



Glory Denied: The Vietnam Saga of Jim Thompson, America's Longest-Held Prisoner of War (Re-issue)

By Tom Philpott, John McCain

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