

Police kill 4 robbers in Benue

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WITHIN two days, the
Benue State Police Command



MR. MIKE OKIRO....Police
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has killed four armed robbers during gun battle following the invasion of their hideouts along Vandeikya/Adikpo road in Benue State; *New Nigerian* in Makurdi reports.

New Nigerian gathered that the armed robbers during one of their operations shot a police constable Mohammed Umaru and his elder brother before they went on to unleash mayhem on them.

According to *New Nigerian* source, the anti-crime squad of the command got wind of the robbers' operation base in Vandeikya/Kwande road in Kwande Local Government Council Area of Benue State and in the process two were killed while others escaped.

In a telephone interview with NN, the police public relations officer, ASP Samuel Jinadu confirmed the story, saying that a locally made revolver pistol and some cartridges were found in their positions.

The PPRO also disclosed that the police team in Otukpo town in Otukpo Local Government Council of the state also killed two out of four who robbed one Mrs. Felicia Eze of N20,000 and handsets at a gun point.

He said the men of the command are battle ready to confront these evil men of underworld and solicited for more co-operations from the members of the public.