

CHAPTER 5

CONCLUSION

In this chapter, the writer presents the conclusion of the finding research, and the conclusion itself contains the summary and the evaluation of the finding research that has been discussed.

5.1 Conclusion

Conflict is part of human life in the society. Conflict always occurs for a particular reason. Whatever cause and effect that trigger a conflict, a conflict must be solved wisely to save the good relationship among people. Keeping the conflict without solving can trigger another conflict because the diversity among people's background will always become the scapegoat when each of them cannot accept it. In *The Pearl*, the conflicts appear because of the contrast between the characters and they cause many tragedies.

1. External conflict

External Conflicts in *The Pearl* mostly occur to Kino and the other main characters. Kino has faced conflicts with the other character before finding the great pearl. However, he faces more conflicts after finding the pearl. Everyone has their own beliefs about the great pearl. Kino sees the better future about it, but Juana sees the opposite. She sees the evil thing that will destroy their future. Their neighbors expect that Kino will be a rich man soon, but the other

people compete to get that pearl by their evil ways such as cheating and attacking. The conflicts occur event by event because not everyone that is involved in the conflict wants to release their ego. However, finally Kino solves and ends the conflict by throwing the pearl back to the sea.

2. Kino's Ideology

External conflict does not happen among the individual characters. In *The Pearl*, the conflicts involve the group of people from two clusters: low economic level and high economic level, in which each of groups represent what ideology they have. For example when Kino's purpose to sell the pearl to be a rich man, it reflects his characteristic as a liberalist. In contrast with Kino, the doctor, who is a capitalist, shows his oppression to Kino by rejecting the treatment for the baby only because of Kino's poverty.

5.2 Suggestions

5.2.1 Suggestion to the Readers

When people want to avoid conflict, they have to sacrifice their ego. When the conflict already occurs, it must be solved wisely. A regret must not be the end of the conflict at all, but it must be a stepping-stone for those who have higher level of purity, for example, when Kino decides to throw back the pearl in the sea, he sacrifices his chance to be a rich man for his family.

5.2.2 Suggestions to the Researchers

According to the result of the study, the writer puts the suggestions for the future researchers as follow:

1. There are many elements in literary work that can be analysed. The writer hopes that the result of this study can be the early information to conduct further researchers.
2. Giving more attention in writing the quotation unless the researcher will be entangled in the plagiarism. Therefore, the future researchers have to make sure that the resource has already written in the references.
3. Studying literature will need wide knowledge including the history that is related to the study, so the writer suggests the future researchers to read more for every detail of the related study.

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