CHAPTER IV

CONCLUSION

The thesis is written by using deductive method in which it draws conclusion from general knowledge and general statement to the specific one. Everyone in the world must have conflicts, not only with others but also with himself. The conflicts cannot be avoided as long as human beings live side by side in this world. Conflicts happen as human beings have different background, personality, characteristic, opinion, idea or principle, even way of life. The ability of someone to control his emotion is taking the important role in facing conflicts. But in fact, it is not easy for someone to control his emotion if once he is facing a problem. A conflict deals with human experience in everyday life. In a story, conflict appears to arouse the reader's emotion and it makes the story more interesting and colorful. The story exists as there are conflicts which develop the story. Conflict is the one of important elements of plot for provides suspense. Without conflict, there is no suspense and the story becomes monotonous. Conflict arises if someone is stricken by someone else or something toward his aims. He has difficulties to decide what is the conflicts that make the reader keep on reading a story till the end. The writer analyzes the psychological conditions the main character that is called the Underground Man.

In the first part, the Underground Man has been through such psychological conditions which are caused by many conflicts in his life. Those conflicts appear because he cannot control his emotion. He is such an unhappy

solitary being who is unable to make lasting acquaintances with others. He does not know how to deprive his loneliness and unhappiness, so he rents it to other people, he has conflict within himself for he persistently confuses reality with fantasy. He is incapable of handling reality. He attempts to dominate everyone he meets, imaging duels with them when he fails and despising then whenever he succeeds. Further, he has got enjoyment everytime he he makes people unhappy. He also has conflicts with his old schoolfellow: Simonov, Ferfichkin and Trudolyubov and with his servant Apollon as well. All these conflict give a great effect toward his condition psychologically, just suppose, he can control his emotion, he will not be in any trouble at all.

In the second problem, it is discussed about the causes of psychological condition of the Underground Man. There are many factors that cause his psychological condition, such as conflict with his friends, conflict with Liza and also within himself. He has conflict with other people for he does not know how to control himself and how to make friend with others. Moreover, he has conflict within himself for he has a very miserable childhood, so he grows up feeling guilty or with low self—esteem. All these conflicts have affected him psychologically that is why he hides his weakness and his fear, deep in his heart

The last problem deals with the Underground Man attitude toward the condition. He should have learned something after he has been through many incidents and conflicts in his life. In fact, he is such a stubborn and arrogant person who does not want to learn something from his life. Instead of loving Liza, he humiliates her. He prefers to be left alone in his underground world.

Hopefully, this thesis will be useful for the readers to understand that conflicts may easily appear in our daily life. It is better for us to avoid conflict by living in peace. It possibly happens if we can control our emotion.

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