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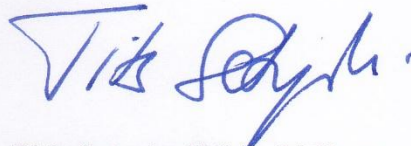
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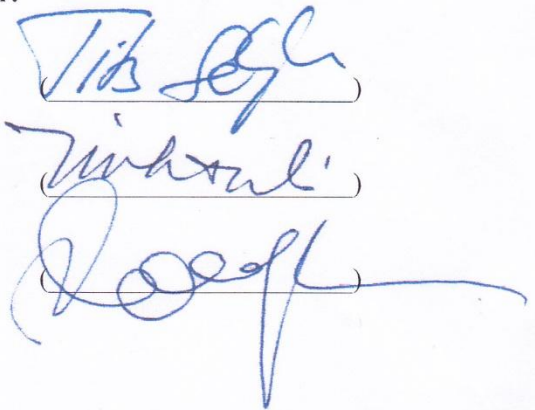
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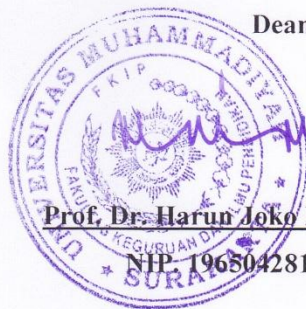
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MOTTO

“Money is not everything, but no money everything is nothing”

“The struggle you are in today is developing the strength you need for tomorrow”

“Every morning you have two choices: continue to sleep with your dreams or wake up and chase them”

“From ZERO to HERO”

“Sesungguhnya setelah kesulitan pasti akan ada kemudahan”

“Barang siapa yang keluar untuk mencari ilmu maka dia berada di jalan Allah”

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This study discusses the main characters in Paulo Coelho's novel *The Alchemist*, Santiago. Although the title of this novel is *Alchemist* as one of the characters in the novel, this research focuses on another character's journey, Santiago, a shepherd who leaves his home to fulfill his destiny and to find buried treasure near the pyramids in Egypt. In reaching his dream, he must undergo various adventures and obstacles in the end he found the treasure. The method used in this research is qualitative method that is solved by using descriptive analysis. This study aims to describe the motivated character of Santiago to change his life and find treasures near the pyramids in Egypt. The theory used in this research is Alfred Adler's theory of personality psychology. Based on the theory personality is divided into six basic concepts namely inferiority feeling and compensation, finalism fictionalism, striving for superiority, social interest, style of life, and creative power or self. The results of this study indicate that the motivation from within Santiago that encouraged him to achieve his dreams, he found the treasure that had been there in his dream and he got a more valuable treasure that is increasing spiritual level.

Keyword : santiago, the alchemist, Paulo Coelho, Individual psychology.

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Penelitian ini membahas karakter utama yang ada dalam novel *The Alchemist* karya Paulo Coelho, Santiago. Meskipun judul novel ini adalah *Alchemist* sebagai salah satu karakter yang ada dalam novel, penelitian ini fokus pada perjalanan karakter yang lain, yaitu Santiago, seorang penggembala yang meninggalkan tempat tinggalnya untuk memenuhi takdirnya dan untuk menemukan harta karun yang terkubur di dekat piramida di Mesir. Dalam meraih mimpinya, dia harus menjalani berbagai petualangan dan rintangan pada akhirnya dia menemukan harta karun tersebut. Metode yang digunakan dalam penelitian ini adalah metode kualitatif yang diselesaikan dengan menggunakan analisis deskriptif. Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mendeskripsikan karakter Santiago yang didorong oleh motivasi untuk mengubah hidupnya serta menemukan harta karun di dekat piramida di Mesir. Teori yang digunakan dalam penelitian ini adalah teori Alfred Adler tentang psikologi kepribadian. Berdasarkan teori tersebut kepribadian dibagi menjadi enam konsep dasar yaitu inferiority feeling and compensation, fictionalism finalism, striving for superiority, social interest, style of life, and creative power or self. Hasil penelitian ini menunjukkan bahwa motivasi dari dalam diri Santiago yang mendorongnya untuk meraih mimpi-mimpinya, dia menemukan harta karun yang selama ini ada dalam mimpinya dan dia mendapatkan harta yang lebih berharga yaitu meningkatnya tingkat spiritualnya.

Kata Kunci: santiago, the alchemist, Paulo Coelho, Psikologi Kepribadian.

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