

Father, son die in Kwara auto crash

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ILORIN —Auto crash, yesterday, claimed lives of a father and his son along Jimba Oja, Idofian in Ifelodun Local Government Area of Kwara State.

Vanguard gathered that the deceased, who were yet to be identified, were riding on a wine colour Bajaj motorcycle, MUN957QA and were rammed into by a Toyota Camry car with number plate, LEM568TK, which was on high speed.

It was gathered that the incident led to protest by residents of the community as they expressed their grievance over frequent accidents and high fatality rate in the area recently.

Contacted, the Sector Commander of the Federal Road Safety Corps, FRSC, Frederick Ogidan, confirmed the incident.

He said the two occupants in the Toyota Camry were injured while the man and his boy were later confirmed dead at the University of Ilorin Teaching Hospital, UITH, Ilorin.

He said: "The command is looking at putting some rumbling stripes along the road to reduce speed because bumps would worsen the situation."

"We have succeeded in calming the protesting youths and advised them to always use helmet when riding Okada and watch very well before entering the road."