

CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

A. Background of the Study

Novel is a long story written in which characters and event usually imaginary from problem of human life. There are two kinds of novel, they are fiction and non-fiction. Definition of fiction novel is a story written by author or an untrue story. Then definition of non-fiction is a true story, mostly about real things, people, events and places. In different countries, novel has different name. Of the novel are different, for examples in the middle of 16th century there was a *novella* called “*storia*”. It is from Italian. New Italian *novella* is called “*story*”. The novel from Latin is called *novellus*, from word *novus*. The word is also found from late Middle English until the 18th century in the sense is *novelty*, a piece of news, from Old French *novella*. Then at the 20th century any of country named it “*novel*”.

There are many interesting novels in this world; one of interesting novels for the writer is *Torment* novel. *Torment* novel is the second novel of *Fallen* series written by Lauren Kate. Lauren Kate was born on 21 May 1981. She went to school in Atlanta, and started writing in New York. Lauren Kate has a master's degree in fiction from the University of California. Davis is the author of *The Betrayal of Natalie Hargrove*. She aspires to work in a restaurant kitchen, get a couple of dogs, and learn how to surf. She lives in Los Angeles with her husband. Lauren Kate has written fifth novels, the novel is published by Random House

Books for Young Readers. There are the novels by Lauren Kate: *The Betrayal of Natalie Hargrove* at 28 October 2009, *Fallen* at 30 October 2009, and *Torment* at 28 September 2010, *Passion and Fallen In Love* at 7 October 2011, and *Rapture* at 24 February 2012. Now the writer will analysis a *Torment* novel.

Torment novel is very amazing novel. *Torment* novel was published at 28 September 2010. It is popular in many countries. The story of *Torment* novel tells us about Lucinda Price (Luce) that is in love with Daniel. Luce loves Daniel very much more than anything even than her own life. But the big problem in their love is Luce; Luce is an ordinary human only human like another people in the world. But Daniel is an angel with the wind that can fly until heaven. It is different with Luce and Daniel. They are making the heavenly wrath.

The researcher is interested to analysis this novel, because the novel is most amazing. And also the novel has a big character that safety of someone using an individual psychological approach. It is can be include in individual psychological approach. The researcher will use theory by master of individual psychological approach, he is Alfred Adler. As a quoted by Adler (in Feist 1985: 64) states as follows:

Individual psychology insists on the fundamental unity of personality. All apparent dichotomies and multiplicities of life are organized in oneself consistent totally. No definite division can be made between mind and body, between conscious and unconscious, or between reasons and emotional. All behavior is seen in relation to the final goal of superiority or success. This goal gives direction and unity to the individual.

According to this data the researcher have four reasons why researcher chose *Torment* novel; the first reason is about the saving life of Daniel to get

Lucinda loves and the characters. Daniel's extremely loves to Luce. He can protect Luce every day, although he must stick to the campus to see Luce stay at there. He has strong winds to flaying until the heaven. He only has 18 days to protect Lucinda life, after 18 days the truce can't be prevented. The Lucinda soul is the weapon to the outcasts-immortal to get back to the heaven. All of the characters have different specification and different attitudes. So it makes the writer most interesting.

Second reason is about setting. The setting of this novel occur the Shoreline campus. This place is extremely pleasant. Because it occurs near the beach, Cell phones are allowed, and there are no camera's watching your every move. Shoreline is a more prestige school to attend. The teachers, Francesa and Steven also have good attitudes to all students in Shoreline campus. The dining room is very pleasant, because it occurs outdoor of the campus. So, the students can enjoy the cool air.

Third reason is about the story. The story from the beginning until the end is very interested to the writer. The story is about Lucinda Price (Luce) and Daniel. Luce has falling in love with Daniel. But they are having many problems with the relationship. The problem is Daniel, he is angel not human. So, it has made the outcats-immortal wont to kill her to get back to the heaven. It makes the truce between angels, demons, and outcasts. The end is Luce can come back to Daniel, and the story will continued in next novel.

The last reason is the response about this novel. The response of the novel is very good from the teenagers. The novel that has 464 pages can interest the

review until 4,684 reviewers. The ratings of the novel its 4 stars that written by Lauren Kate. But, is not basic why the writer chose the novel. The writer chose the novel because the saving life that does from Daniel is very strangers.

Moreover, the writer is interested to analyze this novel using an individual psychological approach. In this study the writer encourage to give a title **Saving Life Reflected In Lauren Kate *Torment* Novel (2010): An Individual Psychological Approach.**

B. Previous Study

The reseacher has found a previous study about the effort of saving life entitled: **Effort for saving human embryo in Jason Reitman's *Juno* movie: an Individual Psychological Approach proposed by Nikmatin Silvi.** The present writer has different object being saved. The previous research object being saved was an human embrio, while the presents research object is saving the main character of the novel named Lucinda Price.

C. Problem Statement

Based on the phenomena mentioned above, the researcher formulates the following problems:

1. How are the structural elements of the *Torment* novel?
2. How is saving life reflected in Lauren Kate's *Torment* Novel?

D. Limitation of the Study

The researcher will focus on analyzing saving life reflected in Lauren Kate *Torment* novel (2010) based on individual psychological approach.

E. Objectives of the Study

Based on the problem state above, the researcher proposes the objectives of the study as follows:

1. To analyze the structural elements of the novel.
2. To analyze the saving life reflected In Lauren Kate's *Torment* novel (2010).

F. Benefit of the Study

The researcher hope that this research will give some benefits for the researcher herself and the readers in general. The research is expected to give benefit as follows:

1. Theoretical Benefit

To contribute the development of the knowledge, particularly the literary study on *Torment* novel (2010) by Lauren Kate.

2. Practical Benefit

This research can enrich the writer and the reader's knowledge and experience concerning the An Individual Psychological Approach.

G. Research Method

1. Type of the Research

The researcher uses descriptive qualitative method. Here the researcher tries to relate the discussion of analysis based on the underlying theory.

2. Objects of the Research

The researcher takes Lauren Kate's *Torment* novel (2010), which contains the series of novel description. Here, the researcher tries to

analyze the saving life defense mechanisms using individual psychological approach.

3. Type of the Data and the Data Source

There are two types of data sources, namely:

a. Primary Data Source

The primary data source is the novel itself; *Torment* by Lauren Kate published on 28 September 2010. The primary data sources consist of words, phrases, sentences, narrations and dialogues in the novel.

b. Secondary Data Source

The secondary data source includes books and other data that have relationship with the research, such as commentaries and other relevant information about *Torment* novel that support the individual psychological analysis.

4. Technique of the Data Collection

The methods of collecting data in this research are as follows:

- a. Reading the novel of *Torment* until the researcher understands of the contents.
- b. Taking notes of important parts both primary and secondary data of the novel
- c. Arranging the data into several groups based on its theoretical category

- d. Selecting particular parts considered important and relevant for analysis
- e. Drawing conclusion and formulated is pedagogical

5. Technique of the Data Analysis

The technique of data analysis in this research paper is descriptive analysis. In analyzing data the researcher has two steps, there are: the first is analyzing the data based on its structural elements. Focus will be paid on the structural analysis of novel. The second step is analyzing the data based on individual psychological approach proposed by Adler.

H. Research Paper Organization

This research consists of five chapters. Chapter I is introduction; this chapter involves background of the study, literature review, problem statement, limitation of the study, objective of the study, benefit of the study, and research organization. Chapter II is underlying theory it deals with some theory the researcher used to make the research. Chapter III is structural elements analysis. Chapter IV is individual psychological analysis. This chapter explains the individual psychological analysis of the novel. Chapter V is conclusion and suggestion.