

CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background

Literature is a work of works of fiction that is the outcome of construction design by additional natural emotion that is able to expose the skill of beauty are both based aspects of language as well as aspects of meaning (Fananie, 2000). Novel is one kind of literary work that formed in printed book or e-book. Novel is a prose essay that tells an extraordinary event happened in someone life called the characters. That in the novel has conflict, controversy or disagreement through to the other characters or event tells in the novel, and in the end of the novel. According to H.B. Jassin, novel is a prose essay that tells an extraordinary event, conflict that makes their destiny.

Sigmund Freud stated that the life of the soul has three levels of consciousness, namely conscious, pre-conscious, and unconscious. This topography or awareness map is used to describe the element of awareness in every event such as thinking and fantasizing. Until the 1920s, the theory of psychological conflict only involved the three elements of consciousness. Psychoanalysis is considered as one of the revolutionary movements in the field of psychology, starting from a method of healing mental illness sufferers, to transforming into a new conception of human beings. The main hypothesis of psychoanalysis that is the human behavior is largely determined by unconscious motives. The *id*, *ego*, and *superego* are three of the psychic apparatus defined in Sigmund Freud's model of mental structure. According to the model of the soul, the *id* is an uncoordinated set of instinctive trends, the *ego* is part, realistically organized and the *superego* plays a critical and moral role, that work together to create complex human behavior.

Novel is a unique literature work this work consisted of several aspects to be called as a novel. First, an intrinsic element of novel consists of theme, plot, setting, characterization, point of view, and moral value. Second is an extrinsic element as attitude, firm belief, and the point of view of the author that influenced the literary work. According to Robert Lindell a literature called novel was born in England

entitled *Pamella* published in 1740. *Novel Pamella* is a dairy note from a house-assistant and then formed in fiction prose as known nowadays. While, according to Sami, novel is a way to link a concentration of life and a discipline life center. Novel is a fiction work that shows a deeper and serves gently of humanity aspects. Thematic characteristic that seems in authentic value by Goldmann is a totality implicit that shown in a novel, based on the explanation or definition of novel, Goldmann formed novel such as psychology novel (romantic) and pedagogical novel.

Friendship is often to find in the society. It is a relation between two persons or more who supported each other and completed each other caused a similar destiny. An expert in social psychology, Kurth, S (2009, p. 215), said that lovely friendship with beloved friendship is two things different. Lovely friendship is a close or intimate personal relationship involving each individual as a whole. While beloved friendship is an early stage relationship that will develop into a friendly relationship because of the sense of comfort and security experienced by two or more people. According to Baron (p. 14), friendship is a relationship which makes two people who spend time together, interact in various situations, not involving others in the relationships and give each other emotional support.

According to Craighead & Nemeroff (2004, p. 381), friendship is the important relationship in all culture and long alive that has characteristics as such: (1) dyadic relation; (2) affection and attention elements that respond each other; (3) voluntary; (4) egalitarian; (5) as friend in doing a gather activity. Friendship has a function as follows: provide a source of support and chance to individual to disclosure and chumminess.

Friendship development is divided into: friendship as handy and playmate, friendship as mutual trust and assistance, friendship as intimacy and loyalty (Damon in Dariyo, 2004, p. 128-130). In general, friend pointed to a close friend who trust worthy, who relate well, and who forgive each other. According to Ridwan (1998, p. 134) that friendship should be understood as a figure present to be trust worthy in dept comprehensive and can forgive each other especially associate closely among friends.

A speculative fiction novelist from America called James Dashner was born in November 26th, 1972. His three novel that get achievements are the best young

adult fiction in Whitney, 13th Reality: 2008, then ALA best fiction for adult, *The Maze Runner*: 2011, and Young reader's choice awards, *The Maze Runner*: 2012.

