

Teenager kills sibling with broken glass in Bauchi

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An 18 year-old man, Abdurahman Sulaiman yesterday killed his blood brother, Auwal Sulaiman, in Unguwar Masalacin Mujaddadi behind popular area Games Village complex, Bauchi.

An eye witness, Abdullahi Aminu, said, "The incident started at about 10:45 am between the two brothers when the elder brother Auwal asked his younger brother, Abdullahi to remove and give him his short that he was wearing, but the younger brother refused to give him, argument started leading to a fight between them, and the younger brother used a broken glass to stab his elder brother in the stomach, which resulted in his death."

Corroborating the story, the Uncle to the victim, Garba Yakubu Kariya, who also spoke on the situation, said the incident was very unfortunate, because they are from the same blood, the same father, the same mother, but one killed the other.

• He noted that, upon the arrival of their father to the house and after seeing the dead body of the son Ab-

durahman, he fell on ground and was immediately rushed to specialist hospital in Bauchi, where he is receiving treatment.

Also speaking, Kamariya Alhassan, the elder brother to the victim, said the development was the handiwork of the devil that came between them which caused the death of Auwal who was a humble and quiet boy, "this is a very sad situation, sad moment for the family"

New Telegraph also reports that the suspect Auwal was handed over to the police for further investigation.

Meanwhile, the Bauchi State Commissioner of Police, Umar Mamman Sanda who confirmed the incident to journalists during his familiarisation visit to the NUJ secretariat, said the police has already arrested the suspect and he will be charged to court to face the wrath of the law.

CP Sanda however lamented the increasing rate of murder cases in the state, and solicited the assistance of journalist to the State Police Command towards enlightening and educating the general public against the danger of murder, jungle justice.