CHAPTER I
INTRODUCTION

A. Background of the Study

Language as a tool of communication is very important in the world. There are many countries which have different languages. English is used among English people and etc. English language is very important everywhere, because it is a tool of communication. Every country has different languages; they use language for their own society. But English language an international language in the world and if they want to communicate with other countries, they can use English. Many people use more than one language for communication. Communication to other people, need a certain communication tool to other people who speak the same language. International language is more effectively used in various countries, so people use English to communicate with others.

Figurative language is expressed by means of metaphor or other figure of speech. Figurative language is addicted to or abounding in figures of speech. Figure of speech is unusual, essentially metaphorical mode of expression, used for effect in speech and writing and to clarify on deepen meaning by suggesting similitude’s which provoke thought. according to Potter (1967:53), The general term that will use for the figure of speech that make up figurative language is metaphor, much as the term imagery, which narrowly rivers to visual phenomena, is nevertheless used to cover other sense-impressions as well (Potter, 1967:53). Figure of speech change ordinary language through repetition, substitution, sound
and wordplay. They mess around with words, skipping them, swapping them, and making them sound different. It is often associated with literature and with poetry in particular. However the fact is, whether the people are conscious of it or not, the people use figure of speech every day in their writing and conversations. Using original figures of speech in writing is a way to convey meaning in fresh, unexpected ways.

According to X.J Kennedy that figure of speech may be said whenever a writer or speaker, for the sake of emphasis or freshness, departs from the ordinary denotations of words. From the above quotation, figurative language is a way to reflect the characteristic of the film and the way the writer think. Figurative language used not in usual literal sense but imaginative way. Figures of speech are not devices to state what is demonstrably untrue. Indeed they often state truths, and they lend emphasis.

Figurative language is language using words or expressions with a meaning that is different from the literal interpretation. It’s literally in compatible terms, forces the readers to attend the connotation rather than the denotation, and good figurative language is words used non in literal sense but of what the writer’s feel, sense, taste, expression, and purpose. Figurative languages have some elements. They are metaphor, simile, personification, paradox, hyperbole, apostrophe, and metonymy (Kennedy, 1983:481). It is not intended to be interpreted in literal sense. Appealing to the imagination, figurative language provides new ways of looking at the world. It always makes use of a comparison between different things. Figurative language
compares two things that are different in enough ways so that their similarities, when pointed out, are interesting, unique, and surprising.

*Pirates of the Caribbean on Stranger Tides* are blend of Comedy and action. It describes about Jack sparrow hunting the fountain of youth. Captain Jack Sparrow brings us to the heroic adventures with action. Jack sparrow who meets his first love was under the command of Blackbeard. Captain Jack Sparrow compete to hunting the fountain of youth with privates barbossa now become king of the English and Spanish troops. Starting with the fishermen who found the person in the net and it turns out the person is still alive. He was brought to the King of Spain and tells if he found the ship Juan Ponce de Leon who has lost hundreds of years ago. The king ordered fleet departed immediately. Captain Jack Sparrow goes to London to find out who claim as her and was looking for a crew to sail. Apparently these people are Angelica, girlfriend in the past. Angelica is the daughter of Blackbeard the cruelty pirate. Captain also met with Captain Hector Barbosa now joined the Navy after losing Jack’s ship. The Black Pearl also lost one of his legs in order to save themselves when attacked by Blackbeard. Jack Sparrow is forced to join the British Navy, but the refused and ran. These entire figures have ambition find the ‘Fountain of Youth’. Jack finally caught up and become crew Blackbeard, The Queen Anne’s Revenge. In the end of the story ‘Fountain of Youth’ destroyed by the Spanish empire, which considers it contrary to the religious cult. Angelica is willing to sacrifice his life for his father even survived because Captain Jack Sparrow cheats Blackbeard, and even Blackbeard was
killed. Captain Jack Sparrow left Angelica in an empty island awaits the ship that would help him, while the himself with his friend Gibbs, will seek to restore the Blackbeard to its original size due to the Blackpearl is trapped in the bottle by Blackbeard.

A film by Walt Disney’s Pictures and directed by Rob Marshall. Screenplay by Ted Elliott and Terry Rossio. The film with adult Comedy, Romance and Action are made by Author Tim Powers. This is dialogue using figurative language.

For example:

*Jack Sparrow: Death lies before us, as we sail for the fountain of youth.*

*The garden of darkened souls*

*Captain, I wish to report a mutiny I can name fingers*

*I lost the Pearl as I lost my leg!*

*Oh, Latin blood, like her mother!*

*I did not note any fear in the eyes of the Spanish*

From this description, the writer is interested to analyze figurative language used in Pirates of the Caribbean on stranger tides, and takes a research title: *THE TYPES AND INTERPRETATION OF FIGURATIVE LANGUAGE USED IN PIRATES OF THE CARRIBEAN ON STRANGER TIDES MOVIE MANUSCRIPT(2011)*
B. Limitation of study

In this research, the writer limits the research on the analysis of the use of figurative language in “Pirates of the Caribbean on stranger tides” movie script.

C. Problem Statement

Problems which will be studied in this research are;

1. What are the types of figurative language used in “Pirates of Caribbean on Stranger Tides” movie manuscript?

2. What are the meaning of figurative language in “Pirates of Caribbean on Stranger Tides” movie manuscript?

D. Objective of The Study

From the problem statement mentioned above, the objective of the study is to describe the followings:

1. To identify the types of figurative language used in Pirates of the Caribbean on stranger tides movie manuscript.

2. To explain the meaning of figurative languages used in Pirates of the Caribbean on stranger tides movie manuscript.

E. Benefits of study

The writer hopes the research has some benefits. The benefits of the study are:

1. Academic Benefits
   
   a. For English Department Student
This study can give a valuable contribution to the attempt of study in figurative language.

b. For Academic Reference

The result of the study can enrich the study of figurative language and hopefully it can be used as reference for those who are interested in figurative language analysis.

2. Practical Benefits

a. For the reader

This result of the study can improve the knowledge especially in figurative language analysis.

b. For other researchers

This study can help the researchers to add their reference and improve their comprehension in their research which is interested with figurative language analysis.

F. Research Paper Outline

This research paper is divided into five chapters. Chapter I is introduction which consists of the background of the study, limitation of the study, problem statement, objective of the study, benefit of the study, and research paper organization.

Chapter II is review of related literature which presents the previous study, the notion of figurative language, kind of figurative language, and examples of figurative language.
Chapter III is research method which contents the step includes type of research, object of research, data and data source, method of collecting data, technique for analyzing data.

Chapter IV is research finding figurative language. This research finding will be elaborated into (1) describing the kinds of figurative language used in *Pirates of Caribbean on Stranger Tides* movie script, and (2) describing the Reasons of figurative language used in *Pirates of Caribbean on Stranger Tides* movie script.

Chapter V is the last chapter. It consists of conclusion and suggestion.