

## **CHAPTER IV**

### **ANALYSIS**

This chapter, the writer analyzes the figure of speech occurred in the Maher Zein lyrics. This chapter consists of two parts. The first part is the finding of every figure of speech in Maher Zein lyrics. While second part is connotative beyond the Maher Zein lyrics.

#### **4.1 Finding Kinds of Figures of speech in Maher Zein's Lyrics**

##### **a. Metaphor**

###### **The pure love to our soul**

This lyric used metaphor because the qualities and the association of pure is become metaphor for love. Love form the God is pure like water. So Maher Zein give message from his song, He is falling in love with God with pure love like water.

###### **When the time is hard**

This lyric used metaphor because time in this lyric compare with hard. Hard in this context when we feel sad we can search the best solution. So we can change sad into happy when we will bless in our God. God give us power to be easier problem us. If we want make better than before.

### **We became the visuals without a soul**

This lyric used the metaphor a figure of speech comparing himself with the visual so soulless. So if we are as human beings only as an image which does not have a conscience. This is like we have not care with other people. So we do not use our soul to respect with other.

### **Open your eyes**

This lyric used the metaphor a figure of speech comparing word because eyes with mind, heart, and so forth. Metaphor is not only directly but sometimes than not compared directly. So the words are not only open your eyes open eyes and open your heart but also the mind.

### **You found me home and sail with me**

The lyric used metaphor as a figure of speech comparing the home with sailing about how the ship sailed the new family. This is the story about build new family. We need to make good new family with big love and always together when sadness and happiness.

### **I was always thinking that love was wrong**

This lyric used metaphor as a figure of speech comparing the wrong love. Properties as compared to one that is love. Love is wrong here like we cannot make good relationship. All the people in the world falling in love. So we can keep our love with god true way not wrong way.

### **I'll thank Allah for open my eyes**

The lyric used the figure of speech metaphor because my eyes open can be juxtaposed with one's thoughts or feelings. This is about the people want to see all of in the world with our eyes. We feel happy when the God give us eyes before we ask it. So we bless to God to give us eyes and open it to see the beauty of the world.

### **You're my wife and my friend and my strength**

This lyric used metaphor, the wife as the power of the husband. As a friend of her husband. Within the meaning of the lyric is a husband and wife is the power to. Strong in the face of trials together, strong in running the household together. There was also a wife as well as a friend who can be invited to share and also tell each other.

### **b. Personification**

#### **He bring ourselves**

This lyric used figure of speech hyperbole lyrics. The word is words that bring us too much. Bringing ourselves. Meaning in the lyrics of everything we have achieved today is all the will of God. God who brought us the good and bad all the gods that governs. Humans do not know what the secret to the servants of God. Good or bad all depends on the man himself. If people want to do good God will bring good to us.

### **I hear the flower's kinda crying loud**

This lyric used personification figure of speech. Said the flower's kinda crying as if inanimate objects that have properties such as human life. Within the meaning of the lyrics are cries of sorrow by nature that see the world by a cruel human treatment. Nature is sadly still a lot of brothers and sisters who are still in need of help from others. Until natural to feel sadness too in a silent witness to see there are still many people who are still hard to live in poverty.

### **The breeze's sound in sad**

This lyric used personification as if the wind crying. Inanimate nature juxtaposed with the character of human nature. Within the meaning of the lyrics is the wind also feel sorrow when seeing many living human deprivation. In addition there are many of us who still live rich but stingy in sharing happiness. How sad winds of suffering of others. The world not living being but also to feel sadness.

### **c. Paradox**

#### **The one that made us whole and free**

This lyric used paradox because that statement unbelievable but that may be true in fact. As a human cannot explain about this statement but all the people believe it.

### **The guardian of HIS true believers**

This lyric used paradox because that statement still absurd but all the people in the world believe it. If we believe with God, God is available. In your heart, in our soul. We must believe it. God has guardian we must believe it. Now we cannot see directly but the guardian still available.

### **As He promise He always be there**

This lyric used paradox because He in this context is God. So nothing the people explain how the God always with us. This statement still absurd but all the people believe it. God always be there with us.

### **To bless us with HIS love and his mercy**

This lyric used the figure of speech paradox because here explain about god giving his love to everyone in this world. But indirectly we can give a sense of his love for mankind as human beings by giving more attention to his loved ones. But the love of God to us cannot be seen by naked eye, but every believer and could feel it.

