

CHAPTER 3

ANALYSIS

This chapter presents the analysis of the data which contains the description of the factors that cause Weetzie and a pair of gays, Dirk and Duck decide to do threesome based on queer theory. This study wants to analyze the factors as seen through those three of characters. Firstly, examining on their characters, it is hoped to gain profound knowledge about those characters clearly. After having the fundamental background of those characters, then it is intended to reveal the factors that cause those three of characters decide to do threesome depicted in the novel. Secondly, after getting understanding of the factors that cause Weetzie and a pair of gays decide to do threesome, it will be guidance to identify the effect of their threesome that influence Weetzie's life.

A. The factors that cause Weetzie and a pair of gays, Dirk and Duck, decide to do threesome in Francesca Lia Block's *Weetzie Bat*

This part will explain about the factors that cause Weetzie and a pair of gays, Dirk and Duck, decide to do threesome. Threesome is three people that do sexual activity at the same time. Since it expresses human sexuality, threesome can belong to queer scope. As Sedwick said that 'queer' refers to open mesh of possibilities, gaps, overlaps, dissonances and resonances, lapses and excesses of meaning when the constituent elements of anyone's gender, of anyone's sexuality are not made (or cannot be made) to signify monolithically (Sedwick 8).

In line with explanation above, queer theory can be implemented to analyze problematic of threesome. As Tyson said that queer theory reads text to reveal the problematic of representations of the dynamic range of human sexuality (336).

1. Factors that cause Weetzie decides to do threesome

This part will explain the factors that cause Weetzie decides to do threesome with a pair of gays, Dirk and Duck. It will be more easy to reveal the factors of Weetzie's decision to do threesome through Weetzie's characterization. By understanding Weetzie's characterization, it will gain profound knowledge about Weetzie's character clearly.

According to Josip Novakovich, there are six methods which is used by the author to reveal the personality of the characters (qtd in Wigayanti 25). Those are summary of the story, the repetition or habitual action, self-delineation, appearance, action, combination of some techniques. Based on Novakovich's method, this study will explain Weetzie's characterization first, then it is intended to reveal the factors that cause Weetzie as one of major character decides to do threesome depicted in the novel.

Weetzie in the story depicted as an indian beautiful girl who lives in Los Angeles. She comes from a broken family with divorced parents. Her father who named Charlie Bat is a screen writer and her mother who named Brandy-Lynn is a movie artist. When she was a child, she often see her parents contend and throw glasses each other. Because of that, her father leaves them and moves back to New York while she lives with her mother. Despite of that, Charlie still tries to have a

good relationship with Weetzie. He sends postcards with pictures of the Empire State Building or reproductions of paintings from the Metropolitan Myseum, Statue of Liberty key chains, and plastic heart jewelry. He wants Weetzie move back to New York but Brandy-Lynn disagree with that. Hence, Weetzie cannot move to New York although she really loves and adores her father. She just can visit her father. When she visits him, he takes her to visits many places in New York. They spend much time in New York together. As a parent and a daughter, they love each other. Weetzie wishes that Charlie will move back to Los Angeles.

She was a skinny girl with a bleach-blonde flat-top. Under the pink Harlequin sunglasses, strawberry lipstick, earrings dangling charms, and sugar frosted eye shadow. She was really almost beautiful. Sometimes she wore Levi's with white-suede fringe sewn down legs and a feathered Indian headdress, sometimes old fifties' taffeta dresses covered with poetry written in glitter, or dresses made of kids' sheets printed with pink piglets our Disney characters (Block 2-3).

He wanted Weetzie to move back east but Brandy-Lynn wouldn't hear of it (Block 21).

Weetzie is also a girl who hates high school because no one understand her. There is no one who care except a boy named Dirk. She meets him when she is in his art class. Dirk asks Weetzie to watch movie. Afterward, Weetzie and Dirk often spend time and enjoy the beauty of Los Angeles together. They joke, lunch, drink beer, watch shows, and go to beach together. They are really close. Therefore, they are become a bestfriend. There is no secret between them. Even when Dirk admits that he is gay to Weetzie. Weetzie still care and support him. She also helps Dirk to find a Duck. The term "Duck" is a term to express a gay male in the story. The term

“Duck” is included literary language because it describes a figure meaning of the idea. As Tyson said that literary language depends on connotation : on the implication, association, suggestion, and evocation of meanings and shades of meanings (138). Hence, it means that Weetzie helps Dirk to find a boy friend.

