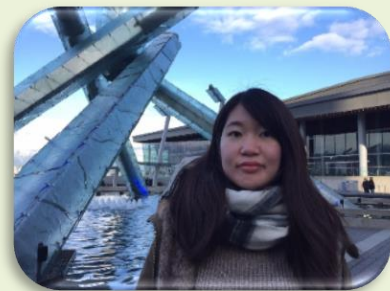


Beautiful flower



Iris ensata cv. "katsurao"



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On that day, this flower bloomed very beautifully. This flower name is iris ensata cv. "katsurao". Iris ensata is ephemeral flower that gets scattered in 2 days. Fragility makes this flower more beautiful.

There are many varieties in irises. The kind of the iris which I like most is "katurao". The petal's color is white. I want my mind to be clear like this white. "Eye" is light yellow. This yellow is accent color. In japan, "katsurao" means a legendary man living in the moon and beautiful boy. As its name suggests it is a beautiful flower.