

## **CHAPTER 4**

### **CONCLUSION**

This chapter consists of the conclusion from the analysis in the previous chapter based on the objectives of the research. The Objectives of the research are to find out the meaning and the types of figurative language used in Melodrama album by Lorde.

The writer uses X.J Kennedy's book to find out types of figurative language in Lorde's album that is titled Melodrama. After taking the data and classifying the data based on categories of figurative language, the writer concludes that the Melodrama album by Lorde uses metaphor, simile, personification, hyperbole, metonymy, transferred epithet, and paradox. Lorde's Melodrama album contains many aspects that are related to the songwriter's personal life.

Based on the analysis on Chapter 3, it can be concluded that there are 9 out of 11 types of figurative language found in Lorde's Melodrama album. There are 82 figurative languages that are found in the album; 25 metaphor, 1 simile, 13 personification, 21 hyperbole, 2 litotes, 2 synecdoche, 11 metonymy, 1 transferred epithet and 6 paradox.

The writer finds out that Lorde's Melodrama album is mostly using metaphor followed by hyperbole, personification, metonymy, paradox, litotes, synecdoche, simile, and transferred epithet. On the other hand, Lorde's Melodrama album does not use apostrophe and pun.

In general, deeper analysis of these figurative expressions also show us that they are used by the songwriter in order to make the songs more alive so that the audience can feel the condition and the atmosphere that the songwriter tries to show in the songs. The use of the contextual meaning in this study also opens up all the meanings and possible interpretations of song lyrics by Lorde in this album.

The writer hopes that figurative languages that are found in this term paper can be useful for the future researches. In addition, the writer hopes that these figurative languages can motivate other researchers to explore many other aspects

of figurative language. The writer also hopes that this term paper will be beneficial for current and future researches as well as for academic and non-academic audience.

