

# Dunamis pastor killed in Benue church collapse

From Hope Abah  
Emmanuel, Makurdi

at the Command  
Headquarters in  
Makurdi.

**A** pastor with Dunamis Church, Sunday Ezekiel Ahmed, was killed after the church building collapsed at the North Bank vicinity of Makurdi metropolis in Benue State, on Tuesday.

State Commissioner of Police, CP Batholomew Onyeka, confirmed the incident while briefing newsmen in his office

Onyeka said, "One person died in the North Bank building collapse."

The commissioner also confirmed four people injured in the collapse building incident.

Witnesses however said that the church located at Mission Ward North Bank in Makurdi, held a service on Monday night and that the pastor was left behind with few

others who were praying.

"Following the rainfall afterwards, they couldn't leave to their homes so they continued in their prayers when suddenly the church building collapsed at about 3am today (Tuesday) and killed the pastor," a witness simply identified as Kole narrated.

A resident of the area said the pastor hailed from the eastern part of Kogi State and married to an Akwa Ibom woman.

Yesterday, Senior Pastor of Dunamis International Gospel Centre (DIGC), Paul Eneche, visited the collapsed branch of his church in Makurdi, Benue State.

Eneche, who arrived in company of his wife, Becky few minutes after 6pm went around the collapsed structure to see things for himself.

He offered prayers afterward while urging people to take solace over the sad incident.