

**NEED FOR POSITIVE REGARD TO BE A FULLY FUNCTIONING
PERSON IN DAVID AUBURN'S *THE GIRL IN THE PARK* (2007):
HUMANISTIC PERSPECTIVE**



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CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

A. Background of the study

The Girl in the Park movie is being directed by David Auburn, This movie made in Manhattan New York at November 13, 2006 with starting Sigourney Weaver, Kate Bosworth, Elias Koteas, Allesandro Nivola and the other. The movie original soundtrack is Theodora Shapirra. This movie production is gaining price for about US \$ 125 000. This movie was premiered at Toronto International Film Festival on Sunday, September 9, 2007 and use English language. *The Girl in the Park* released in December 5, 2008.

David Auburn was born in Chicago in 1970. He lives in Chicago. He attended the University of Chicago where he was a member of campus and received a degree in English literature. Following a fellowship with Ambillin Entertainment, he moved to New York City and spent two years in the Julliard Schools playwriting program, studying under the noted dramatics. Auburns also got award from the Helen Mar rill for playwriting award and a Gunggenheim fellowship. Beside that, he also screen play for *The Lake House* movie, which is release in 2005 and *The Proof* that release in 2006.

This movie tells about a woman, her name is Julia. She is jazz singer who famous and success in New York but enduringly daughter

traumatized by the disappearances of her three years old. She lives with her husband and her two children. The first child is Chris he is seven years old and Maggie three years old. At the night Julia get the for job singing at the bar and she has two sing ten songs. Julia back home at late night. In the morning Julia gets up with her husband and her children. At seven o'clock Chris go to Scholl with her father and Maggie with Julia goes to playground. In playground Maggie plays in attractive and Julia is waiting her in the Border Park. Suddenly Maggie disappear from the Park. This event makes traumatic to Julia. To avoid it, she leaves New York to go to Canada to forget her sadness because losing her daughter.

Ten years later Julia back home to New York, She becomes successful and reliable teller bank. After back from Canada she knows that her first child, Chris become a successful builder and he married with Celeste. She show the unfriendly behavior to Caleste, because she remembered her daughter, Maggie, which is lost do not like woman. She comes in celebrating just to give congratulation to Chris, then Julia lost moment and decided comeback to her apartment. The next day Julia goes to the restaurant she met with a woman. Her name is Louise, She is sixteen years old. Louise is wiping because of boyfriend then she was left by her boyfriend in restaurant. She was crying, then Julia come close to Louise, her why she doing here. Louise answered her question that her boyfriend was leaving her, and now she was at New York City by herself. Julia feels fragile when she was getting Louise steal glasses to shop. But, Julia help

Louise in order not to get punishment from the police because she was stealing the glasses. Louise tells to Julia that she has not anything and anybody in New York, especially she hasn't many. Julia help her by giving her money for US \$ 700. When Julia sees Louise at the bar, she realized her present and attack her. Later Julia stop in central park where Maggie disappeared and approaches little girl in overly familiar manners. Soon after Louise whales her way into Julia apartment. She ossified maternal instinct are realized in a Mann flurry of cooking, shopping, and girl talk and over protectines.

After Julia met Louise a trouble young woman with a checkered post, Julia and psycho painfully resurface as her in met mally before she lost her daughter. She hopes that, Louise may be her daughter that lost for some years ago.

The Girl in The Park gets negative and positive response from the public, the first public response is Siamois from Canada saying that this movie is good because this film some more development, some twist and turn in the second half of the movie would have considerably improved the movie. Instead, we're left with a cheap Hollywood ending, the catalyst of which is too dumb to even write down here, the second is Mysmaus from United State saying that this good because of that I did not expect too much from it, because without the presence of the actors on live, I thought we would only have a weak story. Fortunately, that did not happen and I finished liking this movie pretty much. And the last from Collipal from

argentina saying this movie good because this film teach that each and everyone after experiencing of an problem should be able to accept the existing fact. (The Internet Movie Database, 2008)

This film also gets negative response from the public, for example from Kmzzy she says that this movie is boring because the character had a bit of edge, the second from Mark he is say this not good because the end of the film does not portray the truth well and he is say that this film is free sex which is play of by Louise so that the film do not educated for the audience, and the third from Ramccol he is say that film didn't get educated because this movie mirroring that the character good, this character is after a person get the problem she can not received the fact and cause feel trauma.

