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## **ABSTRAK**

Penelitian ini dilakukan untuk menganalisis perjalanan pahlawan dari karakter utama dalam novel *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* oleh L. Frank Baum. Peneliti menggunakan pendekatan arketip dari Joseph Campbell untuk menganalisa perjalanan pahlawan. Penelitian ini memiliki tiga tujuan. Pertama adalah untuk mengetahui kepergian karakter utama dalam *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*, yang kedua adalah untuk mengetahui inisiasi karakter utama dalam *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* dan yang ketiga adalah untuk mengetahui kembalinya karakter utama dalam *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*. Untuk menjawab tujuan tersebut, peneliti melakukan analisis dengan tiga langkah. Pertama, peneliti menganalisisnya dengan membaca buku beberapa kali, peneliti selanjutnya menggarisbawahi isi buku yang digunakan sebagai data untuk penelitian. Kemudian peneliti mengumpulkan datanya. Akhirnya, peneliti mengetikkan data dengan menerapkan teori perjalanan pahlawan dengan menghubungkan keberangkatan, inisiasi, dan kembalinya pada karakter utama. Peneliti menggunakan metode deskriptif kualitatif untuk menyajikan data. Hasil penelitian ini adalah langkah keberangkatan dalam perjalanan pahlawan dari karakter utama dimulai dari kehidupan biasanya sehingga dia tinggal di peternakan Kansas yang membosankan sebelum menjadi seorang pahlawan. Langkah inisiasi dalam perjalanan pahlawan dari karakter utama menggambarkan bahwa ia menghadapi banyak cobaan dengan bepergian sendiri melalui jalan bata kuning dalam perjalanannya untuk menjadi pahlawan. Langkah kembalinya dalam perjalanan pahlawan dari karakter utama adalah bahwa dia tinggal bersama dengan Paman Henry dan Tante Em lagi.

**Kata kunci:** Hero Journey, Archetypal, Departure, Initiation, Return

## **ABSTRACT**

*This research is conducted to analyze the hero journey of the main character in The Wonderful Wizard of Oz Novel by L. Frank Baum. Researcher uses archetypal approach by Joseph Campbell to analyze the hero journey. This research has three objectives. First is to find out the departure of the main character in The Wonderful Wizard of Oz, the second is to find out the initiation of the main character in The Wonderful Wizard of Oz and the third is to find out the return of the main character in The Wonderful Wizard of Oz. In order to answer those objectives, the researcher does the analyzing by three steps. First, researcher analyzes it by reading the book several times. Next, researcher underlines the contents of the book which is used as a data for the research. Then the researcher collects the data. Finally, researcher types the data by applying the theory of hero's journey related to the departure, initiation, and return of the main character. Researcher uses a descriptive qualitative method to present the data. The results of this research are the departure steps in the hero journey of the main character started from her ordinary life that she was living in a dull and boring Kansas farm before becoming a hero. The initiation steps in the hero journey of the main character describe that she faces many trials by going alone through the yellow brick road on her journey to become a hero. The return steps in the hero journey of the main character is that she lived together with her Uncle Henry and her Aunt Em again.*

**Keywords:** *Hero Journey, Archetypal, Departure, Initiation, Return*

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### **MOTTO**

Let your smile change the world; but don't let the world change your smile

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