Herdsmen kill 3 in Ogun, steal Esusu funds

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ABEOKUTA — Suspected herdsmen have reportedly invaded llewo-Orile community in Abeokuta North Local Government Area of Ogun State, killing three persons and carting away huge sums of money and other valuables.

Two of the victims, identified as Amosun Ogunronbi and Owolabi Ogunronbi, were siblings, who had thrift saving, Esusu, money on them.

Vanguard learned that the third victim, simply known as Philip, was hacked to death on Friday night and his corpse discovered the following day.

An eyewitness told our correspondent that the community had in the past come under similar attacks by rampaging herdsmen.

The source alleged that despite repeated complaints to the police and relevant authorities, nothing tangible had been done to curb the criminal activities of herdsmen in the area.