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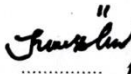




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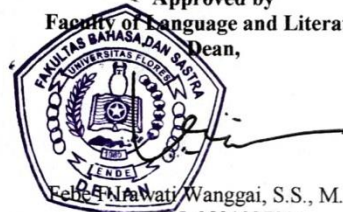
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ABSTRAK

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Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk menjelaskan gejala-gejala psikopati Kevin dan untuk mengetahui faktor penyebab Kevin menjadi psikopat. Penelitian ini tentang individu yang mengalami psikopati. Pendekatan yang penulis gunakan dalam penelitian ini adalah pendekatan psikologis dan teori psikopati untuk menjawab masalah penelitian. Penelitian ini menggunakan metode deskriptif kualitatif. Data di ambil dengan menonton, mencatat, dan mengidentifikasi berupa ucapan, kata, dan tindakan dari film *We Need to Talk about Kevin*.

Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa terdapat lima gejala psikopati terdapat pada Kevin yaitu menipu/memanipulasi, tidak berperasaan/kurang empati, kurangnya penyesalan/rasa bersalah, tidak bertanggung jawab, dan impulsif. Sementara faktor penyebab Kevin menjadi psikopat adalah faktor lingkungan yaitu faktor orangtua dimana karena ketidakterimaan seorang ibu yaitu Eva dalam menerima kehadiran Kevin selama dikandungannya kemudian cara dia mengadopsi dan mendidik Kevin sehingga Kevin menjadi nakal dan melakukan tindakan kriminal.

Kata kunci: *Psikopati, Tokoh, Film.*

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This study aimed at describing psychopathy symptoms of Kevin and at finding the factor causing Kevin become psychopath. This study was about individuals who were has psychopathy. The approach used in this research was a psychological approach and psychopathy theory to answer the research problem. This study used descriptive qualitative method. The data were analyzed by watching, taking notes, and identifying data from utterances, words, and actions from the film *We Need to Talk about Kevin*.

The result of this study indicates that there are five symptoms of psychopathy found in Kevin that are conning/manipulation, callous/lack of empathy, lack of remorse/guilt, impulsive, and irresponsible. Meanwhile, the factor causing Kevin becomes psychopath is parenting factor, because of the disapproval of a mother, namely Eva, in accepting Kevin's presence while in her womb, then the way she adopted and educated Kevin so Kevin become naughty and committed criminal acts.

***Key words:* Psychopathy, Character, Film.**

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“THE BIGGEST ENEMY IN YOUR LIFE IS YOURSELF”

It is dedicated

 **My beloved Father**

 **My beloved Mother**

 **My beloved brothers and sisters**

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