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Over the plains of the region the north of the mountain 'Aygou' on the Ege, probably owing to its



Much has been said, rumors have been cast and stories have been woven by locals, which have

The term "Aygou" is claimed to have been the name of the golden eagle, the emblem of the island of Rhodes.

No bibliographic notice of the name has been recorded, but it can originate from the old word 'aygo' of the

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The main site of the monastery, inside the rocky cauldron, on the second floor, is the church of the Holy Trinity.

The fire damaged the wooden components of the church as well as its frescoes, which must be mural.



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