

## CHAPTER 1

### INTRODUCTION

#### A. Background of the Study

In this life, peoples have needs from the basic needs to the higher needs. People needs can change from time to time. Therefore, they must choose what needs that must be fulfilled first. Usually they tend to fulfill the major need first before others. There are many needs that peoples try to fulfill, for example the needs of food, clothes, safety, house, and love. Maslow as quoted in Hjelle and Zeigler (1992: 448) believed that people are motivated to seek personal goals that make their lives rewarding and meaningful. Maslow depicted the human being as a “wanting organism” who rarely reaches a state of complete and total satisfaction. It is characteristic of human life that people almost always desire something.

Peoples need love or we need give and receive of affection. Love can make them happy, sad, angry, disappointed, and sometimes they can laugh and cry because of love. Thus peoples try to find their right in getting real love.

Love is the emotions of passion feeling to give and receive affection for someone or something that peoples want to have. The word love can refer to an intense feeling of deep affection to country, someone, or something that peoples need. In abstract concept, usually love refers a feeling deep for another person.

Love refers to a feeling by a person to another person or it can be called interpersonal love. The existence of love can be seen in peoples environment such as love between family members, parents and children, friends, and couple.

In the journey to find love, peoples have some effort to find it, such as they change their lifestyle and their personality. That change is to make their lifestyle and personality better than before. They often do that when they meet someone that they love. Peoples will do everything to get and save it through sacrifice, although peoples know that love is not always beautiful like they wish.

In this era peoples can find easily the article, fiction story, poems, novel, or movie which present about love and belongingness. There are many authors who write a novel which has theme about the effort to get love and belongingness.

One of the authors is Jude Deveraux who writes this novel on the needs of love and belongingness. Her novel is *Moonlight in the Morning* which has 436 pages which includes an excerpt from Jude Deveraux's next novel *Stranger in the Moonlight*. *Moonlight in the Morning* novel is a romance novel that was published in New York on Desember 27<sup>th</sup> 20. This novel is publised by Pocket Star Books.

*Moonlight in the Morning* novel is appropriate to adult according to readers. It is appropriate for adult because the readers can take the message about strong feeling of love and sacrifice for love which is needed by each person. The need of real love by each person is to complete their life, it is representing in this novel.

The story of this novel tells about. Jecca Layton, an artist who lived in New Jersey. She lives together with her father, brother and sister in law. Jecca has two best friends since college, Kim and Sophie. In the summer, Jecca was invited by Kim to come to her house in Edilean, Virginia. That summer Jecca was nineteen years old. She asked her father to give permission for her to go to Kim's house. She got her father's permission and she went to Edilean.

When Jecca arrived, she had picked up by Kim and Mr. Alredge in airport. They got in Mr. Alredge's car and went to Edilean. When they got to Edilean, Jecca made the appropriate sounds about how cute the little town was. She cannot imagine that she can live in this small town. Even though Edilean was a beautiful little town, she prefers to live in New York and get a job in there, especially in an artistic world.

On the second day, Jecca wanted to paint but she didn't know what she wants to paint, she just took the photo of the flower and it painted more details. Looked up, she saw a man standing on the high rocks. The sun was behind him so she couldn't see his face, but she could see that his beautiful body was naked. It looked like he made one of the infamous dives off the cliff. The man yelled that he mad and said good bye for his ex-girlfriend, Laura Chawnley. Jecca drew her breath. It was Reede Alredge up there. Jecca knew about Reede from Kim. Jecca dropped her painting and she tried to stop it. But Reede jumped in the water and Jecca followed to save him. Jecca can save his life and in that moment Jecca fell in love with Reede, the handsome man with beautiful body. But Reede just

ignored her. The next and next summer she came to Edilean, wanted to meet Reede again.