The Death Cure is a novel series written by James Dashner, it is the third novel series, the first novel series is *The Maze Runner* 2009, the second is *The Scorch Trial* 2010, and the third is *The Death Cure* 2011, next is *The Kill Order* 2012, it is in narrative order and the last is *The Fever Code* in 2016, it is in narrative order. *The Death Cure* novel series published in October 11th, 2011 by Delacorte press, this novel contains about 325 pages and available in printed book: hardcover, paper-book, audio book, and e-book. Those third book are made into film, that directed by Wes Ball with the same title between novel and the film. *The Maze Runner* film released in 2014, by TGS Entertainment, *The Scorch Trials* released in 2015, by TGS Entertainment, and *The Death Cure* released in 2018, by Oddball Entertainment.

Maze Runner: The Death Cure takes the setting story after Teresa been traitorous by join with an organization called WICKED. It is a young adult, science fiction, and dystopian genre. Thomas, Newt, and Frypan are the last member of Gladers who immune to flare virus that harm the world population. Thomas and Galders group that left execute the mission to find the flare virus cure and to safe their friend, Minho, who will be a specimen subject by WICKED. In order to safe their friends, Thomas and the Gladers must enter 'The Last City', it is a maze controlled by WICKED that it may change to be the most dangerous and furious labyrinth.

Friendship is very interest to discussed, this term such always alive in human being from kids to getting old, people need friend and its relation called friendship. Therefore, this paper would like to find out about friendship that every single human is feel it in their society, by knows the indicators of friendship, how the friendship depicted in the novel: *The Death Cure*, and the authors' reason addressed friendship in the novel. This research presents entitled Friendship depicted in James Dashner' novel *The Death Cure* (2011): A Psychoanalytic approach.

1.2 Limitation of the Study

Limitation that discussed in this study is limited in a friendship interaction in the novel by James Dashner: *The Death Cure* (2011). This research is only focus to the characters in the novel which delivers friendship.

This current research conducts of three problem formulations that discuss are about the indicators of friendship, depiction of friendship, and the reason of the author addressed the friendship.

1.3 Research Questions

Based on the novel, the researcher analyzed that the most topic of the story is about to struggle of life to get the freedom by keep safe together. Then, this paper is about friendship, that this paper is focus on the friendship character delivered by the main character named Thomas. To discuss the issues, the researcher takes about three research questions as follows:

- 1) What are the indicators of friendship in *The Death Cure* novel?
- 2) How is friendship depicted in *The Death Cure* novel by James Dashner?
- 3) Why did the author address friendship in *The Death Cure* novel?

1.4 Objectives of the Study

The objectives of the study stated as:

- 1) To identify the indicators of friendship,
- 2) To describe how friendship depicted in *The Death Cure* novel, and
- 3) To reveal the reason why the author addressed friendship in *The Death Cure* novel.

1.5 Significance of the Study

This study is expected to give contribution academically and practically.

1.5.1 Academically

- 1) This research study pointing the information in a psychoanalytic approach through the novel *The Death Cure* by James Dashner.
- 2) This research can be reference for another research on psychoanalytic perspective or research in the novel *The Death Cure*.

1.5.2 Practically

Implementing this research, the researcher hopes it can raise people to take cares each other and have a good relation with friends in any situation and condition in our live. People should be has a good relationship with other people especially with friend, that human cannot do anything alone human being is always need each other.

1.6 Paper Organization

The research paper consists of five chapters, namely: Chapter I, Introduction; in this chapter, the researcher wants to explain about background of study, limitation of study, research problem, objective of the study, significance of the study. Chapter II, Literature Review; in this chapter, the writer would like to discuss some theories related to the research. Chapter III, Research Method; this chapter explains about research design of the study, subject of the study, data collection and data analysis to conduct the study. Chapter IV, Finding and Discussion; in this chapter, the researcher analyze the data. This chapter discusses the research findings based on the result of the data analysis, and the discussion of the findings. Chapter V, Conclusion and Suggestion; the last chapter of this study is conclusion and suggestion. It presents a conclusion, and suggestion concerning the finding of the study discussed in the previous chapter.