

ERNEST HEMINGWAY'S EXPATRIATE JOURNEY LIFE AFTER
WORLD WAR I AS REFLECTED IN
THE SUN ALSO RISES

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ABSTRAK

Thesis ini bertujuan untuk mengungkapkan kejadian-kejadian yang terjadi di dalam novel The Sun Also Rises karya Ernest Hemingway berhubungan dengan kehidupan sang pengarang dalam kehidupannya menghabiskan waktu setelah perang dunia pertama. Dia menuangkan berbagai hal yang terkait dari dirinya dan kehidupannya maupun lingkungannya ke dalam novel buatannya tersebut. Novel ini dibuat sewaktu ia menghadiri atau mengikuti kemeriahan pesta upacara keagamaan Fiesta, di San Fermin, Pamplona Spanyol. Karena terinspirasi dari teman-temannya dan perhelatan acara tersebut maka sang pengarang mulai untuk mengerjakan novel tersebut.

Novel ini dianalisa menggunakan teori ekspresif karena melibatkan pandangan, perasaan, emosi dan kepercayaan dari sang pengarang. Teori ini didukung dengan pendekatan biografi dan sejarah. Pendekatan biografi digunakan untuk mengungkapkan sebagian besar kehidupan pengarang pada kehidupannya setelah perang dunia ke I, sementara itu pendekatan sejarah digunakan untuk mengungkapkan sejarah apa yang terjadi setelah perang dunia pertama terhadap para mantan patriot setelah mereka mengikuti perang dunia tersebut.

Berdasarkan analisa novel, penulis dapat menunjukan kepada pembaca bahwa hasil karya sastra Ernest Hemingway merupakan hasil refleksi dari kehidupannya. Hemingway telah mengungkapkan perasaan, pikiran, emosi, dan pandangan-pandangannya melalui karakter-karakter yang diciptakannya. Penulis mengetahui bahwa Ernest Hemingway sangat suka olahraga dan keindahan alam, hal ini tercermin dalam tulisannya yang selalu berisi gambaran alam dan bermacam olahraga. Oleh karena itu berdasarkan permasalahan ini penulis mengambil kesimpulan bahwa Ernest Hemingway merefleksikan kehidupannya melalui sebuah karya sastra.

CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background of the Research

When the author writes some novels, the author's life is always involved and it is found within the literary. Most of the novels contain the real experience of the author's life. This issue cannot be separated between the novel and the author's life itself.

One of the authors who uses his own background based on his experience that is poured in his novel is Ernest Hemingway. Most of his literary works tell about World War, the way of life, hobbies and others. He thinks that his own experience is necessary to be expressed in his literary work. He tries to convey the important events which he thinks important to be explained.

One of the great novels which created by Ernest Hemingway is *The Sun Also Rises*. This novel concerns on the journey expatriates spend his life after World War I. Phillip Young as quoted by Robert P Weeks states that "...from *The Sun Also Rises* to *The Old Man and The Sea*, as means for saying other things about life in that time. He wrote about the people who drank and fished and watch bullfights. But the point was that they did these things because in the famous collapse of value that followed the first war they do not know what to do (1962:173).

So far, the writer does not find any research that is related to the expatriate's issue as seen in *The Sun Also Rises*, in the articles, journals, indeed the thesis it self. The writer views that Ernest Hemingway is one of the famous authors who makes a great literary work and there is no one has discusses it before. It makes the writer challenged and awakened to analyze this work. The story is about the expatriate journey while they went to Pamplona, Spain for watching bull fighting in this case the story is reflecting by the author and it is being interested to be discussed by the writer. Based on the reason above, the writer tries to start the new discuss with the new issue to be poured in his research.

The other reason is the attitude of the author in choosing of words, sentences and style of his writing. His sentences are short. His words are simple, yet they are often filled with emotion. And it makes the writer interested to analyze it.

Therefore, the writer intends to analyze this novel based on the biography of the author. The biography of Ernest Hemingway is interesting to be analyzed because almost half of the Ernest Hemingway's novel portrays his experience in his live.

Chapter 5

Conclusion

After analyzing *The Sun Also Rises* by Ernest Hemingway, the writer finds several important points of the novel. This novel is written by Ernest Hemingway based on the experience of his life in the period after World War I when he belongs to the expatriate who is alienated from his country and he is known as a "lost generation" because of that case. He has poured the experience of his journey towards the journey of this expatriate. In *The Sun Also Rises* conveys the journey of the expatriate group in watching annual Fiesta in Pamplona, Spain. In the vacation, they have several problems that are portrayed within the novel. What he thinks, what he feels, what he does, it is all revealed in the novel through the characters, situation, place and time. He uses Jake Barnes as a hero. Jake is a young American expatriate who works in a Paris newspaper office. He is a veteran of World War I and he has been injured. It has made him impotent.

By using historical and biographical approach, the writer can find and reveal the similarities of Hemingway's life and the life of the main character. It is proved that Hemingway reflects his experiences after World War I into his novel and all events are connected to the situation of the author. When World War I ends, Hemingway goes to Paris to seek for a job because Paris gives what he wants. He writes some parts of *The Sun Also Rises* here. He likes to go to the bar and café and he wastes his time there. The author successes in reflecting his experience after World War I in the story of *The Sun Also Rises*. There are many

clues found the story that are conveyed and described clearly. Meanwhile, it is similar with the life of Ernest Hemingway as the author of the story.

In analyzing this novel, the writer concludes that literary work is another form of life that author pours in his work based on the experiences that he had. Meanwhile, he can do anything as he wants to create the form of the life that he likes.

In this analysis, the writer finds the historical aspects which are recorded in literary work such as World War I. It is not only historical facts, but also there are a lot of reflections of Ernest Hemingway's life after World War I who considers himself as a Lost Generation, an Expatriate who is alienated from his country and does not have vision.

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