

CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION

Through the analysis and findings from previous chapter, this research had answer as stated in the statement of the problems. From the data analyzing, the research had found out the speech act of utterance in short story “*A clean, Well-Lighted Place*”. She also divides the dialogue to kinds of speech act such as locutionary, illocutionary, and perlocutionary per utterance. The researcher had found the illocutionary act every utterance that deals with the intended meaning what the speaker says in dialogue of the story. From all analysis of speech acts, the researcher finds the general function of speech act/ types of illocutionary act. Besides that, in perlocutionary act, there are some misunderstanding respond between speaker and hearer in dialogues. Several utterances didn't make misunderstanding each other because between speaker and hearer understood what the speaker said to hearer. Actually, there are five of illocutionary act by Searle. In this story, the researcher had found three types of speech act. It expresses in directives (request), expressive, representative.

From speech act analysis, the researcher continues to analyze politeness maxim by Geoffrey Leech's theory. Most of utterances that are said by two waitresses to the old man at the café contain of tact maxim, generosity maxim, approbation maxim, and agreement maxim. Sometimes, some of utterances are contrary to the theory of maxim. If the illocutionary act is in opposition to politeness theory, the utterances possible indicate impolite sentences. When the

sentences agree with theory, the utterance is quiet possible polite sentences. It happens when the illocutionary acts correlate with tact maxim, generosity maxim.

Approbation maxim and agreement maxim that contains in several utterances can be contrary to the theory. From the utterance that is said by the speaker in the dialogues, there is several utterances that is contradiction to the theory. It means that the speaker disagree with other. When the speaker agrees with the theory, the sentence that is uttered by the speaker is agreement sentence.

Based on the explanation and analysis from chapter four, the utterances are said by two waitresses that are analyzed by speech act and politeness theory, the waiter hope that this research can be useful for everyone. Mainly for reader and students those study reading texts to be comprehend reader. When read the text or everything, the readers have to know and understand not only the meaning of the text, but also the intended meaning or intention that the speaker wants to talk about. That is why the readers have to have knowledge about speech act to understand the text beyond the sentence. From the utterance, the reader can analyze what the politeness maxim is used by the speaker to make better understanding to read the text.