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## Suspected Fulani militants kill 3 cousins of Benue PPRO, pregnant woman, 3 others

**S**uspected Fulani militants on Sunday again launched a twin deadly attack on two communities in Gwer West Local Government Area of Benue State, killing three cousins of the state Police Command's spokesperson, Catherine Sewuese Anene and four other persons including a pregnant woman.

The attack and killing came barely five days after the terrorists made an incursion into Agagbe in the same local government where they killed three Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs).

In the latest attack, the communities attacked are: Tse Gamber in Sengev council ward and Camp

Nagi in Mbachohon council ward, a settlement along Naka-Agagbe road.

Four people were murdered in Tse Gamber in Sengev council ward, while three others were killed at Camp Nagi in Mbachohon council ward.

The Police Command's spokesperson, Anene, hails from Gwer West Local Government Area.

Sources from the area told *New Telegraph* that the herders who were armed to the teeth and numbering more than 10, launched the attack in the evening, adding that scores of other people were injured.

The source said as at the time of filing this report, that corpses of those killed were yet to be recovered from the bush for fear of being killed by the arsonists who usually lay siege in the bush from where they come out for attack.

Another source who pleaded anonymity said, "among those killed was a pregnant woman".

The state police Command's spokesperson, Catherine Anene, a Superintendent of Police, confirmed the incident.

The PPRO further said, "that is my village. Three of my cousins were killed, that is the total number."



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