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## The castle of Waldeck

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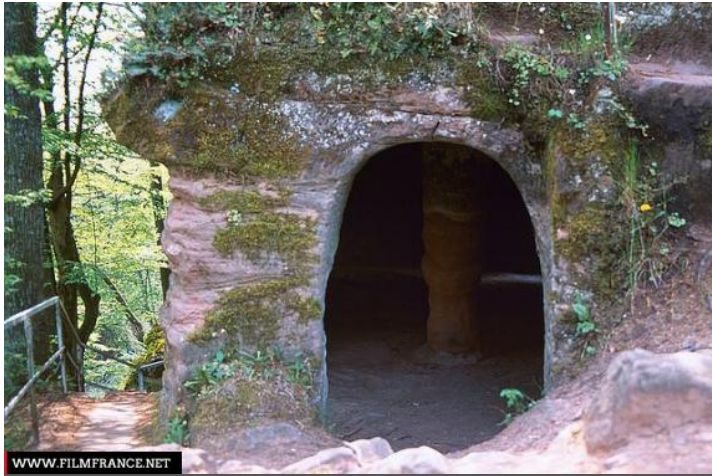
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LOCATION TYPE

CATEGORIES

- Belvedere
- Castle
- Rock
- Ruins

ENVIRONMENT

Forest

GENERAL PRESENTATION

LOCATION CONDITION TYPE

In ruins

LOCATION HISTORY

Built on a set of three rocks west of the gap of Waldeck in the late thirteenth century, the Duke of Lorraine Ferry III, the castle to defend the eastern steps of his domain. Overlooking the gap Waldeck east, the castle occupies a rocky sandstone that emerges from the forest. He understood, until the nineteenth century, two tall square towers. That the north was destroyed by lightning in the nineteenth century, the south, was restored in 1900 by the Club Vosges, is built in sandstone unit regular bosses and kept its aliasing. The castle is a historical monument since February 16, 1930.

CONSTRUCTION PERIOD

XIIIth Century

DOMINANT STYLE

Gothic - Middle Ages