 29, Stoned To Death In Ilorin

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A 29-year-old DSTV installer, Ahmed Saheed has died due to injuries he sustained from stones allegedly hauled at him by some guests at Peace Hotel, Ilorin, Kwara State.

The victim was said to have slumped while reporting the attack on him at the Adewole police station, Ilorin.

Ahmed according to sources was confirmed dead at a private hospital where he was rushed to for medical attention.

It was gathered that a disagreement ensued on Tuesday between the management of the hotel and members

of Okesuna community where the deceased was a resident over allegations that some people threw faeces into the hotel premises.

And in return, guests who were said to be relaxing at the hotel at the time of the incident, allegedly responded by hauling stones at the residents which reportedly hit the deceased where he was sitting down making a phone call.

The deceased was said to have fainted after he was hit on the head by the stone.

He was however said to have been resuscitated after which he and some other aggrieved youths went to the police station to lodge a formal complaint.

"In a swift response about six police men were deployed to the scene of the incident to arrest the culprits. But before the police could arrive the scene, they all scaled through the fence and escaped", said a source.

Following the death of the man, aggrieved youths in the area yesterday mobilized themselves and locked up all hotels in the area, alleging that they have been harbouring criminals for sometime.

Following the escape of the culprits, the manager of the hotel and one other person were said to have been arrested and detained by police at the Adewole police station.

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