

幼い日の兄弟像 The stature of voung Soga Brothers



曽我寺/Sogadera Temple

源頼朝の家来であった工藤祐経によって親を殺された曽我十郎・五郎兄弟が、17年後に富士のすそのでの大巻狩に来ていた祐経を討った後、捕らえられ無残な最期を遂げるという日本三大あだ討ちのひとつです。歌舞伎でも有名な曽我兄弟の勇気と兄弟愛が涙を誘います。

The place remembered in connection with Soga brothers

About 800 years ago, Shogun Minamoto-no-Yoritomo held a "Fuji no Makigari" (a large hunting session and social party for generals). At the same time, the Soga brothers revenge took place. The brothers managed to kill Kudo Suketsune who was their father's enemy. Although the two young brothers, showed a lot of courage and determination fulfilling their father's obligation in their fight against the Shogunate, they finished in tears. Juro was killed and Goro was captured near the Sogadera Temple.





虎御前の腰掛石 Toragozen's stone chair

兄弟の悲報を知った曽我十郎の 恋人、虎御前がこの石に崩れるように 腰を下ろしたと伝えられています。

It is said that when Toragozen(Juro's beautiful lover) heard the news of the brothers death, she felt miserable and sat on this stone.