

ABSTRACT

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The purpose of this study is to find out the role of family in selected poems by Louise Gluck. In this study, the writer uses the New Criticism theory to reveal about the role of family contained in poems through formal elements.

This study is qualitative descriptive. The technique of collecting the data is reading and understanding poems which include in formal elements such as; imagery symbols, metaphors and similes. The data analysis is carried out by collection, reduction, interpretation and making conclusions.

The results of this study indicate that there are several lyrics of poems by Louise Gluck that show about the role of family such as; the role of father for his child, the role of mother as someone who is strong and the role of other family members who are very influential of family.

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Tujuan dari penelitian ini adalah untuk mengetahui tentang peran keluarga dalam beberapa puisi dari Louise Gluck. Pada penelitian ini, penulis menggunakan teori New Criticism untuk mengungkapkan peran keluarga yang terdapat dalam puisi melalui formal elemen.

Penelitian ini adalah kualitatif deskriptif. Teknik pengumpulan datanya adalah membaca dan memahami puisi yang termasuk dalam formal elemen seperti; imagery, symbols, metaphor dan simile. Analisis data dilakukan dengan pengumpulan, pengurangan, interpretasi dan membuat kesimpulan.

Hasil penelitian ini menunjukkan bahwa terdapat beberapa lirik puisi yang menunjukkan tentang peran keluarga seperti; peran ayah kepada ayahnya, peran ibu sebagai seseorang yang kuat, dan peran anggota keluarga lainnya yang sangat berpengaruh didalam keluarga.

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