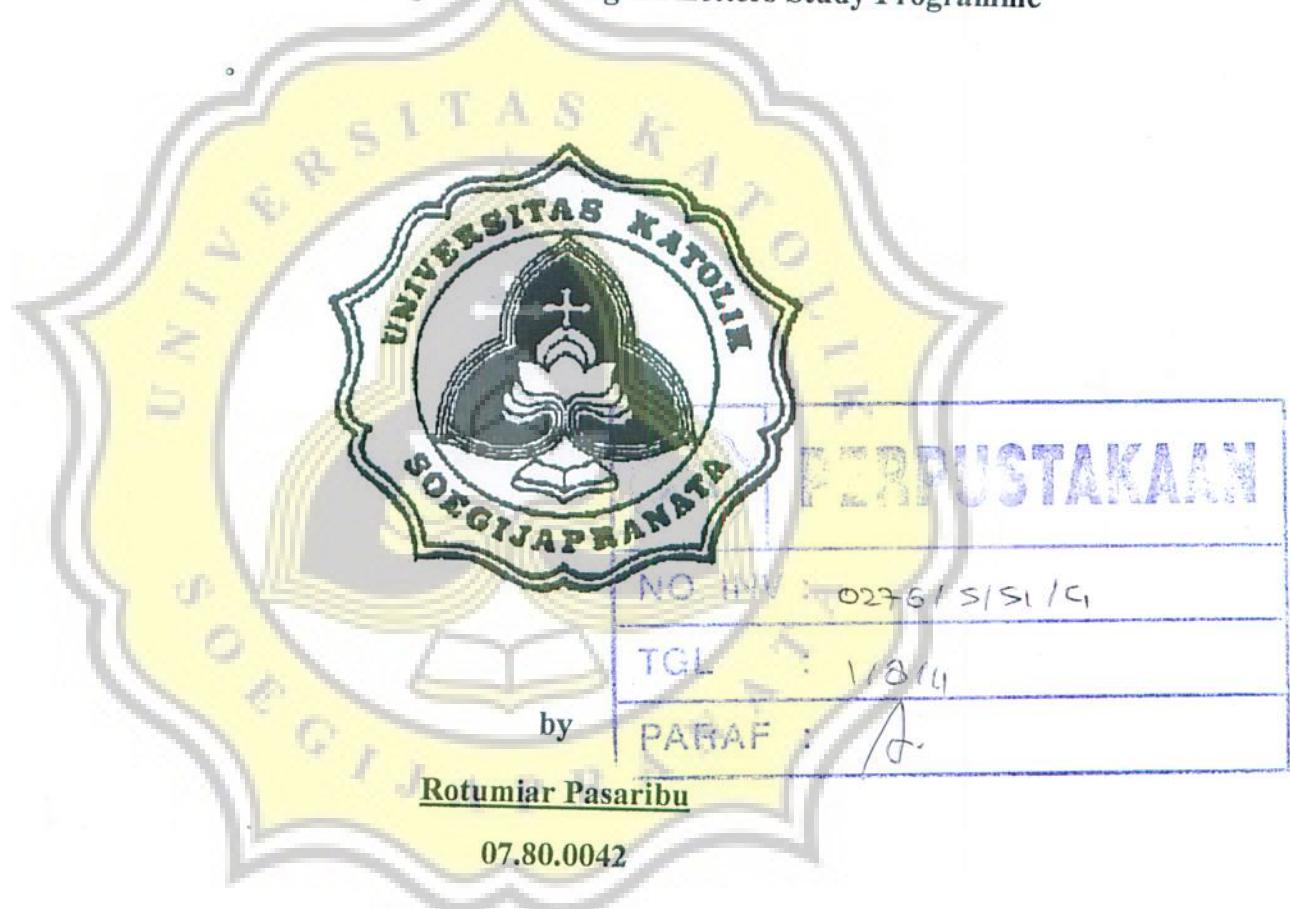


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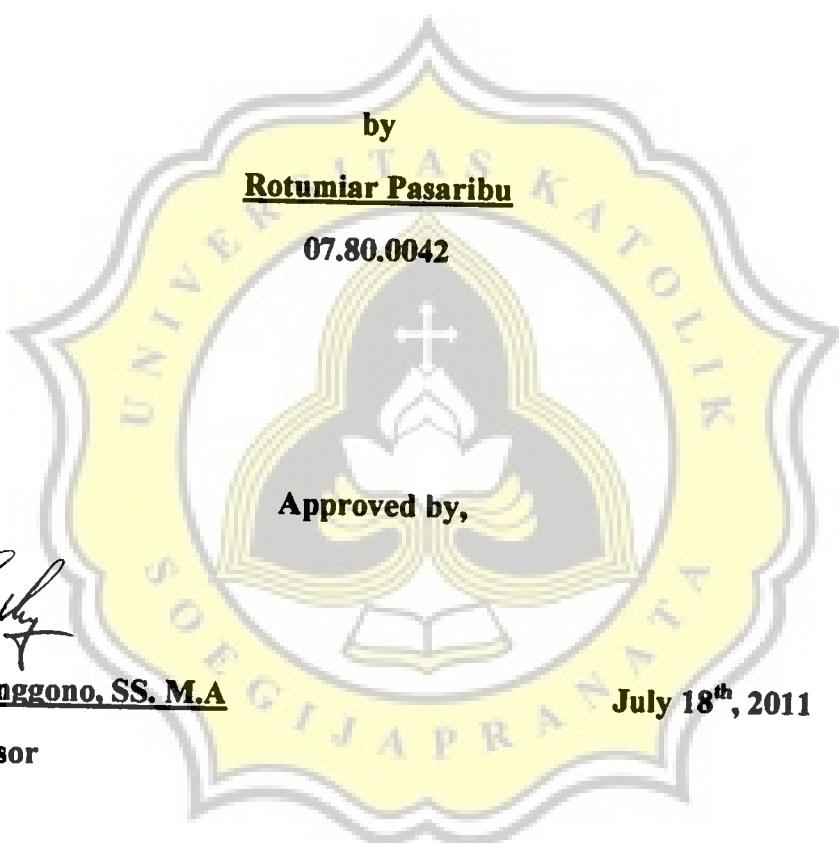


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ABSTRACT

b-mother by Maureen O'Brien tells about Hillary's life experiences. This story starts with the death of Hillary's beloved brother. Her brother died when she was twelve. After the death, she feels lonely because her parents do not care about her. Hillary goes to parties with her best friend, Shell. In the party she meets Miles. Because of that meeting, Hillary finds herself pregnant when she was sixteen. This problem makes her family ashamed. Between her parents and Miles there was no support in rising up the child. So, she has no choice, but to give the baby boy for adoption. Lola was the person she chooses as her son's mother, she tells Lola that she wants to meet her son when he is eighteen years old. The novel tells about Hillary's past memories which make Hillary's development is interesting for me to analyze.

In this study, the approaches to analyze individuation process by Carl Gustav Jung and the hierarchy of human needs by Abraham Maslow are used. In the individuation process, the writer uses the theories of archetype, Mandala and Attitudes based on Jung's theory. Then, in Maslow's hierarchy of human needs, the writer sees what Hillary's needs in her life based on the tragedy of her life.

The analysis shows that Hillary has experienced the individuation process like that found in archetypal approach. The thesis also shows how Hillary controls her consciousness and unconsciousness. Then, Hillary's maturity is identified as rational type. The thesis also shows Hillary's maturity which is identified as an extroversion.

ABSTRAK

