

CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION

The purpose of this research was to find out the answer to the problems. The first was to find out Miss Havisham's insanity based on Diogenes Syndrome in Charles Dickens's *Great Expectations*. The second was to find out the effects of Miss Havisham's insanity toward herself and other characters in Charles Dickens's *Great Expectations*. This research was descriptive because it shows the development of insanity and the effects of it in the form of dialogues and narratives. The data of this research were words, phrases, clauses, paragraphs, or discourses in the novel *Great Expectations* written by Charles Dickens. The source of data was document, namely a novel entitled *Great Expectations*. The technique of collecting the data was document analysis. There are four theories that used in this research, namely character, characterization, psychoanalysis, and insanity as Diogenes Syndrome. In conducting the data analysis, the researcher used two approaches namely sociological approach and psychological approach. In short, sociological approach was used to determine effect of Miss Havisham's insanity toward Pip and Estella. While psychological approach was used to determine the development of Miss Havisham's insanity and the effect of it toward herself.

Miss Havisham's insanity is categorized as Diogenes Syndrome. Diogenes Syndrome is indicated by self-neglect, domestic squalor, and social withdrawal. Miss Havisham's insanity is caused by her betrayal on her wedding day. She is betrayed by her fiancé, named Compeyson. Compeyson humiliates Miss Havisham by not coming to their wedding. After that day, Miss Havisham stops her time and her life. She neglects herself, especially her appearance and her health. She only wears her wedding dress as her daily clothes. The wedding dress is the dress that she used on her wedding day when she was betrayed by Compeyson. She also leaves everything behind in her house as it used to be placed on her wedding day.

The effects of Miss Havisham's insanity is mainly towards Estella and Pip, as she never meets other people except for Estella and Pip. Miss Havisham ruins Estella's life by teaching her bad things. She teaches Estella to be a heartbreaker in order to take her revenge of her betrayal. Miss Havisham wants Estella to be a betrayal. She does not want Estella to feel the same as her. She only wants men to be betrayed just like she used to be betrayed by her fiancé. Estella develops to hate men and has no heart. She becomes very rude, materialistic, and does not know what real love is.

On the other hand, Miss Havisham's insanity makes Pip be a better man. Miss Havisham changes Pip's dream from a blacksmith to a gentleman. He is triggered to be a gentleman since the day he met Miss Havisham. Miss Havisham tells Pip to love Estella and give all of his love to Estella. However, her intention

is to crush Pip's heart by using Estella as her doll. She manipulates Estella's heart to fool Pip. Pip falls for it and triggered to be a gentleman for Estella. In the end, he realizes that all of Miss Havisham's plan is only making him suffer.

The conclusion is that heartbroken can make people depressed. One who is depressed can do anything just to make her happy or forget her heartbroken. She can close her heart and blame herself as she is the reason for her heartbroken or blames other people and take revenge so they can feel the same way as she does. If she blames herself, she will close her heart and do harmful things to herself, such as hurt herself by not maintaining her health or even end her life right away by suicide. If she blames other people, she will do anything just to get her revenge. She will use other people as her puppet to take his revenge or revenge them with her own hand.

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