### **He's always watching us, guiding us**

This lyric used a figure of speech paradox because in the lyric explains that God is always guiding us. Obviously we never guided directly by God as well as a teacher who guides his students. But all the people believe and feel that God is always guiding us without ever stopping and without ever tired.

### **He knows what's in all in our heart**

This lyric used the figure of speech paradox because in the lyric explains that God knows all the human feelings that exist in the universe. But as humans we cannot explain with what God knows everything that is in this universe but all believe that God almighty knows everything in this universe.

### **So when you lose your way to Allah you should turn**

This lyric used a figure of speech paradox because it explains that God will give way when we are lost in the face of problems. We as human beings cannot explain how God gives the best way but as humans we believe that God will provide the best way without us knowing.

### **Soon it all'll be over**

This lyric used the figure of speech paradox because everything will end. As humans we cannot know when we will die in the world. But it is a certainty the all-powerful and we believe about it.

### **And we'll be in his heaven and we'll all be fine**

This lyric used the figure of speech paradox because we as human beings cannot explain the truth of the heaven. But everyone believes that there is heaven and we will meet him.

### **I praise Allah for sending me you my love**

This lyric used the figure of speech paradox because we cannot explain exactly how the gods send our love. But everyone in the universe is believed that god sends definitely love to make all men love each other.

### **d. Symbol**

#### **There's no way to turn**

This lyric used symbol because "way" not real to the people walk but this "way" in this context like solution for the problems. Way in this context like solution. The way to get good solution from the problems.

#### **From the darkness to the light**

This lyric used the symbol "darkness" and light as the picture before the religion of Islam was introduced to change after the entry of the Islamic religion in all mankind. Symbol in the darkness of ignorance and light the symbol of the true religion of Islam.

#### **Through the short time we have in this life**

This lyric used using short-time symbol as a sign that we live in this world is only temporary. We as human not everlasting in the world. We just drink of water and we dead and everlasting in the paradise.

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### **Hold my hand**

This lyric used symbol holds my hand as a sign that we help each other and care about both love and grief. Within the meaning of the lyrics that we can help our brothers who overwrite the disaster by giving aid in the form of material such as money, clothes, and other basic needs. But not only that we also can provide prayer to change their life much better than usual. A better life and the life that makes them to be the spirit in life.

### **e. Hyperbole**

#### **We changed the desert into oasis**



This lyric used the figure of speech hyperbole because basically people cannot change the desert into an oasis. But change the existing situation. Both changes are good or bad. So the change is illustrated like a desert into an oasis.

**We felt our money gave us infinite power**

This lyric used the figure of speech hyperbole because it explains that the money could provide limitless power. This is what makes these lyrics using excessive language.

**For the rest of my life I'll be with you**

This lyric used a figure of speech hyperbole lyric because the words in expressing his love very deeply. So it seemed like too much.

**I'll stay by your side honest and true**

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**Now and forever I'll be there for you**

This lyric used hyperbole lyrics because the word now and forever seem like exaggerating but as the expression of feelings in expressing his love.

**I know that deep in my heart**

This lyric used the figure of speech hyperbole in the words I know that deep, the deep is the one word that is too excessive. But it was an expression of his love that is so deep.

**And I'm singing loud that I'll love you Eternally**

This lyric used the figure of speech hyperbole in the word loud singing the words to make the meaning of being redundant and proving his love to his wife.

**f. Irony**

**Now we share the same bright sun, The same round moon Why do not we share the same love**

This lyric used the figure of speech irony in the word we can share about the light of sun why we cannot share about love.

**g. Simile**

**I saw those rockets and bombs shining in the sky like drops of rain in the sun's light**

This lyric used simile because has like compare two things. In this context compare bombs shining in the sky like drops of rain in the sun's light. So many bombs in the Palestine.

#### **4.2 Connotative meaning**

##### **To bless us with HIS love and his mercy.**

Meaning of the lyrics that God always gives his love to his slave. Love that can not be understood but can always be felt by any human insane. Love god unmatched. God always gives his servant a favor that everyone will get the same. Happy, sad it difficult is proof that god loves us. It is very generous to his servant. His love is not visible in the eye but can be felt within the heart.

Meaning in the lyrics that God always guide us in terms of goodness. As evidence in the Qur'an, God always gives us a good example in life. Such as his servants we should always be grateful for everything that we can either in small quantities. Qur'an not only guiding god for good things, but we are also in the bombing to avoid things that are not any good. God knows what is best for the servant and what is not good for his servant. Like the example that God forbids Muslims to eat pork. Pork is not bad because it's not healthy because it contains pork tapeworm that is not healthy for the human body. That means that God guide us.

