## Police arrest 23-year-old for allegedly killing step mother

Nasarawa State has arrested one Ahmed Abdullahi, 23, for allegedly stabbing his stepmother to death.

The command's Public Relations Officer, Mr. Ramhan Nansel, told the News Agency of Nigeria (NAN) in Lafia yesterday that the suspect committed the offence at about 11 p.m. on Friday at Ungwan-Yakubu, Agyaragu village, in Obi Local Government Area of the state.

According to the police spokesman, the suspect escaped from the scene of the incident and went into hiding, but was fished out yesterday morning.

He said the suspect was about to be lynched by people of the village before the police intervened and took him into custody.

He said the police had launched an investigation to ascertain the motive behind the alleged murder.

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