

**THE UNFULFILLED LOVE NEED IN THE MAIN CHARACTER
OF ANTON CHEKOV'S *MISERY***

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ABSTRACT

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Human beings have to fulfill their needs to support their daily life. In this case, between needs and wants has to be balanced in order to avoid imbalance which can raise the problem. Considering about the importance of fulfilling the basic needs, the writer observes about needs fulfillment that is in the short story *Misery*. This short story is narrated about the sadness of someone who loses his son until he neglects his needs. Hence, in this study, the writer will answer the problem of the study that is (1) what kind of problems appear from the unfulfilled love need in the main character of Anton Chekov's *Misery*? (2) How can these problems happen to the main character of Anton Chekov's *Misery*?

The study is using a qualitative approach to describe the event that is clearly and systematically learnt. The contextual description study is used with the purpose to analyze the short story *Misery*.

The result of the study shows that basic needs (physiological needs, safety needs, love and belonging needs, and esteem needs) which cannot be fulfilled will make complex problems. In order to solve his problems, he tries to talk to his passenger, but he is neglected. There is an imbalance between Iona's need and desire so he misses many things. Iona's unconsciousness when he neglects his basic needs becomes the principal point of view of the writer.

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Manusia harus memenuhi kebutuhan untuk menunjang aktivitas dalam kehidupan sehari-hari. Dalam hal ini, diperlukan penyeimbang antara kebutuhan dan keinginan agar tidak terjadi ketimpangan yang dapat menimbulkan permasalahan. Menyadari pentingnya kebutuhan dasar yang harus dipenuhi, penulis mengadakan studi tentang pemenuhan kebutuhan yang terdapat dalam cerita pendek *Misery*. Cerita pendek ini menarasikan tentang kesedihan seseorang yang kehilangan anak lelakinya sehingga melalaikan kebutuhannya. Karena itulah dalam studi ini penulis akan menjawab rumusan masalah dalam penelitian ini yaitu (1) Masalah apa yang timbul akibat tidak terpenuhinya kebutuhan kasih sayang pada tokoh utama dari karya Anton Chekov *Misery* dan (2) Bagaimana masalah tersebut dapat terjadi pada tokoh utama dari karya Anton Chekov *Misery*.

Studi ini menggunakan pendekatan kualitatif untuk mendeskripsikan kejadian yang dipelajari dengan jelas dan sistematis. Studi deskripsi secara tekstual digunakan dengan tujuan untuk menganalisis cerita pendek *Misery*.

Hasil studi menunjukkan bahwa kebutuhan dasar (kebutuhan fisik, kebutuhan keamanan, kebutuhan kasih sayang atau kepemilikan, dan kebutuhan harga diri) yang tidak terpenuhi akan menimbulkan masalah yang kompleks. Untuk menyelesaikan masalahnya, dia mencoba untuk bercerita pada penumpangnya, tapi diabaikan. Antara kebutuhan dan keinginan Iona kini menjadi tidakimbang sehingga banyak hal yang ia lewatkan. Ketidaksadarannya melalaikan kebutuhan dasar demi keinginan inilah yang menjadi titik utama penelitian penulis.

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