

Mystery as killers rip open mother of triplets' stomach

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PORT HARCOURT—A mother of triplet, Mrs. Comfort Jackson, has been stabbed to death by unidentified assailants in Rumuekini community, Obio/Akpor Local Government Area of Rivers State, in mysterious circumstances.

Comfort, who recently gave birth to triplet, was allegedly killed in the early hours of yesterday at her husband's residence in Rumuekini.

A source, who gave his name as Mr. Ken, told *Vanguard* that Comfort was stabbed to death in her husband's bedroom.

He told *Vanguard* that the incident had been duly reported to the Choba Divisional Police Headquarters.

Another source, who does not want his name mentioned, said that the babies were abandoned by the killers after killing their mother.

The source added that the hoodlums opened the woman's belly and removed her intestine before neighbours knew what was happening.

At press time, the Rivers State Police Command had not confirmed the incident.

However, a senior police officer at Choba Police Divisional Headquarters, said investigation had commenced to unravel the circumstances that led to the mysterious killing.