



Kalloccain

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Gilles Deleuze, Masochism: Coldness and Cruelty.

- ▶ Contract: A "contract presupposes in principle ... free consent."
 - Voluntary Sacrificial Service (*Kalloccain* 37, 39, 48)
 - Laws represent contracts (104, 110)
- ▶ Institution: "...the institution is of a very different order in that it tends to render laws unnecessary...."
 - Frame narrative: Kall as old man in "enemy" prison (*Kalloccain* 3)
 - Institutional power relies on internal compliance. (28, 44-5)
 - Emma Goldman on "Marriage and Love." (29, 52, 76, 77)
- ▶ Different institutions create different symbolic universes.
 - Dominant symbol for Kall's life (4-5, 83)
 - Status, Honor, Duty, Respect (7, 22, 23, 44, 73)
 - Two symbols of communion. (20, 51, 52, 131)
 - The "splintered ones" (31, 46)
