

## Taraba: Police arrest four suspects for killing father, daughter

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The Taraba Police Command yesterday said it had arrested four suspects in connection with the killing of Bernard Zaakaa and his four-year-old daughter, Mimidoo Bernard, at Gazabu village in Bali Local Government Area of the state. Zaakaa and his daughter were alleged to have been shot dead on March 18 at about 7.30 pm at their residence in Gazabu by suspected herdsmen.

Spokesman for the Command, Mr. David Misal told journalists in Jalingo, the state capital, that apart from the murder of Zaakaa and his daughter, one Geoffrey Oguda, a resident of the village also sustained injuries from gun shots during the attack. He noted that on receiving the report of the attack, the police and the Local Vigilance Group in the area commenced a search for the suspected criminals in which four of them were apprehended in their hideout.

According to the Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), the police had recovered two Dane guns, nine cartridges, two extended cartridges and some gun powder from the suspects.