

CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION

In conclusion, many people try to achieve their dream like as their ambitions. It takes hard work and dedication to fulfill the dreams especially for people who is trying to reach American dream itself. It not easy to achieve it, the dream must be a true and achievable dream which is worth working for. The dream that wants to be achieved also must be able to help and use for every people in this world.

Every people want to be a successful person in their life and try to do the best for becoming like what their wants to be. They will do anything to reach the American Dream and achieve the successful although sometimes that thing will lead them to do good or bad attitude to achieve their dream. Every people also have own ambition and target in achieving American dream. They have own definition of success in their life that will influence the way in achieving that dream.

Willy Loman, as the main character in *Death of a Salesman* is known as the person who has big ambition and full of a pride that will lead him as the strong person in achieving his dream. Many factors in American dream influences his mind and opinion that create his own world to be able achieve what he wants. His ambition talks about being popular and successful on his career. According to Willy Loman's mind, the important key that needed in achieving American dream is about being well-liked. He believes that thing will lead him to be a success in

his life. But, in fact that thing will lead him to be lived in his illusion of being success and makes him to be depressed because he realizes that he cannot to achieve the dream that he wants. Although he lives in his imagination, he has a good side in his life. Willy Loman is a person who has a positive thinking and high self confidence that he is able to achieve the dream that he wants. He will struggle and work hard although many obstacles and difficulties that blocks his way in achieving his dream. He wants to make his family especially his sons and his wife to be proud about the achievement that he has already got from his career. And also prepares for the best future for his sons' life. He always believes that he can become like as Dave Singleman but unfortunately it is just only a dream for him.

Death of a Salesman is a play that tries to focus on the American Dream and also the condition of society during 19th century. As we know that American Dream is not always bringing the happiness, it can also bring the problem for our life if the dream is given the wrong reaction from us such as how people react that dream. The thing that can be said, we may have a big ambition in achieving our dream, but do not let the ambition aside the good thing and blind you for everything.

Arthur Miller as the author of the character Willy Loman wants to reveal the daily problems that happened in our life, such as the problem of the financial, the problem that happened in our family, and the problem of being popular and success in our society. It can be seen based on Willy Loman's perspective that

Willy Loman is a man is facing his problem with full of spirit and confidence. He also always tries to do the best in achieving the dream that he expected.

On the other hand it becomes a tragedy for Willy Loman when he realizes that he cannot achieve his dream, and that thing leads him into the depression. The standard of American dream influences his mind and makes him to believe that he will be success in the future if he wants to work hard and never give up on his struggling. Willy Loman has a simple dream that is being successful and popular to have a better life for him and his family, but this simple dream is bringing him into great depression because he cannot deal with his reality that he is not a successful man as he expected. He decides to suicide to end his all of problems, and thinks that his family can get better life with the money insurance.

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