The reason Weetzie Bat hated high school was because no one understand. They didn't even realize where they were living. There was no one who cared. Until Dirk (Block 1-2)

Weetzie and Dirk went to shows at the Starwood, the Whiskey, the Vex, and Cathday de Grande. They drank beers or bright-colored canned Club drinks in Jerry and told each other how cool they were (Block 4).

“I'm gay,” Dirk Said

“Who, what, when, where, how-well, not how,” Weetzie said. “It doesn't matter one bit, honey-honey,” she said, giving him a hug (Block 8).

“Now we can Duck hunt together,” Weetzie said, taking his hand (Block 9).

Weetzie always accompany him to find a Duck like he wants. They go to the places where they can find Ducks. They go to bars. However, they meet the wrong Ducks. Weetzie meets a man who looks like a gay male but exactly not. He seduces her when she is pretty drunk. He forces her to go his basemant. Weetzie tries to kick him with her engineer boots but he carries her toward the bar. He bring her to his basemant then he rapes her in there. In the morning, Weetzie get out of bed, wincing, and calls Dirk. He comes and pick her up outside. In the next day, Weetzie still accompany him to find a Duck for Dirk but she keeps falling for the wrong Ducks. Weetzie meets a man who broken heart, a man who bisexual, and a man who kiss with all boys in the party but talk constantly about his girlfriend who had died. She does not find a Duck like Dirk wants yet.

She met a Gloom-Doom Duck Poet who said, “My heart is a canker sore. I cringed at the syringe.”

She met a toothy blonde Surf Duck, who, she learned later, was sleeping with everyone.

She met an Alcoholic Art Duck with a ponytail, who talked constantly about his girlfriend who had died. Dirk saw him at an all-boy party kissing all the boys (Block 14).

Weetzie is also close with Dirk’s grandmother who named Fifi. Grandma Fifi is a sweet powdery old lady who has a perfect white hair. Weetzie and Dirk often come to Fifi’s cottage. They feel very safe and close inside that. When Fifi knows that Weetzie and Dirk are so sad because they do not find Duck yet, Fifi gives Weetzie a magic lamp. Fifi puts it into Weetzie’s hands then she kisses Weetzie’s cheek. Fifi is looked paler and smaller and more beautiful than Weetzie had ever seen her. When Weetzie gets home, she begins to polish the magic lamp. She is shocked when she see a genie. A real genie like in a fairy tale. The genie of the magic lamp grants her three wishes. Weetzie asks to genie a Duck for Dirk, My Secret Agent Lover Man for herself, and a beautiful house like in a fairy tale where they can live happily ever after.

“I wish for a Duck for Dirk, and My Secret Agent Lover Man for me, and a beautiful little house for us to live in happily ever after.” (Block 28).

One by one her wishes comes true. Firstly, she gets a beautiful house like in a fairy tale where they can live happily ever after. After she finishes to say her wishes to genie, Dirk calls her that grandma Fifi dies and leaves her house for them. Fifi’s house is a Hollywood cottage with one of fairy-tale roofs. There are roses and lemon trees in the garden and two bedrooms inside the house-one painted rose and the other

aqua. The house is filled with plaster Jesus statues, glass butterfly ashtrays, paintings of clowns, and many kinds of coasters. Weetzie and Dirk always love the house.

“What?”
“She left us her house!” Dirk said
“Oh, my God!” Weetzie said
“What’s wrong?” (Block 30).

