AN ANALYSIS OF RUDY BAYLORS CHARACTERS IN JHON GRISHAMS NOVEL THE RAINMAKER: A SOCIOLOGICAL ASPECT

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ABSTRACT:
Novel is a kind of literature that gives us knowledge and pleasure. Novel is an imaginary work in prose of a considerable length, which presents as real certain characters living in a given environment and describes their attitudes, fate, and adventures. The writer is interested in writing this research paper because the writer thinks that the novel is extraordinary. The aim of this research paper is to find out more details about the characters of Rudy Baylor in The Rainmaker novel and the writer limits the problem of study on the characters of Rudy Baylor by using a sociological aspect. In this research paper, the writer uses The Rainmaker novel written by John Grisham as the main data. Before analyzing, the writer reads the novel and focuses on the subject that the writer going to discuss. After reading the novel, the writer analyzes Rudy Baylors characters by a using a sociological aspect. The writer does library research at National library and Faculty of Cultural Study in University of Indonesia. The writer also uses the Internet facilities in collecting data to support the analysis of the characters. The result of this research paper shows that there are three kinds of Rudy Baylors characters. Three characters of Rudy Baylor are helpfulness, care and friendliness. From the characters of Rudy Baylor, we must really consider that as human beings cant live alone. Beside that, we must help together and likes to care people in our society.