

Gunmen kill three, injure another three in Plateau

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THREE persons were killed and three others injured on Sunday at Hukke community of Miango district in Bassa Local Government Area of Plateau State following an invasion of the community by gunmen suspected to be herdsmen.

According to a statement signed by the Secretary-General, Irigwe Development Association, Mr Danjuma Auta, and made available to **Nigerian Tribune**, the attackers stormed Hukke community at about 9:45 p.m. on Sunday and shot dead the three persons, while another three sustained gunshot injuries.

Auta said in recent time, the Irigwe people had been coming under attack, adding that the recent ones were

at Twin Hills two weeks ago where two persons were killed, while another person sustained gunshot injury.

He added further that another four persons were also killed at Ribakwa village within the same period.

Those killed in Sunday's attack were identified as Barry Ive (42), Isaiah Gado (45) and Weyi Chonu (40), while Bosco Gbere, Barnabas Lundi and Moses Bombo are now receiving treatment in the hospital for gunshot injuries.

Auta, therefore, called on security agencies to fish out those responsible for the incessant attacks on the Irigwe people.

When contacted, the Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO) in the state, Gabriel Ogaba, who confirmed the incident, said normalcy had been restored to the community.