The Girl in The Park movie stays in movie theater during four week in New York many people interest with the movie. This movie sold counted 879 seed. This movie also get Tony Award for best play

Method takes image through camera covering three phases that is long shot, medium shot and close up. Long shot is any shot that includes the full human body or more and the second is medium shot is generally neutral in it presentation of the subject, the third is close up is essentially a head shot. Besides takes image this movie also consists of three focus effect. In the first are deep focus, shallow focus and shifting focus. Then in this movie consist of two distinct approaches to collecting sound for film sync and no sync. Sync sound is recorder at the camera is rolling on

location or a sound stage. It is also referred to as production sound and is generally, though not exclusively dialogue, the second is non sync sound is recorded at other times and includes effects that are location mixer collects, effects recorded later in a sound studio, library effects and music that was prerecorded or specifically designed for the film. The other this film also used single and double system sound. Intake voice in this film use Hard – drive recorders, Digital Audiotape, Microphones, Audio connectors and microphone cords.

The movie interested to be studied because first the plot about Julia's desire to wake up from her traumatic after losing her daughter. She wants to be her real self. Get her spirit again to go on her living.

Need positive regard is a learned need that develops out of the association of self experience with the satisfaction of self or frustration of the need positive regard. To put in positive self regards refers to the satisfaction at disapproving our self. It is as if the self structure had become its own “ significant social other”. The development of positive regard assures that the person will strive to act in ways that are viewed favorably both by others and by him or herself. Consequently, the person is unlikely to behave in ways that are inconsistent with his or her self because this would frustrate the need for positive regard.

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have need regard positive to eliminate to feel the trauma of its after the child loss. So that by having avidity to cure feels the trauma and return to in attitude herself.

B. Literature review

The movie is exciting, inspirational, worthy and has a sense. As far as the writer knows, there is no research that has been conducted to study *The Girl in The Park* movie, at least in Muhammadiyah University of Surakarta, Jogjakarta region. She just found a journal in a website posted by Lisa Tolonto fsp at 8:46 PM cited that in *The Girl in The Park* movie have been conducted using an individual psychological approaches. Lisa Tolonto found that major character unable socialize with the surrounding people after traumatic events. Its different with this researchs problem statement. The research focus on the desire of major character's need for positive regard to be fully functioning is reflected in David Auburn *The Girl in The Park*.

C. Research problem

The problem of the study is how the need for positive regard to be fully-functioning is reflected in David auburn *The Girl in the Park*

D. Limitation of study

In this research, the research will focus on the analysis of the major character, from the aspect of humanistic perspective, by Carl Rogers.

E. Objective of the study

The objectives of study are described as follows:

1. To analyze the film on its structural elements.
2. To analyze the film based on the Humanistic Perspective.

F. Benefit of the study

1. Theoretical Benefit

Theoretically the result of the study contributes to the larger body of knowledge particularly literary study.

2. Practical Benefit

Practically, the study can add the knowledge to the researcher of the Humanistic perspective theory applied in a literary work, particularly on need for positive regard to be fully-function person in David Auburn *The Girl in The Park*

G. Research method

1. Object of the study

The object of the study is Need for Positive Regard to be Fully Functioning in “*The Girl in the Park*” movie

2. Type of Data and the Data Source

The type of data of this study is image and text in the script of the movie.

In study there are two source of data namely primary and secondary data source.

- a. Primary data sources

The primary data source is the movie of “The Girl in The Park” directed by David Auburn.

b. Secondary Data Source

The secondary data sources are the author's biography, essay, comment, homepage, and website about the movie and other relevant source.

3. Technique of Data Collecting uses

The method uses for collecting data is note taking and image capturing involves the following steps.

- a. Searching the script of the movie from internet.
- b. Reading the script repeatedly.
- c. Reading the related books to find out the theory, data and information.
- d. Making the point in the script to make easy in analyzing it.
- e. Taking notes of important in the script to make easy in analyzing it.
- f. Classifying the data into groups according categories of element of literary study.
- g. Selecting them by rejecting the irrelevant sources, this doesn't have important the topic of the study.

4. Technique of The Data Analysis

The writer uses Humanistic Perspective and applies it by using the descriptive analysis. In addition, the writer. Firstly, the data are arranged in a list of data. Secondly, the research is looking for a selecting the

complementation of data by using the chosen approach. Thirdly, all data from the second are arrange. Finally a conclusion is drawn.

H. Paper organization

This research is divided into five chapters. The first chapter is introduction that explained the background of the study, literature review, research problem, and objective of the study, benefit of the study, research method, and thesis organization. The second chapter is dealing with the underlying which cover Nature of human being, aware about Concept Self, and The Fully Functioning Person. The third chapter is Structural analysis of the movie consist of narrative element and technical element. The fourth chapter is Humanistic perspective and last chapter is Conclusion and suggestion.