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Mehta's evocative prose unfolds a captivating narrative that traces his experiences from childhood to young adulthood. As he explores the complexities of his own identity and the tumultuous changes occurring within India, the author provides an intimate window into the country's rich history, culture, and social landscape.

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About the Author, Ved Mehta

Ved Mehta was born in Lahore, India, in 1934. He lost his eyesight at the age of three due to meningitis. Despite this challenge, Mehta went on to become a renowned author, journalist, and professor. He authored over 20 books, including memoirs, biographies, and works of fiction. Mehta's writing has been praised for its clarity, insight, and wit. He passed away in 2001, leaving behind a legacy of literary brilliance.

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