

MORAL QUALITIES ON RACHEL WHITE AS THE MAIN CHARACTER IN *SOMETHING BORROWED* BY EMILY GIFFIN,

(KUALITAS MORAL PADA RACHEL WHITE SEBAGAI PEMERAN UTAMA DALAM *SOMETHING BORROWED* OLEH EMILY GIFFIN)

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Abstract

Something Borrowed is a novel written by Emily Giffin that was published in 2004. This novel focuses on the complexities of Rachel's moral qualities as the main character. This study aims to know and describe Rachel's moral qualities implied in *Something Borrowed*. Rachel is told as a good woman at the beginning of the story, eventually having an affair with Darcy's fiancé who is her best friend since childhood. Rachel's attitude changes are influenced by several factors that lead her to do so. The factors are family and social environment factors. Finally, Rachel's good and bad morals have any impacts toward her life. From these explanations, Rachel's moral qualities will be analyzed. Qualitative method is employed in this study. The data in this research is derived from the dialogues of the characters in the novel which have been sorted, and carefully selected in accordance with the topic of the study. This study uses inductive method so this analysis will show the way of answering the problems to discuss from the specific to the general discussion. In the analysis of Rachel's moral qualities, this study is started by using Immanuel Kant's moral theory as the theoretical foundation includes of good will, duty, reason and freedom, and consciousness. This theory is appropriate to analyze Rachel's moral qualities.

Key words: Moral, Moral Qualities, Moral Study

Abstrak

Something Borrowed adalah sebuah novel yang ditulis oleh Emily Giffin yang diterbitkan pada tahun 2004. Novel ini berfokus pada kompleksitas moral Rachel sebagai tokoh utama. Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mengetahui dan menggambarkan kualitas moral Rachel yang tersirat dalam novel *Something Borrowed*. Rachel dikatakan sebagai wanita yang baik di awal cerita, akhirnya berselingkuh dengan tunangan Darcy yang merupakan sahabatnya sejak kecil. Perubahan sikap Rachel dipengaruhi oleh beberapa faktor yang menyebabkan dia untuk melakukannya. Faktor-faktornya adalah faktor keluarga dan faktor lingkungan sosial. Pada akhirnya, moral baik dan buruk Rachel memiliki dampak terhadap hidupnya. Dari penjelasan ini, kualitas moral Rachel akan dianalisis. Penelitian ini menggunakan metode kualitatif. Data dalam penelitian ini berasal dari dialog novel yang telah disortir, dan hati-hati dipilih sesuai dengan topik penelitian. Penelitian ini menggunakan metode induktif sehingga analisis ini akan menunjukkan cara menjawab masalah yang dibahas dari khusus ke umum. Dalam analisis kualitas moral Rachel, penelitian ini dimulai dengan menggunakan teori moral Immanuel Kant sebagai landasan teoritis yang meliputi good will, duty, reason and freedom, dan consciousness. Teori ini sangat tepat untuk menganalisis kualitas moral Rachel.

Kata kunci: Moral, Kualitas Moral, Studi moral

Introduction

Something Borrowed is a novel written by Emily Giffin. It is one of Giffin's popular work that is published in 2004 in United State. Rachel White is the main character in the novel *Something Borrowed*. In this novel, Giffin describes Rachel as a single woman who is thirty years old and she is a good woman. She has a friend since childhood named Darcy. Darcy is a woman who is considered lucky by Rachel since childhood, because Darcy is prettier than her and always gets what she wants. Her glamorous lifestyle in Manhattan makes her always be superior than Rachel. She has always been optimistic in getting something, although it makes people around her feel hurt. Rachel is a friend who relents to Darcy and lets her always win in any case. Sometimes Rachel feels disappointed by her attitude, but she remains patient with Darcy. Rachel is a lawyer. She is a hard working woman even though she is not suited with her job. In thirtieth Rachel's birthday party, unintentionally Rachel sleeps with Darcy's fiance named Dexter after the party was over. Rachel and Dexter did it because they drink and get drunk. After the incident, Rachel and Dexter established infidelity.

The Rachel's life in the novel *Something Borrowed*, has a moral value to the readers. Rachel is told as a good woman at the beginning of the story, eventually make an affair with Darcy's fiance who is her best friend since childhood. Rachel's attitude changing are influenced by several factors that lead her to do so.