##### **He knows what's in all in our heart**

Within the meaning of the lyrics is that God always knows all the contents of the hearts of every insane. Not human but all in the universe. God almighty knows all things. So every good work and good gods will certainly not know what happened to his servants. All the people will not know the intentions of others, but

God knows the intent of his servant. When humans talk other people in his heart, the person in question would not have known that the person was talking about. Unlike the god who always knew even before his servants know, god already knows its goals and objectives.

### **So when you lose your way to Allah you should turn**

Within the meaning of the lyrics is when we face a problem we can just go back to the gods. Humans can only pray and effort. Fixed that determines all are gods. as human beings we can only work hard to get everything. We must always do as the obedient servant of Allah in worship. So when we have a problem of any kind, it's all God's will. There is no turning back because god does not make it the servant of the servants who are not able to live it. God must give the exam according to the level of one's faith. So when we are tested by God we should be able to enjoy it.

### **He bring ourselves**

Meaning in the lyrics of everything we have achieved today is all the will of God. God who brought us the good and bad all the gods that governs. Humans do not know what the secret to the servants of God. Good or bad all depends on the man himself. If people want to do good God will bring good to us.

### **From the darkness to the light**

Meaning in the lyrics is a symbol that symbolizes the darkness that once people live in the era of ignorance. The Age of ignorance, moral damages. It is marked by the first human ever much drinking, adultery among women with men even among fellow kind. That is the epitome of before the entry of the religion of

Islam. After entry of the religion of Islam, taught man to know the good and the bad. Until God in his word forbids his people to commit adultery and drinking intoxicating because it could be dangerous. This is proof that god guide us from the bad things into good things.

### **Through the short time we have in this life**

Within the meaning of the lyrics that we are living beings who will eventually die. We live in the world is only temporary. It is not eternal. Like the saying goes live in the world just ride to drink only after that we will be eternal life in the hereafter. Our life is not long. If god has determine that we would go back to him then we will meet with our God. Death will be our mediator to meet again to God. God created us, God also will take us because we all are on loan.

### **Soon it all'll be over**

Within the meaning of the lyrics that is the end of the day. Judgment Day is a day that is bound to happen even though we do not know when that day will come. Today, tomorrow or the day after tomorrow we as human beings do not know when the horrible event happens. Circumstances where the mountain like floating cotton. That's all the power of God as a sign that we live in the world is not eternal.

### **And we'll be in his heaven and we'll all be fine**

Meaning in the lyrics of that when we're dead we will be destined to live again. a good man and always obey what is commanded by God to enter in the paradise. If human beings will always neglect its obligations as a god servant who

always do that until the day of his death is not good then God will place in hell.

### **We changed the desert into oasis**

Within the meaning of the lyrics that we as human beings can only achieve anything for the sake of a satisfaction. Humans can only be an extremely obsessed with the properties. So as to change the whole thing just needs the world alone. Without thinking of others who are still much need our help.

### **We bought and bought**

Meaning in the lyrics is a symbol that human life is wasteful and full of luxury. Satisfaction to be able to buy and buy it a pleasure. For him luxury is the number one key in life. Humans are wasteful forgot his duty to be able to share our brothers were again affected.

### **We could not stand their crying**

Within the meaning of the lyrics that we as humans are creatures of god should be able to understand the circumstances of our brothers who are in a state of calamity sad. Cries we hear should make us more sensitive to be able to provide human affection. Although we can not provide a property but we can provide prayer and support so that they feel do not live alone but live with the whole family. God created the same servant then we must also be equal in giving love to others.

### **To ourselves we're just lying**

This is the meaning of the lyrics as humans we just want everything almost instantaneous. We just lazing away without a great effort to be able to make change for the better. Life is not for the luxury of living alone but also have to

provide benefits. Benefit for the family, for the benefit of our brothers. When we do not do the good that berate us just futile life in the world.

**I'm walking with my head lowered from my race**

Meaning in the lyrics is a symbol that we as humans are embarrassed by less versatile. We are embarrassed by god embarrassed by our actions. Our actions were always doing that is not good, not sensitive among others. Everything was beyond the limits of our ability. Should we realize we can not think of worldly pleasures only we think the life to come when we have to face god in time.

**Yes it's easy to blame everything on the west**

Meaning in the lyrics that became a symbol of western culture as the country becomes less suitable with eastern culture. Start the way she dressed, the way they are inclined to think freely without limits. But that is the mecca model by other countries that are considered it is very reasonable and is in contrast with a different country with its culture. But it all comes back to the individual self in dealing with such cases.

