

# Four killed in Kogi road crash

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**F**our persons, including two pastors of the Evangelical Church of West Africa, were killed on Friday morning when their car had a head-on collision with another vehicle at Irepeni along Okene- Lokoja Road, Kogi State.

The pastors were returning from the Oke-Aki area of the state where they had gone to make arrangement ahead of the burial of the mother of one of them scheduled to take place on April 20, 2017 when the

incident happened.

Eyewitnesses said that the driver of the Nissan car lost control of the vehicle after one of its tyres blew out on high speed, ramming into a motorcyclist and a Toyota Sienna bus.

A police patrol team assisted in moving other victims to the hospital for treatment.

The Kogi State Commandant, Federal Road Safety Corp, Olusegun Marthins, who confirmed the incident, said the bodies had been deposited in the mortuary of the Federal Medical Centre, Lokoja, the capital.