To know the Rachel's moral qualities as the main character in the novel, we formulate some questions. The research questions are as follows:

1. What are Rachel's moral qualities?
2. What are the factors influencing Rachel's moral qualities?
3. What are the impacts of Rachel's moral qualities toward her life?

We hope the result of this study will benefit the readers and those who are interested in the study of moral study's analysis. This study has three goals. The first, this research will show us what are the Rachel's moral qualities implied in the novel *Something Borrowed*. The second is to know the factors influencing Rachel's moral qualities. The last is to find out the influences of Rachel's moral qualities in her life.

Research Design and Methodology

This study uses qualitative research. It focuses on collecting and analyzing information in many forms, mainly non-numeric, and it concerns on exploring smaller numbers of instances and examples which are seen as being interesting or illuminating, and aims to achieve 'depth' rather than 'breadth' (Blaxter, 2006:65). The data in this thesis is derived from the dialogues of the novel which have been sorted, and carefully selected in accordance with the topic of the study. Beside, this study uses inductive method so this analysis will show the way of answering the problems to discuss from the specific to the general conclusion.

This thesis uses Immanuel Kant's theory of moral as the theoretical foundation. The first steps of this research will be started by explaining Rachel's moral qualities in the novel, that consist of patient, independent, care, friendship, and love as the good moral and betrayal, envy, and jealousy as Rachel's bad moral. The second step reveals the factors that influence Rachel's moral qualities. The third step is to analyze the impacts of Rachel's moral qualities in her life. The next step is to draw conclusion based on the process of the analysis.

Results

Basically, good and bad morals are owned by human being, includes Rachel as the main character in the novel *Something Borrowed* that depends on the dominant moral between good and bad. It would appear appropriate to the context of the situation. Therefore, as human being, we should be able to control ourselves in order to improve our moral qualities by not doing bad deeds which are regarded as bad moral in society.

Discussion

Rachel White is the main character in *Something Borrowed* by Emily Giffin. *Something Borrowed* is not an autobiography novel. However, although it is not exactly the same, Rachel's character has many similarities with Giffin's life experiences in the real life. In *Something Borrowed*, Rachel is a good woman and a hard worker. When she is in the law school, she falls in love with a handsome and smart man. She never tries to tell her feelings to Dexter. She thinks that Dexter is inappropriate man for a woman like her. Until one day, Dexter acquainted with Darcy, Rachel's best friend since childhood. Dexter and Darcy finally get engaged and they will marry soon.

Darcy is a woman who always gets everything she wants. She often treats her arbitrarily. However, Rachel is always patient and defeatist to Darcy. Rachel also cares for Darcy because Darcy has been considered her as a best friend and a sister. Until a night of Rachel's birthday, Darcy gives a surprise to Rachel. In the party, Darcy gets completely drunk and decides to go home first with Dexter. However, Dexter goes back to the bar to look for Darcy's bag. Rachel helps Dexter to find Darcy's bag. After that they decide to continue drinking at another cafe. They drink very much, so they are drunk. Rachel slept with Dexter in the Rachel's apartment. Initially that incident is an accident that they want to forget, but in fact they love each other and finally they have an affair.

Darcy and Dexter's wedding will begin immediately. However, Rachel is confused to determine whether she should choose her friendship or her true love. In the story, Rachel has a good and bad moral that are striking. Therefore, the next chapter will explain completely about Rachel's moral qualities.

Moral and ethic are two things that cannot be separated. Basically, moral is a behaviour that has been set or determined by ethics. While, ethics is a study of the virtue

and vice of the human action. Good moral is the behaviour of individuals or groups in accordance with the applicable ethics and norms, such as social norms, legal norms or religious norms. Good moral always closely relates to the virtue. It has encouraged a person to do goodness in accordance with the applicable norms in order to be accepted by society. Basically, moral never really reflects the authenticity of a person, but all are done to follow the prevailing social norms. Sincerity is one way for a person to remain well-behaved in accordance with applicable norms in order to create a harmony in social life.

