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BY NDAHI MARAMA, Maiduguri

A policeman was killed by unknown gunmen at the wedding of his two daughters in Damboa town in Damboa local government area of Borno State, local sources said yesterday, saying the incident happened on Friday.

Residents told our correspondent that the deceased policeman was shot dead in front of his house while conducting the wedding Fatiha of his daughters shortly after the Friday congregation prayer(Jumat). It was gathered that the policeman ran from the town for months following death threat sent to him by unknown persons only to return to the town last week in order to marry out his daughters.

"He came back last week to marry out his two daughters but was shot dead on Friday after Jumat while the wedding was going on", a resident who did not want to be named said. Our reporter learnt that the deceased officer was from Michika local government area of Adamawa State but resident in Damboa. In another development, a telecommunications network mast has been burnt down in Ajigin village, an outskirts of Damboa local government area.

Locals said that the Airtel's mast, was just repaired Thursday, was burnt for the second time. No official statement on the two incidents and efforts to get the Borno police spokesman, DSP Gideon Jibrin, were not successful as at the time of filing this report.

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For your information,I'm a gainfully employed Nigerian,I don't need your blood money.Its your brother,abiamone,that provoked that my comment.Its obvious you people bear much hatred against the Yoruba man,yet a sizeable portion of your population live and thrive in our land.What has the Awolowos got to do with the BH terror?

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what a pity! it was supposed to be his day of joy but it rather turned out to be the day he met his waterloo. But having known that there was a threat to his life, he would have opted for a more security conscious approach. on the burning of mast, ever since I came to UK I have never since a mast and we all make calls with our mobile phones and there are more telecom companies in UK than in Nigeria. It's high time the telephone companies borrowed a leaf from how it was done in UK so that those idiots who does not want anything good in their land will not see what to destroy.

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He was constantly urging holy war to his followers, but when it came to his own family bin Laden was privately advocating something quite different. He advised that his 20-year-old son Hamza should leave the drone-infested Pakistani tribal regions to further his religious training in the Persian Gulf kingdom of Qatar, which happens to be, per capita, the richest country in the world. Bin Laden added that if two of his other sons, Othman and Mohamed, should ever leave Iran, where they were living in exile, he would also advise them to steer clear of Pakistan's tribal areas. (Bin Laden noted that one of his sons, Ladin, had already been allowed to exit Iran to travel to Syria).

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Tunji Olarewaju • 3 months ago

And what did Zik or Ojukwu did for your people other than bring pogroms and civil war on your stupid heads?Hausas are killing you fools but you bear grudge against Yorubas that haboured and is still habouring you fool,what warped reasoning!

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eshe_70@yahoo.com → Tunji Olarewaju • 3 months ago

You are sick in the head. You must be a frustrated/unemployed Yoruba man. I can give you a little help to ameliorate your miserable state.

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Mooney247 → Tunji Olarewaju • 3 months ago

they are killing everybody not just Igbos please.....

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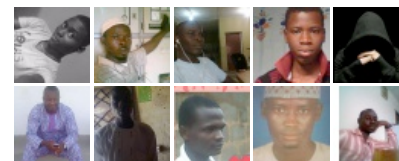
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In the North of Nigeria people are so intellectually lazy that they forget their own names. Knowing terrorists takes too much brain power. Ignorance is bliss. The nincompoops can't see through the message they want us to believe. Wise asses the whole lot are.

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rasheedat • 3 months ago

Wat a pity nd so sad may God forgive us oiur sin

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abiamone • 3 months ago

While Jonathan offers financial assistance to the Awolowos, his security officers are gunned down with impunity.

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Edumomoh → abiamone • 3 months ago

Na wa for u!!

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NaijaneedstoReason → abiamone • 3 months ago

What has awolowo got to do with Boko Haram? Your blind hatred will just give you high blood pressure. Like it or not, In the annals of Nigerian History Awolowo is a name to reckon it. Try and make yours one instead of dying over somebody else's name. Mtc Chew

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goziee → NaijaneedstoReason • 3 months ago

i know, mention awolowo and poor people that cannot point to a benefit from awo will be ready to die, go to ikenne, the water done by awolowo is generally rejected by all the community and forbid all their children yet unborn from drinking out of it. yet some fools are at a distance reacting whenever awo is been mentioned. mmmcheeeeewwwww

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FYI, My father was able to go to school and lift us and his immediate family from grass because of Awolowo. If that is not enough reason to fight for the man, then i don't know what it. Like i said before, a whole generation of people owe their success and that of their children to the man. He has left a legacy for us. What will you do for yours?

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