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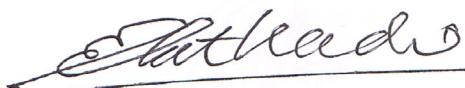
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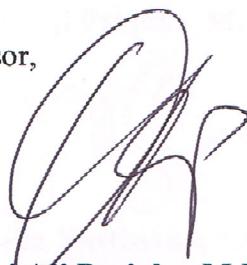
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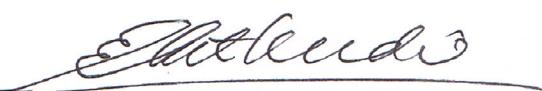
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ABSTRACT

NATALIA ANITA HAPSARI (2009). THE PARALLELISM BETWEEN SETTING AND CHARACTERIZATION OF CHARLES DICKENS' *A CHRISTMAS CAROL* AND THOSE OF *THE CHIMES*.

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The objective of the research entitled *The Parallelism between Setting and Characterization of Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol and those of The Chimes* is (1) to describe the parallelism between setting of Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol* and that of *The Chimes* (2) to describe the parallelism between characterization of Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol* and that of *The Chimes*. Library research including internet browsing is done to find the related theories. The related theories are used to form the conceptual models. The data are all of the words, phrases, clauses, or paragraph which contains the parallelism of setting and characterization between Charles Dickens' novels *A Christmas Carol* and that of *The Chimes*. Sociological and psychological approaches are used to analyze the data descriptively.

The setting of Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol* parallels with that of *The Chimes*. The setting of both novels discusses the setting of place and the setting time. The setting of time happens in the winter season. In *A Christmas Carol* happens in the Christmas day, while in *The Chimes* happens in the New Year day. Besides, the setting of time *A Christmas Carol* and that of *The Chimes* also happen at night. The settings of places of the two novels also parallel. Many events happen in the similar places, namely house and office. Houses are the place of the main characters' frequent meetings with the ghosts in both *A Christmas Carol* and *The Chimes*. Besides, the main characters in both novels spend almost all of his time to work in office. Further, the characterization of Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol* parallels with that of *The Chimes*. The main characters in both novels are hardworking persons. They spend almost all of his time for working. They greatly care their business. Besides, the main characters in those two novels hate the great days. Ebenezer Scrooge, the main character of *A Christmas Carol*, hates Christmas very much since he thinks Christmas is a humbug and nonsense until the three spirits come to him and show the greatness of Christmas. He turns from hating Christmas to love it. He, therefore, promises to celebrate Christmas and changes his behaviors. Similarly, Toby Veck, the major character of *The Chimes* hates New Year very much. He also never celebrates New Year until the ghost comes and shows the greatness of New Year to him. He turns from hating New Year to loving it. He, then, promises to celebrate New Year, permits his daughter to marry on New Year. Toby hopes that New Year will bring the new hope and happiness for everybody.

ABSTRAK

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Tujuan penelitian yang berjudul *The Parallelism between Setting and Characterization of Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol and Those of The Chimes* adalah (1) untuk menjelaskan persamaan latar antara novel Charles Dicken *A Christmas Carol* dan *The Chimes* (2) untuk menjelaskan persamaan penokohan antara novel Charles Dickens novel *A Christmas Carol* dan *The Chimes*. Study kepustakaan termasuk mengakses internet digunakan untuk menemukan teori yang sesuai. Teori-teori tersebut digunakan untuk membentuk model konseptual. Semua data berbentuk kata, frase, klausa, atau alinea yang mengandung persamaan latar dan penokohan antara novel Charles Dickens *A Christmas Carol* dan *The Chimes*. Pendekatan sosial dan psikologi digunakan untuk menganalisis data secara deskriptif.

Latar novel *A Christmas Carol* sama dengan *The Chimes*. Latar di antara kedua novel tersebut terdiri dari setting tempat dan waktu. Latar waktu terjadi pada waktu musim dingin. Pada novel *A Christmas Carol* terjadi pada saat hari natal, sedangkan *The Chimes* terjadi saat tahun baru. Selain itu, latar waktu antara dua novel tersebut juga terjadi pada saat malam hari. Latar tempat antara dua novel tersebut juga sama. Banyak peristiwa terjadi di tempat yang sama, yaitu rumah dan kantor. Rumah adalah tempat dimana pemain utama *A Christmas Carol* dan *The Chimes* bertemu dengan hantu. Selain itu, pemeran utama pada kedua novel tersebut menghabiskan hampir seluruh waktunya untuk bekerja di kantor. Penokohan novel Charles Dicken *A Christmas Carol* sama dengan *The Chimes*. Tokoh utama pada kedua novel adalah seorang pekerja keras. Mereka menghabiskan hampir seluruh waktunya untuk bekerja. Mereka sangat memperhatikan pekerjaan mereka. Selain itu, tokoh utama kedua novel tersebut membenci hari besar. Ebenezer Scrooge, tokoh utama *A Christmas Carol* sangat membenci hari natal karena dia berfikir natal tidak penting dan berguna sampai tiga spirit datang kepadanya dan menunjukkan kebesaran natal. Dia berubah dari membenci natal menjadi menyukai natal. Dia juga berjanji untuk merayakan natal dan merubah tingkah lakunya. Toby Veck, tokoh utama *The Chimes* membenci tahun baru. Dia juga tidak pernah merayakan tahun baru sampai hantu datang dan menunjukkan kebesaran tahun baru kepadanya. Dia berubah dari membenci tahun baru menjadi menyukai tahun baru. Dia berjanji untuk merayakan tahun baru, mengijinkan anak perempuannya menikah pada tahun baru. Toby berharap tahun baru akan membawa harapan dan kebahagiaan baru bagi setiap orang.

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