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Two arrested for 'killing' Grandmother

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•*Driver 'rapes' passenger*

The Delta State Police Command says it has arrested two suspected ritualists for allegedly strangulating a 74-year-old grandmother.

The suspects buried the deceased in a shallow grave behind her shop at former Toll Gate in Asaba, the state capital, the police said.

Its spokesman, Andrew Aniamaka, a Deputy Superintendent (DSP) said the suspects were apprehended following a tip-off.

He said the suspects live in Omeregboma and Odozi Obodo market axis in Oshimili South Local Government Area.

“The two suspects strangled the victim to death and later buried her in a shallow grave close to her store near the former Toll Gate,” Aniamaka said.

In a related development, the police have arrested a 38-year-old commercial bus driver for allegedly raping a 29-year-old woman.

Aniamaka said the suspect was in police custody.

He said the victim boarded a commercial bus from Onitsha to Asaba en route Olomoro, Isoko South Local Government Area.

He said the victim boarded the bus at about 9.30 am, but on getting to Koka junction in Asaba, the driver prevailed on her to spend the night in his room because it was too late to continue the journey to Olomoro.

“On getting to Aniamaka’s residence, he tied the victim’s hands with a cloth, started the electricity generating set and increasing the volume of his stereo system before raping her. The victim escaped from the house while the suspect was in deep sleep and reported the matter to the local vigilance group in the area,” he said.

