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"The Poetics of Silent Suffering: Han, Separation, and Vedana in Han Yong-un's *Nim-ui Chimmuk* and Maithili Sharan Gupt's *Saket*"

"침묵하는 고통의 시학: 한용운의 『님의 침묵』과 마이틸리 샤란 굽트의 『사케트』에 나타난 한(恨), 이별과 베다나(*Vedana*)"

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About the Speaker

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