

ABSTRACT

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The concern of this study is the archetypes on the personality of characters in Michael White's *Soul Catcher*. The aim of this study is to analyze the characters' archetype using Jung's archetype theory. This study also aims to explain the influence of characters' archetype in the development of the plot of Michael White's *Soul Catcher* novel.

This study applies qualitative research, because the data are in the form of words or sentences. Characters utterances and author's narration are used to examine from the psychoanalysis approach focusing on Carl Gustav Jung's archetype theory. In addition, data reduction, data displays, and conclusion drawing/verification are the techniques of analyzing the data.

Based on the analysis, the results show that there are five archetypes represented by the characters' personality in *Soul Catcher*; those are persona, shadow, anima, animus, and wise old man. This study also finds the effects of five characters' archetype in the development of the plot of Michael White's *Soul Catcher* novel.

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