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A soldier, identified as Corporal Agbo, attached to the Brigadier Ally Military Brigade, Ogoja, Cross River State on Sunday allegedly knocked down two persons with his vehicle. His girlfriend, who was in the vehicle, died in the accident.

Eyewitnesses said the soldier was believed to be drunk.

It was gathered that Agbo had carried his girlfriend, Christiana Michael Imo to Okuku, the town close to the Brigade to attend the Yala New Yam festival celebration, got drunk and decided to drive back, against the advice of his friends.

His friend, Owonye, said: "He was drunk and we advised him to allow someone drive the car to the barracks for him but he refused; it was while he was going back on top speed that he hit an Okada and the car ran into a tree killing the two boys on the Okada and his girlfriend."

It was learnt the girl was a mother of two.

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