

# NEWS

## Mark mourns *The Nation* photographer

From Augustine Ehikioya  
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SENATE President David Mark yesterday expressed his condolence on the death of *The Nation* photographer.

A letter to the family, signed by the Special Adviser (Media and Communication) to the Senate President, Mr. Kola Ologbondiyan, described the late Ore as a core professional who was dedicated to his job.

The March 23 letter reads in part: "I remember the fond memories and camaraderie with your father while he was alive. He was a fine gentleman and a core professional who took his job with much passion and commitment.

"His exit at this time is painful, but we take solace in the fact that your father lived an exemplary life worthy of emulation."

## Gunmen kill don

From Adekunle Jimoh,  
Ilorin

GUNMEN have killed a lecturer at the University of Ilorin (UNILORIN).

Mallam Mutiu Adebayo, a law lecturer, was killed on Monday evening.

The gunmen, suspected to be armed robbers, trailed him to his home in Ago-Oba, a suburb of Ilorin, where they shot at him at a close range.

Neighbours were said to have found him in front of his three-bedroom apartment.

Sympathisers rushed him to the University of Ilorin Teaching Hospital (UITH), but he was said to have died before getting to the hospital.

The remains of the deceased were interred yesterday according to Islamic rites at the Kwara State Muslim Cemetery in Ilorin.

Kwara State Commissioner of Police, Mr. Donald Iroham, confirmed the incident.

He said investigations had begun into the case.

He promised that the state police command would work round the clock to unmask the killers of the lecturer.