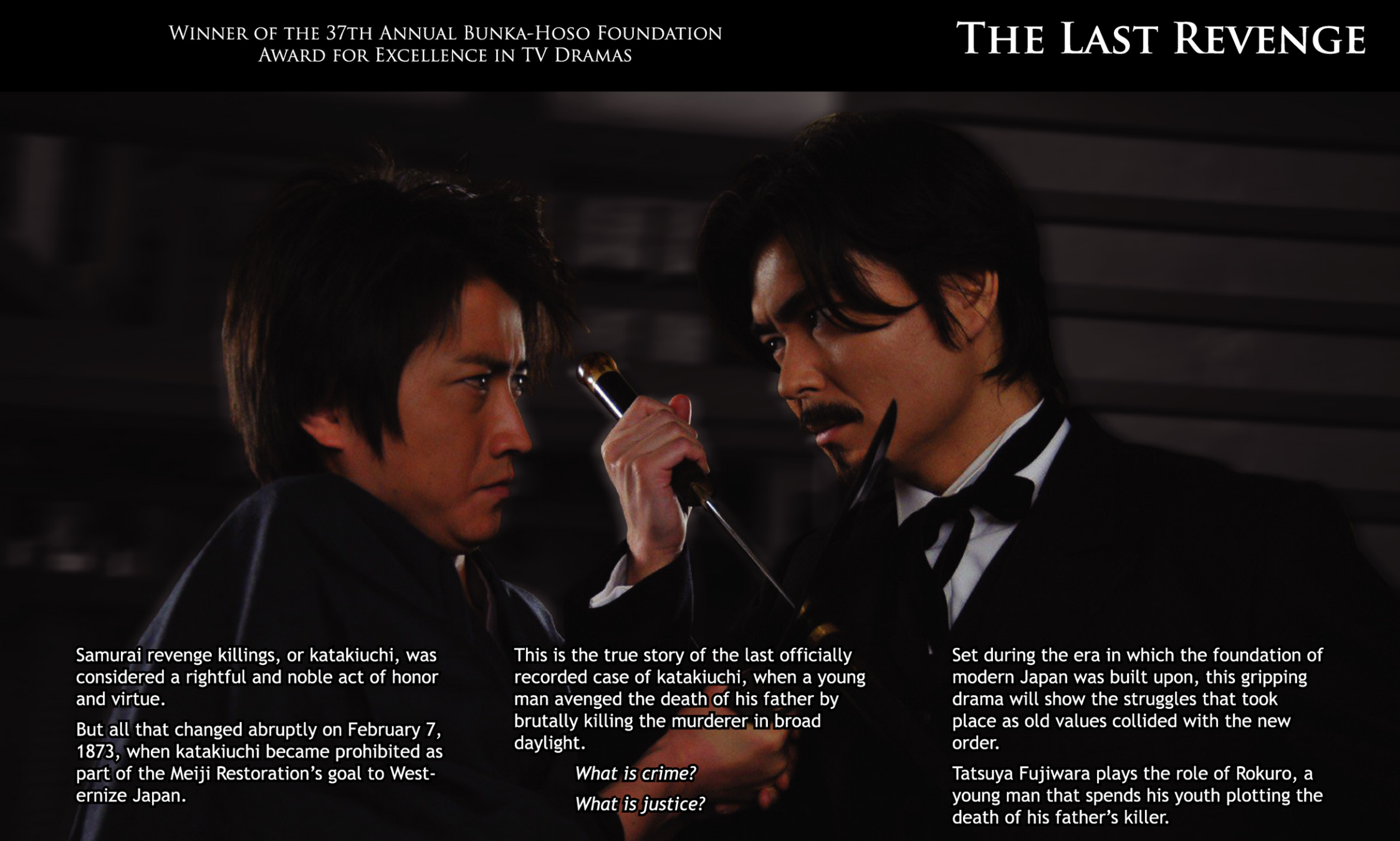


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THE LAST REVENGE



Samurai revenge killings, or katakiuchi, was considered a rightful and noble act of honor and virtue.

But all that changed abruptly on February 7, 1873, when katakiuchi became prohibited as part of the Meiji Restoration's goal to Westernize Japan.

This is the true story of the last officially recorded case of katakiuchi, when a young man avenged the death of his father by brutally killing the murderer in broad daylight.

What is crime?

What is justice?

Set during the era in which the foundation of modern Japan was built upon, this gripping drama will show the struggles that took place as old values collided with the new order.

Tatsuya Fujiwara plays the role of Rokuro, a young man that spends his youth plotting the death of his father's killer.



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