

ABSTRACT

Tokyo sonata is a Japanese movie by Kiyoshi Kurosawa, it was released in 2008. It won Cannes film festival for Un Certain regard –Jury Prize. The story is about a Family who have behavior problem. This behavior make problem in their family relationship. Behavior related with a personality. Personality represents a characteristics of individuals that give patterning, meaning and coherence to their thinking, emotions, and behavior.

Japanese personality, can be describe with Takeo Doi's *amae* concept. *Amae*, can be roughly translated as depending on the benevolence. *Amae* is emotion to get another kindness, that is expressed in behavior. With use the Takeo Doi's *amae* concept, This research looking at the meaning in the form of signs through words and images that show the relation of *amae* with the behavior in family relation problem represented by the movie. The analysis of research shows behavior on that family relation problems are influence by *amae*.

Keyword: *Tokyo sonata*, *Behavior*, *Amae*

