

CHAPTER 4

CONCLUSION

This chapter will discuss the conclusion and the result of the analysis. There are two statements of problem that will be answered. First, How Billy is described in the novel, Second how his characteristics influence him of becoming serial killer. The writer uses two theories in order to answer the statements of problem. First, new criticism is used to get the answer of Billy characteristics. Second, Psychoanalysis with the concept of id, ego, and superego is used to know the psychological condition of Billy. On the other hand, in order to find out the psychological condition of Billy, the writer also includes the environment contribution through his psychology development. Billy characteristic is expected to be influenced by his childhood.

Based on the previous analysis, the thesis writer found if Billy Hicks has several characteristic, such as skillful, restraint, and unchanging. Furthermore, Billy is also temperamental, relentless, and enjoying taking other destiny under control by him.

Those characteristic are shaped by his past behavior especially his childhood live. The attitude of people around him to Billy are unconsciously shaped Billy as what he is look like right now when he mature. One of the example is his characteristics that enjoy control other destiny. Billy has already learned how to shoot animal, even a small animal since child. His mother was taught him how to use gun since early age. This trained make him habitual to kill other creature while at the same time, he found satisfaction inside himself if he success to shoot

the animal. This satisfaction became the base of his enjoyable feeling when he do his role as serial killer.

Billy's childhood was dominated with abuse. In the previous discussion, it has been described how Billy's parents attitude toward him when Billy was a child. Billy's mother, Lila Kress often abuse him physically and verbally. She said Billy as an Idiot child that has no bright future. Billy will end his life exactly like his father. As a child, Billy hopes his father will come as a hero, Ivor Hicks, will help him and stop his mother treatment to him. But, he is wrong. His father is doing nothing and keeping become his self as a drunken man.

Billy parent attitude to him shaped Billy personality as an anger or person with high temper. Billy was angry with his mother that punishes him over and over again. He was angry with his father that doing nothing to help him. Based on the previous discussion, Billy expresses his anger when he was twelve years old. He rejects to do his mother entire command and even swear will kill his mother if she tries to hit him again. This action proves that although Billy doing nothing against his mother command, at the same time he keeps his angry feeling for years before finally explodes. Billy was often punished by his mother without someone explains what his fault is. Both his mother and father did not tell to him which one is right and which one is wrong. The only one he knew was, his mother was angry to him because he is wrong based on his mother point of view. However, unconsciously it shapes Billy's mind if there is somebody doing something wrong based on his opinion, he or she is deserve to be punished. Billy also has already trained how to shoot an animal by his mother. He found satisfaction in order to controlling other live thing life.

Billy childhood has a strong effect on his entire life. His characteristics as anger and his point of view about someone deserve to be punished are keeping in himself until he has grown to become a man. Billy's environment contributes in order make his characteristic and point of view become stronger. Billy not only did not get the superego lesson from his family but also from his environment. It could be proved by the reaction of people around him just in form of sympathy. Billy environment response was not as same as Billy expected. Some people feel sorry about his condition, but at the same time they are doing nothing and let Billy with his own world. The attitude of those people to Billy, make him conclude by himself that they are doing something wrong and deserve to be punished as a gift of their fault.

Billy anger (Id) with no superego role since childhood makes it become bigger and wilder. His angry with some people is not only in form of feeling anymore. He decides to express it with real action by acted as serial killer. Once again, unconsciously he is influenced by his childhood. The pattern that he used as serial killer is exactly as same as his mother punishment to him. On the other hand, from the previous discussion could be concluded that Billy enjoy his role as serial killer. He feels satisfied to find out that the people who ever made a mistake to him is being punished.

Through the previous analysis, it can be concluded that Billy motive as serial killer is his strong angry feeling that caused by his temperamental characteristic. The less role of superego on his life, allows his ego controlled by his Id. at the same time, it also show to us that childhood is an important stage in human life. Everything that ever happened in childhood is supposing influence the

