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## How we used DELSU female student, four others for money rituals —Suspects

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**S**USPECTED killers of Elozino Joshualia Ogege, a 300-level female student of the Delta State University, Abraka, have revealed how they lured their victims to death for money rituals.

The body of Miss Ogege was found buried in a bush at Umege by suspected 'Yahoo boys' who allegedly abducted her with the connivance of a security guard, Mr Onos Ekana, who manned his duty post at the Site III campus of DELSU.

Ekana, it was gathered, gave the police the lead which led to the arrest of two other suspects who resided in Umege, a settlement in

burn the heart and pound it to make powdery substance out of it. It is the powder that he would give us, which we would apply before speaking to our victims to make money from them.

"Any wealthy woman we approach used to oblige us and provides money for us," Desmond narrated.

Giving details of how Miss Ogege fell into their trap, another member of the gang, the security guard, Ekana, said it began when he offered to assist the victim secure an accommodation off-campus.

"I was contacted by Desmond and another person to

provide a female student for rituals.

"We had planned it, and when Elozino approached me that she was looking for accommodation, I saw it as a good opportunity.

"I contacted Desmond, who told me to tell her to come back the following day. So the following day, they brought a Corolla car, and when Elozino came, they used something to wipe her face, which made her unconscious.

"We took her to a bush where we first plucked out one of her eyes while she was still alive.

"She was even crying and begging us to forgive her and let her go, but we plucked the other eye, removed her breasts and heart before she died," the security guard disclosed.

He had earlier reportedly confessed that the ritual killers promised him a monthly pay of N30,000 if the plot sailed through.

The Supervisor, Uche Nwaosisi, who heads a security company that usually posts guards to the university as gathered, denied knowledge of the crime, stating that he was among those who chased and caught

Ekana when the police came after him.

"When all these were happening, Ekana threatened to implicate me for assisting the police to catch him.

"When the police arrested him, they discovered two mobile phones on him, one of which he claimed I sold to him. That was my involvement," Nwaosisi stated.

On his part, the herbalist, identified as Robinson, claimed that Ogege's heart and eyes were the first parts he got from the gang.

According to the herbalist, his first time of meeting the boys was seven years ago

when they brought an accident victim to him for an alternative medical treatment.

He further noted that when Ogege's body parts were brought to him, he was rewarded with N10,000, while the boys promised to add more if he succeeded in enriching them.

The boys, the herbalist disclosed, eventually brought additional N130,000, adding that it was then he discovered they even possessed luxury buildings.

He said with this gesture, he prayed for them to succeed in their business endeavours.

**Nigerian Tribune**, however, gathered that one of the suspects allegedly slumped and died when the police were closing in on him.

