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May 18th, 2020 - she is best known for her collaborative work with indo-canadian filmmaker deepa mehta sidhwa wrote both the 1991 novel ice candy man which served as the basis for mehta's 1998 film earth as well as the 2006 novel water a novel on which is based mehta's 2005 film water a documentary about sidhwa's life called bapsi silences of my life is currently in production and is expected to release'

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