

CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION

5.1 Conclusion

This study is to analyze characteristic of Oliver Twist through his conflict by using reader response. By collecting responses about the characteristic of Oliver Twist through his conflict, the writer makes a conclusion as below.

The most of the readers thought that Oliver was being brave when he was asked for more food to the master even he was knew the risk if he did that. Oliver also being brave when he decided to run away to London without thinking what would happend there. Oliver was a being brave when he was joined the robbery. He also was brave enough to do the robbery and tried to alarm owner of the house. After he was shot in the robbery, he decided to back and asked for help to the house where he robbed.

The readers also thought that Oliver was being responsible boy when he was asked for more food to the Master as the result of the lottery. And he was being responsible when he was caught by the thieves when Mr. Brownlow asked him to send back the book and bring the money. He was begged to the thieves to send the book and money back to Mr. Brownlow. Because he wanted to do his responsibility as the order from Mr. Brownlow.

They also thought that Oliver was being a good and honest boy when he was wanted to send back the book and money to Mr. Brownlow to prove that he did not want to steal the book.

And he was being good boy when he was tried alarm the owner of the house when he did the robbery.

The readers thought that Oliver also was being smart when he was tried to alarm the owner of the house to defeat the robbery. And when Oliver was decided to back and ask help to the house that he robbed.

And also the readers thought that Oliver was being pure and innocent boy but he was being reckless when he was decided to stay and learn to pick pocket with the thieves until he was involve with the robbery.

Oliver was being fainthearted when he was afraid to make effort when the thieves and the difficult situation forced him to do a bad thing and forced him to take a dangerous risk.

Therefore , from the conflicts that happended to Oliver Twist, it could be concluded that Oliver Twist were a brave, responsible, good and honest,smart, pure and innocent but reckless boy.

From those interpretation of all readers, it can be explained that mostly of them have same interpretation and point of view toward Oliver conflict. It can be seen from how the readers reacted toward Oliver actions and conflict differently.

And finally, the writer concluded that experience and thought of the readers can influence their perspective about a text, and different experience, thought or background of the reader can create different point of view.

5.2 Suggestion

Oliver Twist is a novel about an orphan who lived in such a difficult situation. He had to struggle to survive his life. There were so many conflict happened to him. In this study, the writer analyze about the characteristic of Oliver through his conflicts.

The writer hopes that this study will give a information and knowledge to the reader about reader response criticism. And also the writer hopes that there is a student whom interesting to analyze same novel or other novel by using same criticism.

