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The present book entitled *Anita Desai, Kiran Desai and Khaled Hosseini: Perspectives on Diaspora* is focused on the dilemmas, challenges and anxieties of the migrants who leave their homeland to settle abroad. With the rise of science and technology, the trends are towards globalization. This book deals with the experiences of the immigrants who suffer multiple displacements and loss of identity. Anita Desai, Kiran Desai and Khaled Hosseini are well-acknowledged postcolonial novelists who have depicted the themes of marginalization of women and their fractured identities. The earnest efforts have been made in this book to explain the predicaments, causes and symptoms of the protagonists lost and trapped in an alien culture. Anita Desai and Kiran Desai are Indian novelists who really experienced cultural dislocation and homelessness. Hosseini is prominent writer from Afghanistan who took up the themes of dislocation of people and their fractured identities in his novels such as *The Kite Runner*, *A Thousand Splendid Suns*, *And the Mountains Echoed*, etc. He explored that migrants who are in exile confront with the problems of homelessness and displacement. In this book, the socio-cultural perspectives have been taken to analyze the cultural cross-currents and ethnic pluralities. The interdisciplinary and comparative approach has been adopted as a major tool in different chapters to investigate the problems of displacement, marginalization and dispossession. The textual and critical analysis of the texts describes the ways the women protagonists confronted life to resolve their dilemmas.



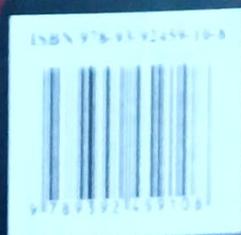
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