Japanese Film Screening with English Subtitles

The End of Summer



Toho/1961/103min./Color/35mm

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Directed by: Ozu Yasujiro

Cast: Nakamura Ganjiro, Hara Setsuko

Application Period August 2nd to August 31st, 2021

(Weekdays 9:00 to 17:00)

Where to apply Fumin Sogo Annai Soudan Center Tel: 075-411-5000

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For generations the KOHAYAGAWA family has been engaged in the manufacture of sake. The patriarch, old MANBEI, his offspring are AKIKO, his dead son's widow with a child; FUMIKO, his eldest daughter, and her husband, who manages the sake business; and NORIKO, the second daughter. Among the skeletons in MANBEI's closet is a former mistress, who has a highly attractive 21-year-old daughter. After a Buddhist memorial service for his deceased wife, MANBEI has dinner with his relatives in Arashiyama, Kyoto. Later at night on that day when he is home, he is seized with a heart attack...

The director OZU YASUJIRO formed the so-called 'unique OZU Style' with the perfectionist approach and meticulous technique. While generating light laughs, the picture beautifully captures the pathos in sadness of the downfall of the store inherited through many generations and the funniness of the old man.

(Refer to 'The Japan Foundation Film Database')

Free Admission Participant Limit 220



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