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Destroy bandit camps in Kaduna, Zamfara

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TROOPS of 29 Task Force Brigade on clearance operations of remnants of Boko Haram terrorists, on Sunday, rescued a 80-year-old man in Shaltimari village, Borno State.

According to a statement by the acting Director, Army Public Relations, Colonel Sani Usman, the elderly man, Mallam Ibrahim Matuk, stated that he suffered untold hardship in the hands of the Boko Haram terrorists who killed all his children while in captivity.

Also, the troops of 1 Division of Nigerian Army had intensified clearance operations against cattle rustlers and armed bandits in Kaduna and Zamfara states.

Within the last four days, they have killed two notorious cattle rustlers suspected to have killed seven innocents persons in Bungudu Local Government Area of Zamfara State.

They also arrested five armed bandits who had been declared wanted and recovered arms and ammunition from them before destroying their camps.

The troops, according to Colonel Usman, also conducted a clearance operation in Kuduru, Birnin Gwari Local Government Area of Kaduna State, where they arrested five cattle rustlers, recovered arms and ammunition and then destroyed the armed bandits camps.

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