b-mother yang ditulis oleh Maureen O'Brien menceritakan tentang pengalaman hidup Hillary. Cerita ini dimulai dengan peristiwa kematian kakak laki-laki yang sangat disayangi Hillary. Kakaknya meninggal saat dia berumur duabelas tahun. Setelah kematian itu, dia merasa kesepian karena orang tuanya tidak peduli kepada dia. Untuk mengurangi rasa kehilangannya, Hillary pergi ke pesta dengan sahabatnya, Shell. Di pesta itu dia bertemu Miles. Karena pertemuan itu, Hillary mendapati dirinya sedang hamil saat dia berusia enam belas tahun. Permasalahan ini membuat keluarganya malu. Antara orang tuanya dan Miles tidak ada yang mendukung dia untuk merawat anaknya. Sehingga, dia tidak punya pilihan selain memberikan anak laki-laki itu untuk diadopsikan. Lola adalah orang yang dipilih sebagai ibu dari anaknya., dia berkata kepada Lola bahwa dia ingin bertemu anaknya saat dia berumur delapan belas tahun. Novel itu menceritakan tentang masa lalu Hillary yang membuat perkembangan Hillary menarik untuk di analisa.

Didalam studi ini, pendekatan untuk menganalisa adalah proses individuasi oleh Carl Gustav Jung dan hierarki kebutuhan manusia oleh Abraham Maslow. Di dalam proses individuasi, penulis menggunakan teori Archetype, teori Mandala dan teori Attitudes berdasarkan teori Jung. Kemudian, di dalam teori hierarki kebutuhan manusia oleh Maslow, penulis melihat apa yang dibutuhkan Hillary di dalam hidupnya berdasarkan tragedi dalam hidupnya.

Analisa menunjukkan bahwa Hillary telah mengalami proses individuasi seperti yang ditemukan dalam pendekatan Archetype. Skripsi ini juga menunjukkan bagaimana Hillary mengontrol kesadaran dan ketidaksadarannya. Kemudian kedewasaan Hillary diidentifikasi sebagai tipe rasional. Skripsi ini juga menunjukkan kedewasaan Hillary yang diidentifikasi sebagai tipe ekstrovert.