**Parents killed by Lightning, 2 year old daughter survives - Rwanda**

**Rutsiro: Inkuba yakubise umugabo n’umugore baryamye bahita bapf**

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During the heavy rain of last night, 7th August,2021, a lightning strike killed a husband Samuel Musabyimana, aged 27, and his wife Verene Nyiramasengesho, aged 25, while they were sleeping together with their little daughter, Elisa, aged two, who managed to survive. This happened in Mushonyi Sector, Rutsiro District.

In Kashishi Village, Rurara Cell, Mushonyi Sector, in Rutsiro district, the same storm killed a cow belonging to Valens Sentoki. These two tragedies were comfrimed by Jean Pierre Mwenedata, the Executive Secretary of Mushonyi Sector.

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