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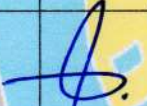

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COMPLICATED PSYCHOLOGICAL PROBLEM

Abstract

Try Kurniawan Mahmud. 2021. 321 415 057. Complicated Psychological Problem of Amy's Character in Gone Girl Novel by Gillian Flynn. Undergraduate Thesis. English Education Study Program. Letters and Cultures Faculty. First Advisor Dr. Magdalena Baga, S.S., M.Si. Second Advisor Rusni Podungge, S.Pd, M.A.

This research was conducted to describe the personality disorder of Amy's character in the novel *Gone Girl* by Gillian Flynn. *Gone Girl* is a novel present the story of the girl who grew up with parents that violence her mental, and lived by manipulating people, so people will see her as a perfect and an innocent girl. Due to that matter, this study investigated the personality of Amy Dunne and describe the psychological problem of her character by using psychoanalytic approach of Sigmund Freud and theory of DSM-V (*Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorder*) by American Psychiatric Association. The data were conducted by qualitative descriptive method. The result of this research showed that the character of Amy Dunne is different than her appearance that shows like a beautiful and perfect girl, through her life periods with her parents, her friend, and her husband, she has several psychological problems such as intimidator, manipulator, sadistic, but she is intelligence.

Keyword: *Psychological Problem, Psychoanalytic, DSM-V, Character*

Abstrak

Try Kurniawan Mahmud. 2021. 321 415 057. Kerumitan Masalah Psikologis pada Karakter Amy dalam Novel *Gone Girl* karya Gillian Flynn. Skripsi. Program Studi Pendidikan Bahasa Inggris, Fakultas Sastra dan Budaya. Pembimbing I Dr. Magdalena Baga, S.S. M.Si., dan Pembimbing II Rusni Podungge, S.Pd, M.A.

Penelitian ini menggunakan metode kualitatif deskriptif yang dilakukan untuk mendeskripsikan gangguan kepribadian tokoh Amy dalam novel *Gone Girl* karya Gillian Flynn. *Gone Girl* adalah novel yang menyajikan kisah gadis yang dibesarkan oleh orang tua yang menekan mentalnya dan hidup sebagai orang yang manipulatif, sehingga orang akan melihatnya sebagai gadis yang sempurna dan polos. Oleh karena itu, penelitian ini mengkaji kepribadian Amy Dunne dan mendeskripsikan masalah psikologisnya dengan menggunakan pendekatan psikoanalitik dari Sigmund Freud dan teori DSM-V (*Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorder*) dari American Psychiatric Association. Hasil penelitian ini menunjukkan bahwa karakter Amy Dunne berbeda dengan penampilannya yang terlihat seperti gadis cantik dan sempurna. Melalui masa hidupnya bersama orang tua, teman, dan suaminya, ia memiliki beberapa masalah psikologis seperti manipulasi, intimidator, sadis, namun dia juga cerdas.

Kata Kunci: *Masalah Psikologis, Psikoanalisis, DSM-V, Karakter*

