“Kamuimintara” — God’s Playground

The indigenous people of Hokkaido—the Ainu—called Daisetsuzan *The Playground of the Gods.* It is a grand alpine zone filled with flowers. Nowhere else is this name more apt.

Daisetsuzan is the highest mountain group in Hokkaido. If you stand on the summit, you can view an expansive alpine zone extending outwards. Located at its base is a broad expanse of dense woodland with lakes and deep valleys.