Good moral, contains Patience is an ability to control and to withstand ourselves of the emotion or the desire. By the higher patience in dealing with a difficult situation, someone will get stronger feeling to overcome it. Therefore, patient is considered as an attitude that reflects the power of the souls of those who have it. It means that the patient is a person's positive behaviour which is included in the good moral. It is proven When Darcy's words hurts Rachel, she feels offended. Although she always assumes that Darcy is superior, she does not think that Darcy will utter the words that makes her angry. Rachel wants to reply to all of her words. However, in the fact she does not utter her fury to Darcy.

Rachel throws all of her disappointments and her anger against her best friend. It proves that Rachel is able to control herself from her emotions. She is always patient with Darcy's behavior that often makes her feel irritated. It deals with good will the theory of Kant because basically trying to control herself is a goodwill that will produce a goodness. By controlling herself from his emotions, she can avoid contention with Darcy that will probably adversely affect their friendship.

Rachel also very patient to Darcy. Although she knows that sometimes Darcy's reason is not logic, but she still does what Darcy desires. During their friendship, Rachel never refuse anything that is ordered by Darcy. She always remembers about her mother's advice to always be patient when dealing with Darcy. It is done until she grows up and being adult, even she is always patient to face any problems in her life.

Another example of Rachel's patience depicted in the novel is when she does not know the rest of her fate. Dexter never gives her a certain relationship, whether Dexter will prefer her or choose Darcy. Although she is anxious about the decision of Dexter, but she remains to be patient. This is one example that Rachel also be able to control herself against her wishes. She does not force Dexter to immediately make a decision, but she waits until Dexter ready to reveal it.

The next good moral is Independent means not relying on someone else. Self-reliance is not marked with the person's age, but it can be seen from the behaviour. This may happen to someone that is younger to be more independent than someone that is older. In the story, Rachel is an independent woman.

Someone who is independent always have some characteristics, such as be responsible, have the courage, and able to fulfil their own needs. This is related to the theory of Kant that defines goodwill as goodness. She does not want to disturb others and also their parents. Although she is

bored with her job, she survives in order to pay off the loan. It proves that Rachel is a responsible person. Rachel's will to support herself and pay the loan is a good will which is based on her consciousness. Good moral is also included in the theory of duty and the theory of consciousness because Rachel tries to pay her loan which is her duty that cannot be separated from responsibility for compliance with applicable regulations.

Not only being responsible and able to finance herself, she also has the courage. She stays away from her family in order to achieve her ideals. She becomes a lawyer in a large city in the United States that becomes her beginning wish. Although in the end she does not like her job, but Rachel still works hard for the sake of her life. It shows that the theory of freedom and the reason also has relevance to the Rachel's character. She takes the freedom to express her desire to live independently without any help from others. The reason is because she wants to be someone who does not depend on others.

Besides, good moral is shown by friendship rule. Rachel is a friend who would do anything for Darcy. She never concerns herself. Darcy's interest is more important to her, even though sometimes she has to do things she does not like. It happens because Darcy is her friend since her childhood. Rachel loves her like her sister. Although Rachel often does goodness to Darcy, but Darcy always utilizes the Rachel's kindness.

She also ever makes a birthday party for Rachel to show off her fashion and she invites her friends as much as possible. She wants herself seem as a care and perfect friend for Rachel. Darcy never does anything with sincerity. She is just doing goodness if it is profitable for her. Darcy also often disturbs Rachel, but Rachel still remains to be a good friend and never refuses Darcy's wishes.

It can be seen that Rachel always gives her priority to Darcy's interest. A friendship is very important to her. She never expresses disapproval of a task that has always given by Darcy. Although sometimes it makes Rachel disturbed, everything is done by Rachel without complaining to Darcy. The theory of consciousness, the theory of freedom, and the reason are very relevant to this case because Rachel consciously take the freedom to express her affection toward Darcy. Then, the reason dictates her to always do whatever Darcy's wishes.

In that night, Rachel accidentally sleeping with Dexter. It happens because they are drunk after drinking on the night of Rachel's birthday. Dexter is Rachel's friend at the time in law school. They are very close to each other. However, Darcy asks Rachel to introduce Dexter to her. As usual, she has never refused Darcy's request. She introduced Dexter to Darcy. Finally, Darcy and Dexter are engaged and they will soon be married.

