

# Ekiti: Suspected cultists on rampage, kill 2

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**S**uspected cultists on Monday evening went on rampage at the Atundaolu-Irona area of the city of Ado-Ekiti, Ekiti State, and killed a man, simply identified as Ajagbe.

It was gathered that the assailants had earlier killed a man identified as Obo in the area.

Ajagbe also known as Alfa and said to be in his middle-age was a staunch Islamic faithful, he was reportedly attacked while heading home passing through the area.

It was gathered that the suspected cultists shot at the man and when they realised the bullets were not having effect on him, they broke his skull with a big stone.

A source close to the area who also knew the deceased said, "he was known to be a gentleman who cannot hurt a fly."

Obo was killed a day before the incident at the post office/old garage area of the town.

A source claimed that the killing was a "reprisal attack by cult group". The source said, "Alfa was returning home around 6:30 to 7pm p.m to break his fast when he was waylaid and attacked by the persons believed to be cultists in Atundaolu area, very close to a brothel in Irona Street.

"He was a perfect gentle and an easy going person who doesn't foment trouble. Everyone is wondering why such attack was visited on him.

"The man was buried this morning (Tuesday), but I couldn't attend the burial because of the familiarity and his person to me," the source stated.

When contacted on the killings, the Police Public Relations Officer, DSP Abutu Sunday promised to get back to our Correspondent on the matter.