憲法改正、領土問題、歴史認識問題はなぜ、こんなにも軋轢を招くのか、 日本の「道義的回復」とは一日本の「敗戦の文化」を比較文化の視点で考察

The Long Defeat: Cultural Trauma, Memory, and Identity in Japan

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