Jecca Layton came to Edilean for the entire summer. Kim's parents had put on a party and invited a lot of the cousin to meet Jecca. Dr. Tristan Alredge is a kim's cousin, his arm was in cast because when he drove back home and came upon robbery in progress. Before he knew what was happening, he had been hit in the back of the head. Kim called Tristan to come in their party. He had met her a years before her first visit in Edilean. She had been a teenager then and Tris was a young doctor. In the party, Jecca came out to see the sky, and Tristan came close to her and they take a conversation. In that night, Jecca didn't see the beautiful face, because she still thought that Reede was one of men in her heart. But Tristan was very amazed for her beautiful face, with black hair and Tristan fell in love with her.

In the next summer, Jecca is invited by Kim again to visit Edilean. She has prepared an apartment for Jecca. The owner of the apartment was Mrs. Wingate. And the apartment was beside Dr. Tristan Alredge's house. Jecca drove her car alone and she had a direction from Kim to reach the apartment. When she arrived in the apartment she found it empty. She is amazed with the artistic of the furniture in that apartment. For a minute, Kim came and talked about the apartment with the owner of the apartment Mrs. Wingate and Lucy, Mrs. Wingate's friend who also lived there. Jecca will live with Mrs. Wingate and Lucy in the apartment. Kim started to talk about Tristan, but Jecca didn't

remember who he was. When Mrs. Winggate and Lucy came, Jecca greeted them very kind.

In that night, Jecca could not sleep. She walked out in the orchids garden. She thought she can paint the beautiful orchids in there. She kept walking and she entered Tristan's house because it was rain. Jecca didn't know that Tristan was in there. Then, Jecca sat in the chair close to the window. The house was dark, no lights in there. Tristan came closer to her and sat beside her. Tristan made conversed with her but did not tell that he was Tristan. They talked about Mrs. Winggate and they played as Cupid and Psyche. Jecca played a role as Psyche and Tristan as Cupid. Every night they meet in the dark and from these meeting, they fell in love each other. And they feel that they are being fated together. A dark cool night when they continued the story of Cupid and Psyche, they have a desirable moment and they made love.

Tristan still thought if he wanted to marry Jecca, but Jecca was a City girl whether she wants to live in this small town, Edilean. He thought how to make Jecca wants to marry him and live in that small town. He loved her so much because Jecca was different with women that had been date with Tristan.

Tristan introduced his niece Nell to Jecca. Nell wanted to make her playhouse and she asked to Jecca for design and made her playhouse beautiful. When her playhouse has done, Nell asked Jecca to design her dress for fashion show in that small town.

The summer almost finished, Jecca has done her activities in Edilean. She wanted to come back to New York and Tristan has a surprise for Jecca. Tristan

and Jecca went to a place that Tristan kept a secret. Jecca carried to a house which Tristan wants to live in that house with Jecca. Jecca was very surprise and angry, because she cannot leave her job at New York. And because of that she was very angry and leave Edilean also broke up with Tristan.

For six and a half weeks they didn't have any contact each other. Jecca knew that she needed Tristan. She loves him so much. She tried to call his family in Edilean but nothing response about Tristan. And finally, she got information that Tristan moved to New York and he had a new practice in there. Jecca was very happy and she went to Tristan's place. In there they met and started kissing.

Finally they decided to get married. Jecca knew Tristant's sacrifice so well. Tristan was leaving Edilean, his family and his home forever. Tristan did that because he loved her so much.

Jude Deveraux (Jude Gilliam) was born on September 20<sup>th</sup> 1947. Her age is about 66 years old. Jude was born in Fairdale, Kentucky, United States of America. She is an American romance novel author. Jude's first books were historical stories. Her novel tells about the lives and loves of family. The novels are set in the fictional town of Edilean, Virginia. Jude has had over thirty books on the New York Times Bestsellers List, over 60 million copies in print, and has been translated into 18 languages.

There are many aspect of this novel are significant to be studied in relation to the theory that researcher applied in analyze research. Firstly, this synopsis is one of the facts that the writer said this interesting and unbelievable novel, because *Moonlight in the Morning* novel so entertaining, romantic, and make

some great imagination. Secondly, this story is important because it tells the readers about the effort of someone who find something to fulfill the needs for love and belongingness.