Secondly, Dirk finds his Duck. Weetzie is happy that Dirk has a Duck. Duck moves in with Dirk into the blue bedroom. Weetzie has the pink one. They go surfing together, dancing together. They all sit together on Jerry’s front seat. They have barbecues and eat hamburgers and watermelon. At night, Dirk and Duck kiss Weetzie on the cheek and go to bed. Weetzie gets into her bed with slinkster dog. Sometimes she hears muffled giggles and love noise through the walls. Sometimes she hear music drowning out any sounds. It shows that Weetzie has close relationship with a pair of gays, Dirk and Duck. Moreover, Weetzie is unpatiently waiting for her last wish becomes true. Her wish to find her Secret Agent Lover Man. However, she does not find him yet.

“I met the best one!” Dirk said. “The perfect Duck. But what is so weird is that Duck calls himself Duck. Now that is hell of weird!” (Block 32)

Weetzie is a kind girl. When she works as a waitress at Duke, she pretty soon becomes a friend of a little family that often come in Duke. They are a tall Rastafarian man who named Valentine Jah-Love, a tiny Chinese woman who named Ping Chong, and a cute baby who named Raphael Chong Jah-Love. Weetzie is really close with them. Even Valentine and Ping also tell how they meet and has Raphael in

their life. They also ever take Weetzie to Jamaica where they live. In Jamaica,

Weetzie hopes meet her Secret Agent Lover but she does not find him yet.

Weetzie was working as a waitress at Duke's. One day a tall Rastafarian man, a tiny Chinese woman with black hair tipped in orange and red like a bouquet of bird of paradise, and a baby with skin the dusty brown of powdered Hershey's hot chocolate mix came in for breakfast. The family came in often, and pretty soon Weetzie became friends with them (Block 36).

Finally, Weetzie finds her Secret Agent Lover Man for herself whom in the story has a true name like in her imagine. His real name is My Secret Agent Lover Man. Even Weetzie could not believe if that is true. She meets him on Sunday morning at Duke when she works. He wants Weetzie to act in his film. My Secret Agent Lover Man is her wonder man. He is a film maker who very cute and cool. He is unshaven and has the greenest eyes that Weetzie ever seen. He loves Weetzie very much and Weetzie loves him very much too.

"My Secret Agent Lover Man's my name."

Weetzie was relieved that he hadn't been calling her his Secret Agent Lover Man, and that My Secret Agent Lover Man was....

"Your name!" she shrieked.

"Yeah. I know it's a little wierd." (Block 40).

Weetzie still lives in Fifi's cottage with Dirk and Duck and My Secret Agent Lover Man. They had finished their third film, called *Coyote*, with Weetzie as a rancher's daughter who falls in love with young Indian named *Coyote* and ends up helping him defend his land against her father and rest of the town. They had filmed *Coyote* on Indian reservation in New Mexico. Dirk and Duck play as her angry brothers, Valentine does the music, and Ping is wardrobe. My Secret Agent Lover Man is the director. His friend coyote plays as *Coyote*. The film is quite success and

it gives them money for the first time. They buy a beautiful car, dresses, foods. They also enjoy the beautiful places. She thinks about the beautiful places, foods, dresses, and other material wealths that she achieve but those are does not make her satisfied.

Everything is fine except that Weetzie wants a baby. She wants a baby to make her life perfect. But in fact, My Secret Agent Lover Man does not want. He thinks that a baby is a disease and a big problem. He is not ready to have a baby yet. Weetzie becomes so sad thus My Secret Agent Lover Man bring a puppy baby to change Weetzie's need to get a baby. Although at the first Weetzie is happy with the puppy baby but afterward she thinks that the puppy baby is not a real baby. She is dissatisfied. She cries until Dirk and Duck come and offer her to do threesome with them as the effort to get a baby.

“How could you want one?” My Secret Agent Lover Man Said
“I don't want one, Weetz,” he said. “Just forget about babies-you have enough already anyway: me and Dirk and Duck and Slinkster Dog. And you're just one yourself.” (Block 50-51).
“We'll have a baby with you,” Dirk said
“Yeah,” Duck said (Block 52).

Weetzie agree with Dirk and Duck's offer to do threesome with them.

Secretly, she and a pair of gays, Dirk and Duck have a plan to do threesome without telling My Secret Agent Lover Man. They do it on the night when My Secret Agent Lover Man was away fishing with his friend Coyote.

