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## **ABSTRAK**

Skripsi ini membahas tentang pengakuan seorang wanita cantik yang mengalami gila belanja yang terdapat dalam novel karya Shopie Kinsela yang berjudul “Confessions of A Shopaholic”. Novel tersebut menceritakan tentang ketagihan belanja yang dialami oleh karakter utama yaitu Rebecca Bloomwood. Rebecca mengalami shopping addiction yang mengakibatkan dia mengalami depresi, kehilangan kendali dalam keuangannya, dan kehidupannya. Shopping Addiction disebut juga dengan Shoppaholic, untuk lebih memahami tentang shopaholic yang dialami oleh Rebecca Bloomwood, maka diperlukan pembahasan tentang karakter yang merupakan salah satu unsur penting dalam memahami karya sastra. Karakter adalah pelaku yang mengalami peristiwa dalam cerita fiktif yang mampu menjalin suatu cerita. Memahami karakter adalah salah satu cara untuk lebih mengetahui suatu cerita fiksi. Tujuan penulisan skripsi ini adalah untuk lebih mengetahui tentang shopaholic yang dialami karakter utama bernama Rebecca Bloomwood.

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