CHAPTER IV

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

4.1 Conclusion

This research is about the use of English address terms in Graham Norton Show Season 13 Episode 11. This research aims to find out the forms of address terms, syntactic positions, and the functions of address terms. The result of this research shows that there are six forms of English address terms in the Graham Norton Show Season 13 Episode 11. Six of the forms are full name, first name, title + name, title, special name, and pet name. From 66 address terms found in this episode of the show, the most dominant form used by the presenter and the guests is the first name form of address terms with the total of 47 address terms. It happens because in informal situation like in this show, first name is the most common form of address to express familiarity and equality.

Then, based on the syntactic position of the address terms, there is a pattern where address terms first name tends to occur in the beginning position of an utterance for a total of 17 address terms. This beginning position demonstrates that the address terms act to name the hearer and to attract the hearer's attention. In addition, the most frequent function of first name in the beginning position is personifying function with a total of 13 address terms. With this function, address terms serve as an opener of a communication and to identifies the person being addressed.

4.2 Limitation

This study contributes to the general study of address terms by examining the use of English address terms in Graham Norton Show season 13 episode 11. This research only limits the scope of analysis to the forms of address terms, the position of where they

occur, and their function in informal situations such as in this TV show. This limitation exists because this research is viewed from the perspective of pragmatics. With this limitation, this research cannot see other factors outside of pragmatics that also influence how people use address terms. Some other factors such as differences in age, education, job and occupation have become important factors that may be considered by other researchers in analyzing how people use address terms.

4.3 Suggestion

There are other forms of shows that can be analyzed, such as podcasts. Unlike TV shows where the guests are mainly celebrities or politicians, podcasts tend to bring guests from various background such as athletes, normal workers, or even online sellers. These various backgrounds may affect their use of English address terms. Therefore, the writer hopes that subsequent researchers will consider some of these factors for further study.