From those explanations, it shows that Weetzie has sexual desire to do threesome with a pair of gays, Dirk and Duck. There are factors that make up Weetzie's sexual desire to do threesome.

a. Desire to have a baby

Weetzie wants to have a baby. She feels her life is not perfect even she has everything. She has My Secret Agent Lover Man as her romantic partner, Dirk and Duck as her bestfriend, a beautiful cottage for their life, and all of the success and the material wealth. However, those are not make her satisfied. She wants a baby to make perfect her life.

“How could you want one?” My Secret Agent Lover Man Said. “There are way too many babies. And diseases. And nuclear accidents. And crazy psychos. We can’t have a baby,” he said.

“But we could have such a cool, beautiful baby,” Weetzie said, sticking her toothpick into an oyster.”And it would be so happy and we would love it so much.”

“I don’t want one, Weetz,” he said. “Just forget about babies-you have enough already anyway: me and Dirk and Duck and Slinkster Dog. And you’re just one yourself.” (Block 50-51).

From the conversation above, Weetzie tells her need to get a cool or beautiful baby to My Secret Agent Lover Man but he does not want. He is not ready yet. He thinks that a baby is a big problem. Moreover, My Secret Agent Lover man buy a puppy dog to change Weetzie’s desire to get a baby but it can not change. She is sad and dissapointed. She needs a real baby. Weetzie’s desire to have a baby is really strong. The Id is filled with energy reaching it from instinct, but it has no organization, produces no collective will, but only a striving to bring about the satisfication of the instinctual needs subject to observence of the pleasure principle (Storey 92). It means that someone who has desire only want to seek his or her own pleasure without care with the needs of anyone else. Weetzie ignores My Secret Agent Lover Man need, she just seeks her own need to get a baby.

b. The offer to do threesome

Weetzie cries because My Secret Agent Lover Man rejects to get a baby. She always cry until Dirk and Duck come home to find her alone in the living room.

They offer her to do threesome with them as the effort to get a baby.

“But what about My Secret Agent Lover Man?” Weetzie said
“Nothing has to change,” Dirk said. “We’ll just have a baby.”
“But he doesn’t want one.”
“It might not be his baby,” Dirk said. “But I’ll bet he likes it when he sees it, and we’ll all go to a doctor to make sure we can make the perfect healthy baby.”

From conversation above, Weetzie is hesitant with their idea to do threesome. She is afraid My Secret Agent Lover will angry if she do it. However, Dirk convinces her if My Secret Agent Lover Man will not angry because it may not his baby but their baby. He adds if My Secret Agent Lover Man will like the baby when sees it. Futhermore, he asks her to go to doctor together to make sure that they can make a perfect healthy baby.

c. Consideration of a lot of love for her baby

Weetzie looks at Dirk and Duck. She looks at their physical appearances who handsome. She thinks that she will gets a beautiful or handsome baby. She also considers to their words.

“Yeah, “ Duck said.“I saw it on that talk show once. These two gay gays and their best friend all slept together so no one would know for sure whose baby it was. And then they had this really cool little girl and they all raised her, and it was so cool, and when someone in the audience said, ‘What sexual preference do you hope she has? They all go together, they go, ‘Happiness.’ Isn’t that cool?” (Block 52-53).

From quotation above, Duck said that he ever see threesome case on the talk show. It tells two guy gays who do threesome with their best friend and no one will know for sure whose baby it was. They raise the baby together. They go happiness. Those statements which make Weetzie thinks that it is a great decision to build a new family through threesome. Dirk and Duck will love her child more than any of their parents love them. This thinking influenced by Weetzie's background who comes from a broken family. She lives with her mother while her father lives in New York. Hence, she lacks of her father's love. According to Sigmund Freud in his text *On Sexuality : Three Essays on the Theory of Sexuality* tends to see the precise structure of desire as determined by socialization in which the child is brought up (Bennet and Royle 178). Moreover, he stated that individual human beings is seen with psychological history that begins in childhood experiences in the family and each with patterns of adolescent and adult behavior that are the direct result of that early experiences (Tyson 11). From Freud's statements above, Weetzie's desire to do threesome is dealing with her psychological problems that influenced by her childhood experiences.

d. Loving friendship

Weetzie has close relationship with Dirk and Duck. She has close relationship with Dirk since she was at school. While with Duck, she is close since Duck moved to live with Dirk. Afterward, they often spend time together. They go surfing together, dancing together, eating together. They love each other as a best friend.

