

12 burnt to death, four others injured in Kano auto crash

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NO fewer than 12 people, were burnt to death, while four others sustained injuries during an auto crash which occurred along Kano -Kaduna road on Monday.

An eyewitness informed journalists that the accident that occurred around 3.00pm at Tsamawa town in Garun

Malam Local Government Area, in Kano State was as a result of head-on collision between two commercial vehicles.

While confirming the incident to journalists, spokesperson for Kano State Fire Service, Saminu Yusuf said "our fire station at Kura Local Government received emergency call at about 15:00hrs from one

Isah Mai Fetur, who reported a road accident at Tsamawa Town in Garun Malam Local Government Area."

"All victims rescued unconscious and found dead by the fire incident cannot be identified by their names and age due to the fire incident that accompanied the auto crash," he stated.

According to Yusuf, "when

our men from Kura reached the area at about 15:12hrs, we found that two commercial vehicles, a **Toyota Hiace** bus collided with J5 bus and were engulfed by fire. Not less than 12 people were involved, 11 from the Hiace bus, which was coming from Zaria road to Kano, and one person inside the J5 bus, which was going to Kaduna from Kano."