

Woman stabbed to death while separating fight during vigil in Lagos

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A Good Samaritan was at the weekend stabbed to death while separating a fight in Abaranje area of Lagos State.

The deceased, identified as Rachael Johnson, was separating a fight during a crusade organised by a church when she was stabbed.

A police source at Ikotun police station who pleaded anonymity while speaking with the *Nigerian Tribune*, said the incident was reported at the station.

The source stated that the matter was reported at the station by the husband of the deceased, Okerube Johnson.

He said: "He [the husband] told us that while his wife

was separating the fight, one of them, stabbed her in the neck with a sharp object and she started bleeding.

"She was immediately rushed to Igando General Hospital but efforts to revive her failed as she bled to death."

The police source added that "her body was deposited at Mainland General Hospital mortuary, Yaba, for autopsy, while efforts are being made to arrest the fleeing perpetrator."

The state Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Benjamin Hundeyin, confirmed the incident.

He said investigations had already commenced into the incident.