“But we want a baby and we love each other,” Weetzie said

“I love you, Weetz. I love you, Dirk,” Duck said
“I wanna Hold Your Hand, “ the Beatles said
And that how was Weetzie and Dirk and Duck made the baby (Block 56).

From conversation above, Weetzie shows her love to Dirk and Duck. Their closeness make her sure to do it with them. Hence, She does threesome with them after they get their test result which show that they can make a healthy baby. They do it when My Secret Agent Lover Man go away to fishing with his friend Coyote.

Building from explanation above, Weetzie indicates as a female who heterosexual because she has erotic attraction and desire to do romantic relationships with My Secret Agent Lover Man, Dirk, and Duck who biologically as males. According to Ratus, heterosexual an erotic attraction and desire to do romantic relationships with member of the other gender (262). Moreover, threesome which done by her with a pair of gays dealing with her ego. It is the realization of her id to get a baby. It is the realistic strategy to obtain their pleasure. As Storey said that ego is the part of the id which has been modified by the direct influence of the external world. It endeavors to substitute the reality principle for the pleasure principle which reign unrestrictedly in the id. The ego represents what may be called reason and common sense, in control the id which contact the passions (92). Like the id, ego seeks pleasure and avoid pain but unlike the id, the ego is concerned with devising a realistic strategy to obtain pleasure. Additionally, through threesome she shows that her sexual desire is unstable. Her desire for single partner has changed to a group activity because sexuality is a dynamic range of desire. As Freud stated that desire is essentially unstable (Bennet and Royle 178).

2. Factors that cause a pair of gays, Dirk and Duck, decide to do threesome

This part will explain the factors that cause a pair of gays, Dirk and Duck, decide to do threesome with Weetzie. According to Michael Foucault in his book *History of Sexuality*, desire is bound up with all sorts of social and institutional practice and discourse with question of law, gender and sexuality, with the discourses of medicine, theology, economics and so on (Bennet and Royle 179). From his statement, Dirk and Duck's sexual desire to do threesome can be analyze by open the questions of their gender and sexuality, social, cultural, economic, religion, health, law, and so on. Those are can be seen through their characterization. Hence, this part analysis begins to describe their characterization first then intended to reveal the factors of Dirk and Duck decide to do threesome with Weetzie depicted in the novel.

Dirk is a handsome, cool, and rich guy at the school. He has dark-smudged eyes and a shoe-polish-black Mohawk hair. His perfect physical appearance makes all the girls are infatuated by him. However, there is no one girl who can make him interested except Weetzie.

Dirk was the best-looking guy at school. He wore his hair in a shoe-polish-black mohawk and he drove a red '55 Pontiac. All the girls were infatuated with Dirk; he wouldn't pay any attention to them (Block 2).

Dirk sees Weetzie in his art class. He is interested with her unique physical appearance as an indian girl. He asks Weetzie to watch movie and shows. Afterward, they often spend time together. They drink beers or go to clubs. They go to matinees or go to the beach. Sometimes, they skate on the boardwalk. They are really close. They are become bestfriend. There is no secret between them. Dirk knows that she

comes from broken home. Dirks also knows that Weetzie want to be a surfer. Dirk even admits to Weetzie that he is a gay.

“you’re my bestfriend in the whole word,” Dirk said.

“you’re my bestfriend in the whole word,” Weetzie said (Block 6).

Dirk lives with his grandmother who named Fifi since his parents died. His grandma Fifi secretly wishes that he is a girl but in fact he is a boy. His parent’s absence and his grandma’s wish may be influence him to decide as a gay. Even he is not a girl as his grandma’s wish but his sexual desire is to a boy. His sexual desire is influenced in which he growth up. This is in line with Freud stated in his book that the precise structure of desire as determined by socialization in which the child is brought up (Bennet and Royle 178).

