

# Herdsman kill six traders in Taraba market

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Suspected herdsman on Tuesday struck at a suburb of Jalingo, the Taraba State capital, killing six traders at Iware market.

It was gathered that the deceased were also robbed of their cash.

Five of the victims are natives of Mayo-Lope, Lau local government area of Taraba State where scores were massacred and several others injured by herdsman few days ago.

The other victim, whose name was given as Ethan Nast, is said to be a resident of Damsa local government area of Adamawa State.

A dependable source said the men, already displaced by crisis involving Fulani herdsman in their area (Lau) on Tuesday came to Iware market with their cows to sell, do some other businesses and alleviate their suffering.

“They were trailed by their assailants all the way from Mayo-Lope where they set off, to Iware where they were hacked to death at the market,” the source said the killers disappeared immediately after their onslaught.

Sources said the killers invaded the market as though they were traders.