

Chapter 5. Conclusion and Suggestion

This chapter presents the conclusion and suggestion of this research. The conclusion is providing as the result of the issue regarding the psychological problem acute of Amy's character in *Gone Girl* Novel by Gillian Flynn in the novel. Moreover, researcher makes suggestions for the next researchers who have the interest in similar research ground.

Conclusion

In this study, the data are collected from Gillian Flynn's novel, *Gone Girl*, which is focused on Amy's character. The data are analyzed based on the psychoanalytic approach, personality disorder theory in Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, Fifth Edition by American Psychiatric Association, and also psychopath disorder theory by Robert D. Hare. Based on the novel, the appearance Amy Elliot Dunne is a beautiful and intelligent girl who is conspicuous in his daily life but apparently has cruel behavior.

As the result, after analyzing the novel, Amy's character was formed since she lived with her parents. From the beginning, her parents were educated her wrong, so she grows without know that every human can made a mistake in their life such as failure in their class or their competition. since she was a child, she always got pressure from her parents to be as successful as her parents wanted her to be. The form of anxiety that his parents put on Amy was to write a children's series called *Amazing Amy*. The character was made exactly like their child Amy but made the character more successful than their child, thus making people see Amy as perfect *Amazing Amy*. But this makes her depressed and constantly

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pushes her to be as successful as Amazing Amy in the series: This makes her not live a life like other children who make mistakes and learn and grow from those mistakes.

This study also found There are several symptoms of Amy's psychological problem. Those are intimidation, deceitful and manipulative, sadistic, and early behavior problem. Based on four symptoms in Amy's character, the researcher conclude that Amy has a personality disorder and she is a psychopath. Amy's personality disorder and her psychopathic behavior are visible when she was studied at senior high school, she was scheming to be more popular than another until she met another popular girl than her and the name of the girl is Hilary. Amy trying to get close to her and manipulated her until the whole people in her school hate Hillary. Moreover, Amy continues her psychopathic act and become worst when she was married with Nick and got affair from Nick, she plans her hidden and made Nick accused as a murderer of Amy.

However, behind her psychological problem, she is got pressure from her parents. Amy's parents created her an alter-ego character in series an Amazing Amy to criticize her failure. Because of an Amazing Amy, Amy's Personality become worst, she cannot accept any failure that she made. she always thinks that she is a perfect and famous girl, she did not want anyone would be more popular than her. Amy's pride changes her become psychopathic person, everything that she wants and plan must be succeeded, or she could do a bad thing to get what she wants. she wants a perfect life. However, when someone did a wrong thing to her, she would revenge them more pain.

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Therefore, the character would move into serious and complexed mental illness if there were failures in childhood education.

Suggestion

During this research, the researcher learned several things regarding human and also the behavior of human and also their personality disorder. This research helps the researcher to know more that human was a complexity, which means human was not simple. Then it had been terribly fascinating to do research on human. Therefore, in this research is focus on Amy's psychological problem, the researcher aware that this research was not good enough to become perfect research. The deficiency of this research is the research focus on the psychological problem of Amy Dunne as the main character and only refers to Amy personality disorder. The researcher believes, there are many researchers could explore more in this novel beside the psychological problem of Amy Dunne. This novel has two Narrator it is Nick Dunne as the husband of Amy Dunne who describe about what Amy did to the society and the impact to their life, and the second is Amy Dunne herself that talked about the reason why she did a thing beyond the moral value in the society and her background childhood why she become a psychopathic person. The researcher suggested to another researcher, if they want to do research in this novel, they could conduct research with another character beside Amy Dunne such as Nick Dunne.

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