“She’s lucky she had you, because I know she wouldn’t want them to go a stranger. And I know she secretly wished that I was a girl, but you server tha same purpose.” (Block 31).

From quotation above, Dirk tells to Weetzie that Fifi wishes him as a girl and Weetzie can serve Fifi’s wish. After he comes out that he is a gay, he is helped by Weetzie to find a Duck whom he want. They go to clubs where they can find many Ducks but they always meet the wrong Ducks. Even he is ever raped by some guys when he is searching a Duck.

His eyes were red. He had met someone in video booth at a local sex store and they had groped around there for a while, then gone to the guy’s apartment. Dirk had awakened, looked at unfamiliar face, and gone home fast (Block 13).

Furthermore, Dirk and Weetzie still do not found a Duck until grandmama Fifi gives Weetzie a magic’s lamp. The genie of the magic’s lamp grant her wishes

that one of them is to find a Duck for Dirk. Dirk meet Duck at Rege. He is standing alone at the bar when Dirk comes up and offers to buy him a beer. Duck looks up at Dirk's chiseled features, blue eyes, and grand mohawk. Dirk look down at Duck's freckled nose and blonde flat-top. It is love at first sight. They dance the way some boys dance together, a little awkward and shy at first but with a sturdy ease, a rhythm between them. Dirk's heart is pounding. He falls in love to Duck.

Duck was a small, blonde surfer. He had freckles on his nose and wore his hair in a flat top. Duck had a light-blue VW Beetle and he drove it to the beach everyday. Sometimes he slept on picnic tables at the beach so he could be up at dawn for the most radical waves (Block 32-33).

From quotation above, Duck is a small, blonde surfer. He has freckles on his nose and wear a flat top in his hair. He looks like older than Dirk. He is also a rich gay . He really love beach.

"I haven't asked anyone home in a long time," Dirk said. "And we don't have to do anything. I don't know . . ."
"I'd love to," Duck said solemnly, looking straight at Dirk (Block 34).

From quotation above, Dirk and Duck fall in love each other. It indicates that Dirk and Duck are homosexual males because their desire and erotic attraction toward member of the same gender. As Rathus said that homosexual is an erotic attraction and desire toward member of the same gender (262).

Moreover, Duck move to live with Dirk. It means that he also lives with Weetzie. Dirk, Duck, and Weetzie often spend time together then with My Secret Agent Lover Man also. They live happily inside the house. Dirk and Duck always mixed up with My Secret Agent Lover Man's project. They all go success together.

Everything is fine except Weetzie wants to get a baby while My Secret Agent Lover Man does not.

“We’ll have a baby with you,” Dirk said

“Yeah,” Duck said. “I saw it on that talk show once. These two gay guys and their best friend all slept together so no one would know for sure whose baby it was. And then they had this really cool little girl and they all raised her, and it was so cool, and when someone in the audience said, ‘What sexual preference do you hope she has? They all go together, they go, ‘Happiness.’ Isn’t that cool?” (Block 52-53).

From conversation above, Dirk and Duck come to Weetzie when he knows Weetzie’s pain because the rejection of My Secret Agent Lover Man to have a baby. Dirk said to Weetzie that they will make a baby with Weetzie. Duck adds that he ever sees talk show that talks about two gay guys and their best friend sleep together and get a baby from it.

Furthermore, from Dirk and Duck’s characterization above, it can be analyzed some factors of Dirk and Duck decide to do threesome with Weetzie.

a. Desire to have a baby

As if all couples, Dirk and Duck also have desire to have a baby but it is impossible because they are gay. When they know if Weetzie want to have a baby but My Secret Agent Lover Man does not want, they take the chance to get a baby. They offer Weetzie to do threesome with them as the effort to have a baby.

“We’ll have a baby with you,” Dirk said

“Yeah,” Duck said (Block 52).

“Here’s to our baby,” Dirk said. I always wanted one, and I thought I could never get one (Block 55).

