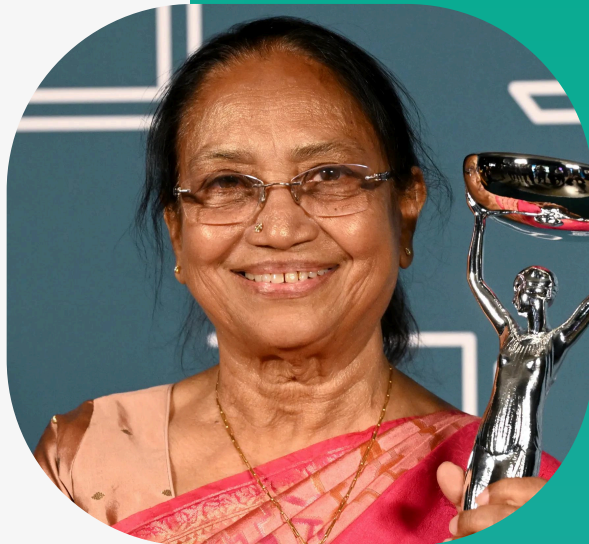


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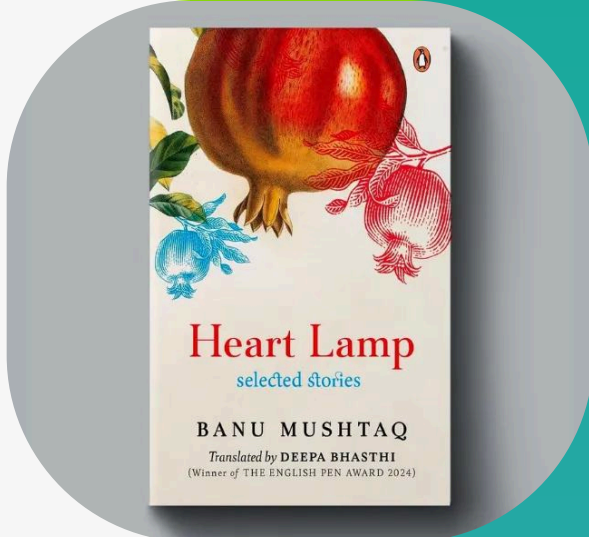
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▶ Indian woman to win the 2025 International Booker Prize  
Banu Mushtaq

- The award is for Kannada writer Banu Mushtaq's collection of short stories 'Heart Lamp'.
- Heart Lamp is the first short story collection to receive this honor.
- The collection of short stories was translated into English by journalist Deepa Bhasthi.
- Banu Mushtaq is the second Indian woman to win the International Booker Prize. The 2022 International Booker Prize was won by Hindi writer Geetanjali Shree for 'Tomb of Sand'.
- Author who won the 2024 International Booker Prize - Jenny Erpenbeck (Novel - Kairos)



Banu Mushtaq



▶ Writer who was awarded the Madhavikutty Award for 2025 by the Punneyurkulam Sahitya Samithi  
Subhash Chandran

- The award is for his comprehensive contribution to the field of Malayalam literature.



Subhash Chandran

▶ The Artificial Intelligence (AI)-based anchor introduced by the Assam Government to disseminate important information from the Cabinet meeting  
Ankita



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▶ Recipient of the first-ever Herman Gundert Prize of the Herman Gundert Education Foundation  
Vallikkavu Mohandas

▶ A system launched by KSRTC with the aim of quickly fixing Bus breakdowns and ensuring uninterrupted travel for passengers

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