

CHAPTER 5

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

5.1 CONCLUSION

Based on data analysis of the flouting of maxims between the main character and the supporting characters in “ You Touched Me” short story above, it can be concluded that among the characters are often flouted the maxims. The characters do it because they are not informative, untrue, irrelevant, and unclear enough anyway and they have an extra meaning which want to be understood by the hearer. It is not because they do not want their conversation said run well, but they want to make a cooperative conversation which will make their conversation run smoothly.

After analyzed, the researcher found that there are 10 conversations which the characters of that short story flouted. As what is explained before that there are 4 maxims in a cooperative principle which will make the conversation between the speaker and the hearer run smoothly. But in this short story “You Touched Me”, only found 3 of 4 maxims which is flouted. They are maxim of manner, maxim of quantity and maxim of relevant.

From all the conversations which are flouted, there is only 1 maxim of manner, 3 maxim of relevant and 6 maxim of quantity. Flouting maxim of quality is not used in this short story because as we

have known that maxim of quality is flouted when a speaker provides either untrue information or information which she/he lacks adequate evidence for, but in this short story, the characters are not said any untrue information that is asked by the hearer. The flouting of this short story is more about the changing and adding the topic of their conversation. So that's why the conversations they are flouted many times are flouting maxim of quantity and relevant.

The finding and discussion above indicate that the researcher answered three questions in the statement of the problem. It shows that the theory of Grice's cooperative principle and flouting maxims are applicable to analyze the data that is taken from "You Touched Me" short story.

5.2 SUGGESTION

There are still many aspects that have not been revealed in this research. It would be better if there are studies about flouting maxim which is not only used in the movie but also other literary works as like short story or novel. Other researcher also can use Implicature aspect in order to complement the theory.