Thirdly, this novel reflect the effort to fulfill the needs for love and belongingness, the novel as a picture about an effort of man that trying to fulfill the needs for love and belongingness. The man, Jecca Layton is the perfect example of person who has finds her true love.

Fourthly, this novel shows the readers about the sacrifice for love. It is showed in the characters in this novel, Jecca Layton and Dr. Tristan Aldredge. Jecca Layton must return to her real life and big city, their love must decide. So, love need to be sacrificed.

In this thesis, the researcher encouraged to entitle the research as the following: “Belongingness and Love in Jude Deveraux’s *Moonlight in the Morning* Novel (2011): a Humanistic Approach

## **B. Previous Study**

There has no study that has been done as far as the researcher knows on *Moonlight in the Morning* novel by Jude Deveraux in Muhammadiyah University of Surakarta, Sebelas Maret University of Surakarta and other university in Central Java, even in Indonesia. Here, the researcher presents the study on *Belongingness and Love in Jude Deveraux’s Moonlight in the Morning novel (2012): a Humanistic Approach*

### **C. Problem Statement**

The problem statement of the Study is as follows:

How is a need for love and belongingness portrayed in Jecca feeling to looking her true love and belongingness in *Moonlight in the Morning* novel which written by Jude Deveraux?

### **D. Limitation of the Study**

In this research, the researcher will focus on the analysis on Jecca needs to looking her true love and belongingness in *Moonlight in the Morning* which written by Jude Deveraux.

### **E. Objective of the Study**

The objectives of the Study are the following:

1. To analyze Belongingness and Love in Jude Deveraux's *Moonlight in the Morning* novel (2011) based on its structural element.
2. To analyze Belongingness and Love in Jude Deveraux's *Moonlight in the Morning* novel (2011) based on a Humanistic Approach.

## **F. Benefit of the Study**

The benefits that expected from this study are as follows:

1. Theoretical Benefit: The study projected to give novel contribution of the larger body of knowledge particularly in the literary studies.
2. Practical Benefit: The study is expected to enrich the knowledge and experience of the researcher and other students at UMS or other universities interested in literary studies.

## **G. Research Method**

### **1. Type of the Study**

In this study about this novel the researcher applies to qualitative research, the data sources are library and literary data. Its purpose is to analyze using Humanistic Approach. The steps to conduct the study are as follows: 1) determining of the type of the study, 2) determining the object of the study, 3) determining data and data source, 4) determining technique of data collection, 5) determining technique of data analyze.

### **2. Object of the Study**

The object of the study is *Moonlight in the Morning* novel by Jude Deveraux was published in 2011 by Pocket Star Books.

### **3. Type of the Data and Data Source**

There are two types of data, namely primary and secondary data, as follows:

- a. Primary Data: The primary data is *Moonlight in the Morning* Novel published by Pocket Star Books.
- b. Secondary Data: The secondary data sources are book or any information related to the practice of the belongingness and love that supports the Humanistic Approach.

### **4. Technique of the Collecting Data**

The techniques of data collection are as follows:

- a. Reading the text novel to get the messages and better understanding.
- b. Reading some related references to observe the theory, data, and information.
- c. Making notes of important part in both primary and secondary data sources.
- d. Classifying the data into some categories.

### **5. Technique of Data Analysis**

In analyzing the data, the researcher applies a descriptive approach. The steps taken by the researcher in analyzing data are as follows: the first is analyzing the data based on its structural elements. Focus will be paid on the

structural analysis of the novel. The second step is analyzing the data based on Humanistic Approach. Focus will be paid on the meaning of belongingness and love.

#### **H. Research Paper Organization.**

This research paper organization is divided into five chapters. The first chapter is introduction, which contains the background of study, previous study, problem statements, limitation of the study, objectives of the study, benefits of the study, research method, and paper organization. While, the second chapter is underlying theory. Third chapter is research method using structural analysis, while the analysis is presented in fourth chapter and in the last chapter is conclusion and suggestion.