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# Milan Kundera (1929-2023)

(Czech existentialist novelist, b. Brno, Bohemia, Czech Republic; dissident member of the Communist Party, denounced Stalinism, expatriate in France 1975, became French citizen)

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