STRUGGLE FOR LOVE OF BELLA SWAN IN TWILIGHT FILMS:

AN INDIVIDUAL PSYCHOLOGICAL APPROACH

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A. Background of the Study

Love is a part of human characteristics. It cannot be avoided of human activities in this life. A wife has a feeling of love to her husband. A mother has a feeling of love to her children’s. If a human falls in love with someone they must do everything to get their love. However, they must try to know who is him or her, how is about personality, who is her or his friends etc. they must be active to get him or her.

Love has a consequence. For example; a father works hard to get money from morning until afternoon is caused a love to his wife and children. At the Idul Fitri day, many people come to their village for meeting their family although the journey is so far. It is caused of love. A love can make a people do everything. It is so impossible if the people love to us but they do not fight for us.

They can do everything if they love with someone. If they do not have money to give something for special one, it cannot be a problem. They try to lend some money with their friends. If they do not have motorcycle, they look for borrowing whoever and whenever. Some of people say that love is blind. Everything is not being problems as long as the special one happy and has interest with us. Love needs a struggle to get it. We will give our entire have to give the best for them.
Struggle is needed for love. Like *twilight*, a film which story about that. Bella Swan as main character in there falls love with Edward Cullen. It is unique is caused Edward is a vampire and Bella is a human. Bella feels a strange when first meet with him. She looks for much information about him. Asking her friends, surfing internet, buy a book. Finally, she knows that Edward is a vampire. Nevertheless, a feeling of love has saved in her heart. Bella cannot lie with herself that she has falls love with Edward although he is a vampire. The unique story of this film is Bella want t be a vampire too like Edward in order she can life together with him. The big question is why she wants to be a vampire.

Based on the story above, the researcher is interested in analyzing the struggle of Bella as main character in this film. This study will be analyzed by using Alfred Alder’s individual psychological theory. Furthermore, the researcher entitles this research struggle for love of Bella Swan in *twilight* films: an individual psychological approach.

**B. Literary Review**

To show the original of this study, the writer presents the related as follows.

Hartatik (UMS, 2007) in her studies. The study shows that an analyzed the power of a mother who wants to saving her son, after knows her son has been sexually abused by a priest. *The Powers of Mother’s Love in Jodi Picoult’s Perfect Match: an Individual Psychological Approach.*
Sumantri (UMS, 2008) in his studies *Struggle for Being an Actress in Shakespeare in Love Movie by John Maden: an Individual Psychological Approach*. The study shows that an analyzed of Lady Viola as the major character has to struggle for reaching her dream and it reinforces her psychological approach development.

Same with two studies above, but the writer wants to analyze with a differ object. The object of the writer is *twilight* films.

C. **Problem Statement**

The problem statement of the study is how Bella Swan struggles for love in twilight film.

D. **Limitation of the Study**

The study only analyzed how Bella swan struggles for love in twilight film viewed from the individual psychological perspective.

E. **Objectives of the Study**

The objectives of this study as follows:

1. To examine the films based on the structural element by finding character and characterization, plot, setting, point of view, style, and theme.

2. To examine the films based on individual psychological perspective.
F. Benefit of the Study

The benefits of this study follows:

1. Theoretical Benefit
   a. To give some information that can be used by the other researcher that is interesting in analyzing this research.
   b. To give contribution to other literary researcher especially in the study.

2. Practical Benefit
   To give deeper understanding in literary field as the reference to the other researcher in analyzing this films using different perspective.

G. Research Method

The research method of this research paper is divided into for aspect (1) type of the study (2) type of the data and the data sources (3) technique of the data collection (4) technique of the data analysis.

1. Type of the Study
   The research analyzes data use the qualitative as the type of research in the films.

2. Type of the Data and the Data Source
   There are two sources of the data. The name is primary and secondary data sources.
   a. Primary Data Sources
      The primary data are taken from the twilight films script.
b. Secondary Data Sources

The secondary data sources related to the primary data sources such as information about the biography of expert people in individual approach, websites about the film, the structure element of film, and etc.

3. Technique of the Data Collection

The technique of collecting data use library research. The data from both primary and secondary sources are collected and recorded in a sort of document as evidence. The techniques of collecting data will be as follows:

a. Watching the film.
b. Understanding the film.
c. Taking notes about the struggle of Bella swan as a main character.
d. Reading the script.
e. Reading theory of individual psychology.
f. Browsing to the internet to get several information and article related to the object of the study.
g. Developing the data provided.

4. Technique of the Data Analysis

The writer uses individual psychological approach and applies it by using the descriptive analysis. In addition, the writer also uses the structural analysis of the work. Firstly, the data are arranged in a list of data. Secondly, the researcher is looking for a selecting the correlation of
the data by using the chosen approach. Thirdly, all data from the second step are arranged. Finally, a conclusion is drawn.

**H. Paper Organization**

To make it easy to understand, researcher arranges the research paper into five chapters. The first chapter introduction consists of the background of the study, literary review, problem statement, and the object of the study, benefit of the study, theoretical approach, research method, and paper organization. The second chapter presents with underlying theory explaining individual psychology used to analyze the film. The researcher presents the underlying theory, which consists of the notion of the individual psychology, the basic concept of individual psychology and theoretical application. The third chapter presents structural element and discussion of the twilight film directed by Catherine Hardwike. The fourth chapter presents with the analysis the individual psychology toward the main character of the twilight film. The fifth chapter presents conclusion and suggestion of the research.