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"Saturday Afternoon Spring Scene" A Kango Takamura Painting

Kango Takamura was an Issei artist who had been a photo retoucher for RKO Studios in Hollywood before being incarcerated at the Manzanar prison camp. He documented his experiences at Manzanar in a series of watercolor paintings and drawings.



Caption: "Saturday afternoon spring scene looking south from Block 8; quiet inside, sand pillars outside Manzanar."

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