

ABSTRACT

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One of the familiar crimes in real life and fiction is murder. However there is always a motive behind someone's behavior and action. The object in this thesis is a TV series entitled *The Walking Dead*. *The Walking Dead* TV series is adapted from the comic that also has the same title. The researcher chooses *The Walking Dead* TV series because it tells about human survival in the zombie apocalypse. It also portrays internal and external conflicts when human try to adapt in the new environment. The researcher focuses on Shane Walsh, one of the major characters in season 1 and 2. The researcher chooses Shane since he is the first character who appears to fully adapt in the new world. He murders people in order to achieve his goals.

There are two research questions in order to analyze Shane Walsh's motivation to murder. First, this study aims to analyze the characteristics of Shane Walsh that portrayed in the three episodes on season 2. The second one is to explain Shane Walsh's motivation to murder in *The Walking Dead* season 2. Shane's characteristics influence his thoughts, emotions, and behavior. Then it also influences his motivation to murder.

The method of the study that the researcher used in this thesis is library research. The primary sources were the scripts on three selected episodes of *The Walking Dead* season 2. The three selected episodes were *Save the Last One* (episode 3), *18 Miles Out* (episode 10), and *Better Angels* (episode 12). The second sources were taken from various books and articles from internet. The researcher applied theory of character and characterization and theory of motivation in the study.

In the study, the researcher analyzes Shane Walsh's characteristics and his motivation to murder. The researcher finds that Shane's characteristics are dishonest, disobedient, manipulative, but also caring. Next, the researcher also discovers that Shane has six motivations to murder three people based on the three episodes. He has three emotions that influence his motivation. The three emotions are fear, anger, and sadness. The other three motivation to murder occurs from his psychological needs which are ideal state, autonomy, and competence needs.

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Salah satu tindak kriminal yang lazim di kehidupan nyata dan fiksi adalah pembunuhan. Namun, selalu ada motif di balik tingkah laku dan tindakan seseorang. Objek pada skripsi ini adalah serial televisi berjudul *The Walking Dead*. Serial televisi *The Walking Dead* diadaptasi dari komik yang memiliki judul yang sama. Peneliti memilih serial televisi *The Walking Dead* karena menceritakan tentang kelangsungan hidup manusia di kiamat zombie. *The Walking Dead* juga menggambarkan konflik internal dan eksternal saat manusia mencoba untuk beradaptasi di lingkungan baru. Peneliti fokus pada Shane Walsh, salah satu karakter utama pada musim 1 dan 2. Peneliti memilih Shane karena ia merupakan karakter pertama yang tampak sepenuhnya beradaptasi di dunia baru. Ia membunuh orang demi mencapai tujuannya.

Ada dua rumusan masalah untuk menganalisis motivasi membunuh Shane Walsh. Pertama, penelitian ini bertujuan untuk menganalisis karakteristik Shane Walsh yang digambarkan dalam tiga episode di musim kedua. Kedua, penelitian ini bertujuan untuk menjelaskan motivasi membunuh Shane Walsh di *The Walking Dead* musim kedua. Karakteristik Shane memengaruhi pemikiran, emosi, dan perilakunya. Lalu karakteristik Shane juga memengaruhi motivasi untuk membunuh.

Metode penelitian yang digunakan peneliti pada skripsi adalah riset kepustakaan. Sumber utama adalah naskah pada tiga episode pilihan di *The Walking Dead* musim kedua. Tiga episode pilihan yaitu, *Save the Last One* (episode 3), *18 Miles Out* (episode 10), and *Better Angels* (episode 12). Sumber kedua diambil dari beberapa buku dan artikel di internet. Peneliti menggunakan teori karakter dan karakteristik dan teori motivasi pada penelitian ini.

Pada penelitian ini, peneliti menganalisis karakteristik dan motivasi membunuh Shane Walsh. Peneliti menemukan karakteristik Shane yaitu pembohong, tidak patuh, manipulatif, tetapi juga peduli. Lalu, peneliti juga menemukan bahwa Shane memiliki enam motivasi untuk membunuh tiga orang berdasarkan tiga episode. Ia mempunyai tiga emosi yang memengaruhi motivasinya. Tiga emosinya adalah ketakutan, kemarahan, dan kesedihan. Tiga motivasi membunuh lainnya terjadi dari kebutuhan psikologisnya, yaitu kondisi ideal, kebutuhan otonomi, dan kompetensi.

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