Sex worker stabs customer to death over money

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suspected sex worker, identified as Joy Kelvin, has been arrested, accused of stabbing her client, one Okafor, 48, to death over money at Jakande, Lekki area of Lagos State.

Confirming the story, the Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), SP Benjamin Hundeyin, in a statement yesterday said on

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nine children, lives at Jeddo Community in Okpe Local Government Area of the state with his wife.

He was said to have had a quarrel with his wife and she threatened to pack out of his house.

He was said to have later pleaded with her to remain with him, but she allegedly refused.

Out of depression, he drank the toxic substance and thereafter went to his in-law's residence at Ugbo-kodoaxis of the council area to die.

Prior to committing suicide, he was member of Jeddo Community Vigilante (JCV).

October 7, at about 7:20pm, a friend of the deceased reported at Ilasan Police Division about the incident.

Hundeyin said the deceased friend said on the same date at about 5:32am, he got a phone call from one of his friends, that Okafor who was also his friend was stabbed in his house at the Jakande Housing Estate, Lekki area of the state by one Joy Kelvin, sex worker.

The deceased was said to have brought the prostitute home when disagreement ensued between them and she stabbed him in the process.

The Police Spokesperson added that the victim was immediately rushed to the General Hospital, Marina, Lagos Island, where he was confirmed dead by the medical doctor on duty on the same day.

On receipt of the information, the scene was visited by the detectives from the division and photographs were taken and the corpse was evacuated and deposited at the general hospital mortuary, Yaba, for preservation, autopsy and the suspect had been arrested, while efforts are on to locate the deceased family members.