

# Man, wife-to-be found dead in Kano apartment few days to wedding

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**T**HERE was shock at Unguwar Gaya area of Badawa quarters in Kano city on Wednesday when a man and his wife-to-be were found dead in their apartment.

According to a **BBC** Hausa report, the incident oc-

curred just a few days to the couple's wedding.

The couple were said to have been found dead in the kitchen at about 10:00 p.m.

Speaking on the incident, the state Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), DSP Abdullahi Haruna Kiyawa, said when police detectives arrived at the scene, the

couple were found unconscious.

Kiyawa said they were then taken to the Murtala Muhammad Specialist Hospital, where doctors later certified them dead.

The police spokesperson gave the names of the lovers as Auwalu Abdullahi (25) and Sadiya Yahaya (19).

He said the state Commis-

sioner of Police, Habu Ahmed Sani, has ordered an investigation into the likely cause of the couple's death.

He further revealed that a post-mortem examination is currently being carried out.

The father of the man, however, said the couple might have been suffocated by fumes from a generating set in their apartment.