

CHAPTER III

ANALYSIS

Both philosophy and literature are the same thing in reality, it talks about human life (Sutrisno 16). The content of philosophy is based on the facts that evaluate identity and essence. Literature also comes from reality but it is processed through imagination. The imagination expressed on human creativity is further created in written word (Sutrisno 16). Thus, philosophy and literature can run together because everyone can do philosophy through literature, without regarding its form. This actually has been done by some literary scientists who express and criticize reality through words or language.

The appearance of some journey literary novels shows the writer's desire to criticize the reality of existence in a particular matter. *The Spy* is one of the novel that contains a review of the philosophical value. This chapter presents the analysis of Mata Hari as the main character in the novel *The Spy* deeper by using existentialism theory as main theory and new criticism as supporting theory. For answering the statement of problem, the researcher divides the discussion into two parts. The first part is done to discuss the character of Mata Hari through her direct characterization and indirect characterization. The second part is done to discuss how Mata Hari shows her existence to decide choices through the life experience. Hence, this part analyze further about Mata Hari's existence process as seen from Sartre's existentialism.

From the quotation above tells that Mata Hari enjoys with her reputation as a femme fatale. Femme fatale is a phrase that describes about women who have the intelligence and sexual attraction used to manipulate a person so that he will do what he wants. In this case, Mata Hari has all these abilities. Mata Hari is an attractive, intelligent woman, and able to make every man close to her can be bent down. Therefore, Mata Hari exploits her flexible ability to obtain information from the enemy. By relying on her intelligence and beauty Mata Hari can easily get important information related with World War 1. Despite Mata Hari's way gets information by 'sleeping' with the top officers.

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