CHAPTER 4

CONCLUSION

This chapter discusses about the conclusion of thesis. This thesis applies new criticism and psychoanalysis to analyze the conflict of main character Brynn Glenn in novel *These Things Hidden*. After observation and discussion of research findings, obtained the following conclusions.

The first, the cause of the conflict face by Brynn divided into two factors: The internal and external factor. The internal factor is caused by her inability to convey the real problems because the closed nature of Brynn's characteristic made her depressed and desired to escape from the problems facing it. The external factor came from the different treatment from her parents because her parents are more fond of her sister and ignore her and the different treatment from her peer, her weakness and incapacity in dealing with problems make her get bad words from her schoolmates.

The second, the effect of the conflicts makes Brynn become (1) self-hatred, her weakness and incapacity in dealing with problems make her became a self-loathing person. (2) Hatred to her sister, the dislike of her sister made Brynn begin to ignore her sister. Her indifference was a form of Brynn's disappointment with her sister who had made Brynn live under pressure. (3) Hard to forget the past, given the events that Brynn has experienced, making her into a state of distress every day. She kept thinking of the time when her sister was taken by the police. And the incident of a drowning baby still can not escape from Brynn's memory. (4) Ignorant to the

parents, Brynn parent's injustice in giving out affection is shown when their favorite daughter was involved in a problem. The incident had a bad effect on Brynn. Brynn's existence was increasingly unrecognized by her father and mother. (5) Lack of confident, having a sister who has almost perfect looks and loved by many people especially in school makes Brynn becomes lack of confident.

The third conclusion is Brynn face her problem by chose to shut and calm her mind by taking the sleeping pills. Another thing Brynn did to forget her past was drinking alcohol. Brynn hoped the effects of alcohol could make her life return to normal. And committing suicide for pay her guilt is the final decision taken by Brynn. Brynn's decision to commit suicide is something that the *ego* can not really accept. Brynn's unacceptable behavior by the *ego* is seen from her decision in committing suicide without thinking of the effect her family received if she committed suicide.