

## ABSTRACT

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This research is conducted by using descriptive qualitative method. The data are taken from Anne Bradstreet’s poems. The Problem statement of this research; what are the themes in Anne Bradstreet’s poems. It aimed to analyze the kinds of theme that found in Anne Bradstreet’s poems. There were four steps in analyzing the data of this research, namely; identification, classification, analyzing and conclusion. Furthermore, this research is analyzed by using objective approach. Objective approach is focused on the intrinsic aspect of literary work. Then, each of themes found in Anne Bradstreet poems are categorized by using Waluyo’s theory of kinds of theme. Based on the analysis of the data there are four kinds of theme that found in five poems of Anne Bradstreet, namely; love theme, religious theme, social critics theme, and nature theme.

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