

## CHAPTER V

### CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

#### 5.1 Conclusion

In literary arts and works, the author creates his works that are influenced by many things and has some purpose or intended meaning inside it. The contents of literary works can never be separated from the social problem, the life of author, and other social aspects inside the author, such as, social background, economic source, ideology, social problems and its connection with the contents of literary works, purpose and message. Especially in the lyrics of the song "Imagine" as the object of analysis which have contents that can never be separated with Lennon's life and social problems at that time. All of that thing is related to each other's and can never be separated in its study. In analysis the lyrics of the song "Imagine", the researcher are primarily divided into two important the objects of study, both internal and external conflicts.

In writing his original lyrics, John Lennon has been inspired by many things that he stumbled in his life. The inspiration has been flowing since his childhood, up to the point where he joined The Beatles and met his beloved wife. Lennon learned the important value of literature, from his uncle, George, that every word in language have many meaning. In the future, this lesson has big impact in Lennon lyric of the song. Lennon grew up to be a person with passion in music and it's found in his lyrics. Lennon wrote many song lyrics that become hit music internationally and phenomenal, especially "Imagine".

The lyrics of “Imagine is one of the most phenomenal songs that Lennon ever wrote. It is released worldwide on May 1971, and the album was sold more than 1,6 million copies in England. The lyrics “Imagine” is clearly conveyed by John Lennon to express his dream about world peace. A peaceful world is an existence of human quality, religious tolerance, and peace among world countries. Lennon believed that the cause of every conflict in the world is the opposing interest of each people and the selfish ego to be an absolute authority. The lyrics “Imagine” is trying to reveal Lennon’s feeling about the social politic condition that occurred at that time. Through this lyric, Lennon clearly shows his life philosophy as a human who dream world peace. What the researcher can conclude from the song lyrics is that it could strongly communicate what the songwriter expects the listeners to understand from what he wants to say. Especially in this song, Lennon has written the song in a very amazing way with the messages to all people. The song is so wonderfully written that it conveys many meaningful messages inside the lyrics, which is united for one broad message, peace for all and one world for all without discrimination.

“Imagine” has been one of the most popular songs used as an effective way of communicating peace to the people and also an anti-war protest. Lennon has a keen sense to the condition of his world at that time. In the beginning of 1971, when the lyrics of the song “Imagine” was created, there was a major war between two powerful states, The United States and the Soviet Union, the so called Cold War. The war occurred so long in most of the regions of the world and involved many countries including Vietnam. John Lennon became peace activist who has strong will and belief the realization of peaceful human life. Vietnam war inspired Lennon to

promote anti war protests and then he propose a view of existence of a world without countries and nationalities, so human have no reason to defend the principle of state and go as far as to kill or die in the war.

Finally, it is up to the listener whether they would like to understand the messages in the positive way and help Lennon spread them to they would world for the concept of a better world and better living for all. What Lennon states contain many differences between his own nature and what he states, it also contain, differences between himself and most people. It is these differences that in terms of literary study can be called conflicts. John Lennon said, "*A dream we dream alone is just a dream, but a dream we dream together is a reality*".

## 5.2 Suggestion

After doing the analysis of the research, the researcher would like to present some suggestion regarding to the topic. The researcher hopes very much this analysis can function and encourage the acknowledgement of people to do some analysis, either for other data resources or John Lennon data resources, especially for student of English department to study more about literary work, especially song. And the thesis is being studied for the researcher to learn more about literature, now the researcher knows about literature and many kind of study which have close relationship with it.

The researcher expects to other researcher to analyze the other esthetic side of John Lennon's song, and wishes to experts of this cases to give their suggestion and opinion, because the researcher realizes this thesis is still far from perfection, but the researcher tries to do the best in arranging this thesis.