

## CHAPTER IV

### CONCLUSION

Pecola Breedlove as the main character in this novel has a dream that is unrealistic for her as a black people; she has a dream to have blue eyes like white people. Having different eyes from others is never considered beautiful that causes her feel inferior. This feeling leads to psychological problems of her.

After analyzing the novel *The Bluest Eye*, the writer found two psychological problems which influence the personality development of Pecola Breedlove. There are inferiority complex and superiority complex. The inferiority complex caused by the concept of beauty that created by society about white skin and blue eyes. It's also supported by Pecola's social relationship. While, her unconsciousness bring her to strive for superiority which shown by praying every night without missing a single day and consuming Mary Jane. It also describes her effort to visit a spiritualist to change her eyes, but she fails to get blue eyes and she becomes insane because she cannot face the reality.

Secondly, the writer found two factors that support the rise of psychological aproblems in Pecola's personality. First is an economic problem that makes her parents not paying attention and give affection to her. This is because they are busy looking for their own happiness and do not want to live in poverty. Second is discrimination against black people. White people not only discriminate black people physically, but also psychologically. They made a wrong perception about the

meaning of beauty that supports the rise of psychological problems in Pecola's personality.

According to the conclusion, the writer is recommended an advice that *The Bluest Eye* consist high of moral value, therefore moral aspects in this novel are very interesting to be analyzed.