From conversation above, Dirk and Duck show that their desire to have a baby is really strong. Their desire is related with pleasure principle so that called Id. The Id is said to operate on the pleasure principal (qtd in Wigayanti 31). It purposes to fill the pleasurable things and avoid painful things. In result, Dirk and Duck's desire to get a baby is a basic need that influence their psychological to do threesome.

b. The Influence of talkshow

“Yeah, “ Duck said. “I saw it on that talk show once. These two gay gays and their best friend all slept together so no one would know for sure whose baby it was. And then they had this really cool little girl and they all raised her, and it was so cool, and when someone in the audience said, ‘What sexual preference do you hope she has? They all go together, they go, ‘Happiness.’ Isn’t that cool?” (Block 52-53).

From quotation above, Dirk and Duck gets the idea of threesome from the talkshow. It shows that Dirk and Duck's sexual desire to do threesome is mediated. They copying desire to do threesome from the talk show. As Eve Kosofsky Sedwick developing the ideas of the French post structuralist critic Rene Girard, she argues that desire is everywhere mediated (Bennet and Royle 184). It means, someone's desire is produced by copying another one's desire as response to the desire of another.

c. Loving friendship

Besides as a chance to have a baby, Dirk and Duck also decide to do threesome because of love. They love Weetzie as their bestfriend. They want to help Weetzie to make her need to have a baby becomes true.

“But we want a baby and we love each other,” Weetzie said
“I love you, Weetz. I love you, Dirk,” Duck said
“I wanna Hold Your Hand, “ the Beatles said
And that how was Weetzie and Dirk and Duck made the baby (Block 56)

From conversation above, it shows that they do threesome because they want to have a baby and they love each other. Duck confirms Weetzie's love with said that he loves Weetzie and Dirk. They love each other as a best friend.

Building from those factors, they decide to do threesome with Weetzie. Threesome which done by them is dealing with their ego. It is the realization of their id to get a baby. It is the realistic strategy to obtain their pleasure. As Storey said that ego is the part of the id which has been modified by the direct influence of the external world. It endeavors to substitute the reality principle for the pleasure principle which reign unrestrictedly in the id. The ego represents what may be called reason and common sense, in control the id which contact the passions (92). Like the id, ego seeks pleasure and avoid pain but unlike the id, the ego is concerned with devising a realistic strategy to obtain pleasure.

In addition, their decision to do threesome also show that their sexual desire is also unstable. Their sexual orientation who homosexual change into bisexual because they also has desire and erotic attraction to do romantic relationship with Weetzie. As Tyson stated that building on deconstruction's insight into human subjectivity, queer theory defines human sexuality as fluid, fragmented, dynamic, collectivity of possible sexualities (335). The continuum of sexual possibilities are such as homosexuality, bisexuality, and heterosexuality. Homosexuality is an erotic attraction and desire to romantic relationships toward members of the same gender. While bisexuality is an erotic attraction and desire to romantic relationships with both males and females.

Furthermore, heterosexuality is an erotic attraction and desire with members of the same gender (Rathus 262). In line with explanation above, human sexuality is unstable and may be different at different times along of their lives because sexuality is a dynamic range of desire.

B. The effect of threesome which done by Weetzie and a pair of gays, Dirk and Duck to Weetzie's life depicted in the novel

When people had taken a decision in their life, they have to accept the consequences they might get. They should be ready with what will happen into their life. It is also happen to Weetzie, when she decides to do threesome with Dirk and Duck, she has to accept the consequences. Even she gets a baby like she wants but she should feel sufferings as the effect of threesome. Her sufferings because My Secret Agent Lover Man go away and leave her.

This is beginning when Weetzie tells that she gets pregnant through threesome with a pair of gays, Durk and Duck. Three weeks after doing threesome, Weetzie gets pregnant. She is really happy because her need to get a baby becomes true. She tells about her pregnant to My Secret Agent Lover Man. She thinks that My Secret Agent Lover Man will happy of her pregnant as Dirk and Duck said before that My Secret Agent Lover Man will receive the baby. But in fact, My Secret Agent Lover man exactly angry to her.