**We felt our money gave us infinite power**

Within the meaning of the lyrics is that we as humans think that money is everything. Money flowing like fresh blood in human veins. When we have money we simply will feel satisfied and proud of the treasure we have. As well as the money that we set our not manage money. However, we realize there are many brothers and sisters who need the money to support his family. Without pity we could only spend money with not thinking our brothers in need.

**We became the visuals without a soul**

The meaning of the lyrics is an image that we simply do not have a soul. Soul sharing. Soul spirit of mutual love and respect for others. Humans are like this that does not have a conscience and are not sensitive to the circumstances. So we're just an empty visual that will be garbage if we do not have a soul caring human beings.

### **Open your eyes**

The meaning of the lyrics is that we as human beings should be able to open our eyes, open our minds, and open our hearts to better care for our fellow human beings. Because humans are essentially social beings that can not live alone but need helps from others. When humans help others trouble one day we will also be helped by another human.

### **I praise Allah for sending me you my love**

The meaning of the lyrics is that God created us with a sense of compassion, love, caring with each other. Just as God has sent us a mate who fits into our family. Without us knowing the love that grows from the eye down to the heart is through the providence of God and the will of God. If we are good people God will send us a good love. If we are not good people still keep sending the love of God that is good.

### **You found me home and sail with me**

This is the meaning of the lyrics when God has brought us, we will match the ship sailed home. Where a husband with his rights and obligations and wife with rights and obligations. Couples sitting together in the face of difficult and



happy to live a domestic life. Until that time and death will separate them.

### **You've opened my heart**

Meaning in the lyrics is a wife who is able to conquered feelings of a husband who gives happiness. A wife who always devotes itself to fulfill the obligations in the care of her husband. A wife who is able to give encouragement and support to her husband well in difficult circumstances and happy. A wife who has always loved her with sincerity.

### **I was always thinking that love was wrong**

Within the meaning of the lyrics loves that one. If we tarnish the sanctity of love with things that are not good. Like abusing the sense of love to be used as a tool to hurt a woman or vice versa. Basically God created love to be able to share the love between people.

### **For the rest of my life I'll be with you**

Within the meaning of the lyrics is love die owned by a husband to his wife are faithful to the end. A husband who always maintain the honor of a wife with all my heart and sincere love. Love a husband to his wife that nothing ever cracked by time and age. A husband and wife who always accompany well in difficult circumstances and happy.

### **I'll stay by your side honest and true**

Meaning in the lyrics is a husband who never left his wife in difficult circumstances. A husband who accompanied his wife when his wife took everything into his needs. A husband is trying to be happy with a wife that is not

his love can never be explained. The husband who is always ready to keep his wife throughout the day.

**I'll thank Allah for open my eyes**

Meaning in the lyrics of a husband who is grateful to God who has opened his heart and mind to be able to always keep his wife. Gratitude to God who gave life to be able to accompany his wife to the end of time. Gratitude for a man who is given the opportunity to be able to live side by side with his beloved wife.

**Now and forever I'll be there for you**

Within the meaning of the lyrics are married couples who can not be separated only with problems that arise. Whatever happens the problem still husband and wife support each other, encourage each other and still love each other. A husband who is always faithful to his wife for now and forever. Live together in a happy home.

**You're my wife and my friend and my strength**

Within the meaning of the lyrics are a husband and wife is the power to. Strong in the face of trials together, strong in running the household together. There was also a wife as well as a friend who can be invited to share and also tell each other. All of that is a joy in living intact families formed happiness of love.

**And I'm singing loud that I'll love you Eternally**

Meaning in the lyrics is a husband who shows his love for a wife. Singing loud hard as intermediary delivering a message of love given to her husband. Basically wife even women want to be understood. Understood to understand the feelings and attitudes are always spoiled to her husband.

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### **Now we share the same bright sun, The same round moon Why do not we share the same love**

Within the meaning of the lyrics is that human life is currently lacking in love. Less can give love to others. So people use more of any act of violence in it. Regardless of the feelings of others

**I saw those rockets and bombs shining in the sky like drops of rain  
in the sun's light**

Illustrate how powerful the bomb is dropped in Palestine as heavy rain fell.  
Illustrates how the large number of nuclear bombs that are currently threatening  
the lives of our brothers there in the Palestine. Many innocent souls were killed.