

## ABSTRACT

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This research is done to analyse the selected Eminem's rap song lyrics. There are four selected songs which are *White America*, *Without me*, *Superman*, and *Cleanin' Out My Closet*. Those songs are included in Eminem's best album "The Eminem show." They are chosen based on their purpose which have less of swear words.

The aim of this research is to find out the metaphor and its function of connotation meaning on selected Eminem's rap song lyrics. In order to find out the aim, there are two research question which have been formulated as follows: 1) What are the metaphors found in Eminem's selected rap song lyrics?; 2) What are the functions of connotation meaning in those metaphors?

The method of this research is library research. This method has two sources namely primary and secondary subject. The primary subject is four selected Eminem's rap song lyrics. Then, the secondary subject is theories and information about metaphor, connotation meaning, lyrics, review of Eminem and formalist and biographical approach. In answering the first research question, theories about metaphor and formalist approach are used. While in answering the second research questions, theories about connotation function and biographical approach are used. Further, the theories and information about lyrics and review of Eminem are used to strength this research.

The result of this research find that there are 17 metaphors found on the four selected Eminem's rap song lyrics. They are 5 metaphors of *White America*, 2 metaphors of *Superman*, 4 metaphors of *Without Me* and 6 metaphors of *Cleanin' Out My Closet*. Then each metaphor has their connotation meaning. In addition, 6 metaphors contain connotation of senses, 2 metaphors contain connotation of stereotype, 2 metaphors contain connotation of attitude and conformity and 7 metaphors contain connotation of attitude and personal belief.

**Keywords:** metaphor, connotation meaning, selected Eminem's rap song lyrics

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*Penelitian ini dilaksanakan untuk meneliti lagu-lagu terpilih dari Eminem. Ada empat buah lagu terpilih yaitu White America, Without Me, Superman, dan Cleanin' Out My Closet. Semua lagu ini dirilis dalam album terpopuler Eminem berjudul "The Eminem Show."Lagu-lagu tersebut dipilih karena mengandung sedikit bahasa yang terdengar kasar atau kurang sopan.*

*Tujuan dari penelitian ini adalah untuk menemukan majas metafora dan fungsi makna konotasinya. Kemudian untuk memenuhi tujuan tersebut, maka dirumuskanlah dua pertanyaan ilmiah sebagai berikut: 1) Apa saja metafora yang ditemukan dalam lirik lagu Eminem?; 2). Apa fungsi makna konotasi pada setiap metafora dalam lirik lagu Eminem?.*

*Metode penelitian ini adalah metode penelitian pustaka. Metode ini memiliki dua jenis sumber yaitu sumber utama dan sumber tambahan. Sumber utamanya adalah ke-empat lagu terpilih dari Eminem. Kemudian sumber tambahannya berupa teori dan informasi tentang metafora, makna konotasi, lirik lagu, biografi Eminem serta pendekatan formalist dan biografi. Untuk menjawab pertanyaan yang pertama teori tentang metafora dan pendekatan formalist digunakan. Kemudian, teori makna konotasi dan pendekatan biografi digunakan untuk menjawab pertanyaan kedua. Selanjutnya, teori dan informasi tentang lirik dan biografi Eminem digunakan sebagai pelengkap.*

*Hasil penelitian ini menunjukkan bahwa terdapat 17 metafora dalam empat lirik lagu terpilih milik Eminem. Terdapat 5 metafora dalam "White America," 2 metafora dalam "Without Me," 4 metafora dalam "Superman," and 6 metafora dalam "Cleanin' Out My Closet." Setiap metafora tersebut memiliki fungsi makna konotasi. Sebanyak 7 metafora tergolong mengandung makna perasaan, 2 metafora mengandung makna stereotip, 2 metafora mengandung makna sikap dan keyakinan, dan 7 metafora mengandung makna sikap dan kepentingan pribadi.*

**Kata Kunci:** metaphor, connotation meaning, selected Eminem's rap song lyrics