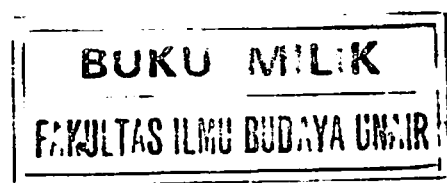


ABSTRACTS

This thesis analyzes the impact of parents divorce undergone by their kids especially their only daughter set as the main character. *New Criticism theory* is used to base the analyses focusing on internal structure such as character and conflict. The method used in analyzing the data is in interpretative method that is explaining deeper understanding based on primary data which is supported by secondary data. The primary data is quoted lines related to problem taken from the novel *The Last Song*. Secondary data is from both printed and electronic sources, either in a kind of journal, books, magazines, etc.

After analyzing and giving interpretation to the quoted lines related to problem of statement, it is found that the impact of divorce calls mostly negative impact towards their daughter such as : hatred, ignorance, changing attitude and behavior, stop learning and playing piano, rejects continuing her study, accept negative value from her friends, goes out and drinks alcohol. It is also found that in the end their daughter realizes and changes her mind to be a good and nice girl in front of her father.

Keywords: impact, marriage, divorce, conflict, mental condition, attitude, behavior, psychological condition.



CHAPTER I INTRODUCTION