

ABSTRACT

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This study analyzes a novel entitled The Treasure of Franchard written by Robert Louis Balfour Stevenson. The novel tells about the journey of Doctor Desprez and Jean-Marie to find the treasure of Franchard.

This study aims at finding out the kinds of relationships taking place between a father and his adopted son as seen in the life of Doctor Desprez and Jean-Marie, the main characters of Robert Louis Balfour Stevenson's, The Treasure of Franchard. In order to do so, the problems to be discussed are: (1) "How are Doctor Desprez and Jean-Marie depicted in the novel?" (2) "How does Doctor Desprez and Jean-Marie's relationship trigger their efforts in finding The Treasure of Franchard?"

The primary source is the novel itself, while the secondary sources are taken from several books on literature such as journals and papers as well as some articles from the internet. The theories used in this study are the theory of character and characterization, theory of motivation and post-colonial theory. Theory of character and characterization is applied to analyze the characteristics of the main characters. Motivation theory is applied to get the understanding of the motivations and meaning behind the main characters' actions. The post-colonial approach is also applied to get a deeper understanding of the main characters' actions based on post-colonial theories, namely *Katresnanism* theory while psychological approach is applied to analyze the true motivation behind the main characters' actions.

Based on the analysis, Doctor Desprez can be described as dynamic, responsible, stubborn, persevering, gentle and very kind person. Meanwhile not only Jean-Marie is a dynamic, polite, and smart person, but he is also a hard worker. They share the different idealism but the same needs which strengthen their relationship that helps them to overcome the difficulties during the journey.

For future researchers, it is suggested that they conduct a research on the symbolic meaning of The Treasure of Franchard. It is also recommended that The Treasure of Franchard is implemented in teaching Extensive Reading class in the English Language Education Study Program.

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Skripsi ini menganalisa sebuah novel berjudul The Treasure of Franchard karya Robert Louis Balfour Stevenson. Novel ini mengisahkan perjalanan Doctor Desprez dan Jean-Marie dalam menemukan the treasure of Franchard.

Skripsi ini bertujuan untuk menemukan sebuah hubungan antara ayah dan anak angkatnya seperti yang tergambar antara Dokter Desprez dan Jean-Marie yang merupakan tokoh utama dari novel karya Robert Louis Balfour Stevenson berjudul The Treasure of Franchard. Untuk itu ada dua masalah yang akan didiskusikan: (1) “Bagaimana Dokter Desprez dan Jean-Marie digambarkan dalam novel tersebut?” (2) “Bagaimanakah hubungan Dokter Desprez dan Jean-Marie mempengaruhi usaha mereka dalam menemukan Harta Franchard?”.

Sumber primernya adalah teks drama itu sendiri, sedangkan sumber-sumber sekundernya adalah buku-buku tentang kesusastraan seperti jurnal dan paper serta artikel dari internet. Teori yang digunakan dalam studi ini adalah teori karakter, teorimotivasi dan teori post-colonial. Teori karakter digunakan untuk menganalisa karakteristik dari karakter utama. Teori motivasi diterapkan untuk mendapatkan arti dan motivasi dibalik tindakan dari tokoh tokoh utama. Pendekatan post-kolonial juga diterapkan untuk mendapatkan pemahaman dari tindakan tokoh-tokoh utama berdasarkan teori post-kolonial dalam studi ini bernama teori *katresnanisme* sedangkan pendekatan psikologi diterapkan untuk mengetahui motivasi utama dari setiap tindakan karakter utama.

Berdasarkan analisa, Dokter Desprez bersifat dinamis, bertanggung jawab, keras kepala, keras hati, lembut dan baik hati sedangkan Jean-Marie adalah pekerja keras, cerdas, punya keingintahuan yang besar, sopan dan dinamis. Mereka berbagi perbedaan idealisme tapi kebutuhan yang sama yang memperkuat hubungan mereka yang membantu mereka dalam mengatasi segala kesulitan dalam perjalanan mereka.

Bagi calon peneliti selanjutnya, disarankan untuk mengadakan penelitian tentang arti simbolis dari novel The Treasure of Franchard. Disarankan pula untuk menerapkan The Treasure of Franchard di kelas Extensive Reading di Program Studi Pendidikan Bahasa Inggris.