Weetzie was pregnant. She felt like a Christmas package. . . . but My Secret Agent Lover Man stared at her in shock and anger. "You did what?"

“The world’s a mess,” My Secret Agent Lover Man said. “And there is no way I feel okay about bringing a kid into it. And for you to go and sleep with Dirk and Duck without even telling me is the worst thing you have ever done (Block 57).

From quotation above, My Secret Agent Lover Man shows her shock and anger. He said that there is no way to get a baby and for doing threesome with Dirk and Duck is the worst thing that Weetzie ever done. His statements shows that he really does not want to have a baby for any way and for any reason. Furthermore, My Secret Agent Lover Man go away. He leaves Weetzie.

Weetzie could not even cry and make Kleenex roses. She remembered the day her father, Charlie, had driven away in the smashed yellow T-Bird, leaving her mother Brandy-Lynn clutching her flowered robe with one hand and an empty glass in the other, and leaving Weetzie holding her arms crossed over her chest that was taking its time to develop into anything. But My Secret Agent Lover Man was not going to send Weetzie postcards of the Empire State Building, or come visit every so often to buy her turkey platters at the Tick Tock Tea Room like Charlie did. Weetzie knew by his eyes that he was going away forever (Block 57-58)

From quotation above, Weetzie becomes so sad and regrets with all has she done. She can not even cry. She remembers with the day when her father, Charlie, leaves her and her mother, Brandy-Lynn. She remembers when Charlie go away. But the different thing, if Charlie send postcard or come visit to Tick Tock Tea Room to keep his relation with Weetzie, My Secret Agent Lover Man does not do what Charlie done. My Secret Agent Lover Man does not keep his relation to Weetzie. It shows that My Secret Agent Lover Man was going away forever. He does not want to recognize her at all.

Nine month is not very long when you consider that a whole person with fingers and toes and everything is being made. But for Weetzie nine months

felt like a long time to wait. It felt especially long because she was not only waiting for the baby with its fingers and toes and features that would reveal who its dad was, but she was also waiting for My Secret Agent Lover Man, even though she knew he was not going to come (Block 59-60).

From quotation above, Weetzie feels really loss My Secret Agent Lover Man.

During her pregnancy, she is always waiting for him. She is always waiting even though she knows that he is not going to come. In this situation, Dirk and Duck accompany her. Whenever she thinks of My Secret Agent Lover Man and starts to cry, Dirk and Duck wait patiently, hug her, and take her to a movie on Hollywood Boulevard or for a Macro-Erotic at I Love Jucy. They are also wonderful fathers in waiting. Dirk reads his favorite books and comic books out loud to Weetzie's stomach, and Duck made sure she ate only health food. Besides them, there are another people who accompany her. Valentine and Ping and Raphael come over with fortune cookies, and pictures and poems that Raphael has made. Her mother, Brandy-Lynn is also accompany her. Weetzie is comforted by Dirk and Duck, Valentine, Ping, Raphael, and even Brandy-Lynn. But she still hopes My Secret Agent Lover Man is besides her to accompany her.

Furthermore, Weetzie bears the baby at the Kaiser on Sunset Boulevard, where she had been born. Dirk and Duck always accompany her. Weetzie, Dirk, and Duck are really happy when see the baby. Dirk puts his arms around Weetzie and Duck, and they all sit looking at their baby girl. Then they think about a name for their baby. They have thought about Sweet, Fifi, Duckling, Hamachi, Teddi, and Lambie, but they decides to name her, Cherokee. When they leave the hospital in the

next day, Weetzie looks down Sunset Boulevard to where Norm's coffee shop used to be. She always thinks that when she has a baby, My Secret Agent Lover Man will wait in Norm's for her like what Charlie did when he waited all night until Weetzie was born. But she is conscious, if it is impossible because My Secret Agent Lover man was gone.

In result, the effect of threesome to Weetzie's life is even she gets a baby like she wants but she should feel sufferings because My Secret Agent Lover Man leaves her. She feels really loss him especially during her pregnancy. Even she always accompanied by Dirk and Duck, but it can not change her sadness because of the absence of My Secret Agent Lover Man.