Since then, Rachel and Dexter are getting closer. Apparently, Rachel and Dexter love each other. Rachel is confused about this feeling. She does not know what to choose, a friendship or love. If Darcy is in Rachel's position, Darcy would not think that she should choose her friend.

When Darcy tells that she sleeps with another man, she still gives her encouragement and advices that everyone in the world surely makes a mistake. Knowing this, Rachel

actually has plenty of opportunities to get Dexter. Darcy has an affair. It is increasingly easier for Rachel to get her love by telling to Dexter about Darcy's infidelity. However, she does not take it; she keeps Darcy's secret from Dexter, Ethan, Hillary and everyone.

The scene relates to the theory of good will and the theory of duty. Rachel keeps Darcy's secrets is a proof of a goodwill. Although in the end it does not generate good results, Rachel's will is still called as goodness. Darcy has an affair, Dexter does not know about it and on the other hand Dexter and Rachel love each other. Although keeping Darcy's secrets may not be good for her and Dexter, but Rachel still does it for Darcy. Here, she clearly has done it as a human responsibility that is her duty. She obeys all Darcy's wishes to conceal her affair.

Rachel always cares about Darcy. Caring is a form of friendship that exists because of the affection. This is perceived by Rachel. Although she is expecting to be able to live with the man she loves, she still does not want to hurt Darcy. She wants Darcy happy. although Darcy has seized Dexter from her, and Darcy also has betray to Dexter, but Rachel does not want Darcy feels hurt.

Discipline is also one of Rachel's good moral. Regularly and systematically life in accordance with the law and norms that apply in society is called discipline. Basically, discipline is the ability to be able to control ourselves in order to adhere to the system of regulation. This is very important because a disciplined life and a person's life will be always in the standard of moral in the society. Rachel is described as a woman who disciplines. She always does everything regularly; a student who always does her homework after school. Rachel always brushes her teeth with floss and tidy up her bed every morning. (Giffin, 2004:7) Her habits are influential in her life when she is growing up. She has a disciplined life because she is a risk evaders. She does not want to get bad effects of her actions. It means Rachel has intention to take no action which is odd and may be bad for herself and others.

Discipline is goodwill that is conducted by Rachel with her consciousness to fulfill the obligations that has been set. It relates to the theory of consciousness. Rachel becomes disciplined because she wants her life in accordance with applicable norms. In accordance with the facts, people who always obey the rules and live according to the norms and applicable law are regarded as good people. Moral is categorized as good and bad moral, but people who are said to be good are they who have good morals.

Furthermore Bad moral is an individual behavior that deviates from the applicable norms of law. Basically, moral always closely relates to the culture, traditions, and customs in the social circumstances. If someone acts strange and beyond the rules, then it is considered as a violation in the society. To know the good and bad morals, someone needs to use their mind and knowledge. With knowledge, someone knows whether he acts in accordance with the rules or may deviate. Therefore, the higher of knowledge of a person determine the quality of a person which is to be able to know the good and the bad. Good moral will always result many benefits because basically good always represents virtue. On the contrary, bad moral will produce undesirable effects.

Kant asserts in a more contextual situation that reason and knowledge are the tools that can determine the moral of a person.

In the novel, Rachel is a good woman, but finally she does betray to her best friend. It happens because she thinks that she has the right to live like Darcy. Envy and jealousy become the reasons for her to betray Darcy. Due to betrayal, Rachel often lies to cover up that she has an affair with her best friend's fiance. The explanations bellow are the examples of Rachel's bad moral.

Besides, Every human being has a heart that is filled by a variety of feelings, such as love, longing, happy, sad, and even feelings of others. From so many human feelings, there are two things that are difficult to distinguish; they are envy and jealousy. Basically, envy is our feeling of displeasure and resentment on something that is owned by someone else.

Rachel is very envious of Darcy who is always better than her. Darcy is a beautiful woman who is perfect for her. She has what is not owned by Rachel. She is able to do anything that cannot be done by Rachel. In addition, Darcy has a brother who makes Rachel increasingly feel envy. Rachel feels envy because Rachel is the only child in her family. Many things in Darcy which makes Rachel feel envy.

Rachel also feels envy of Darcy's job which she considers as a better job than hers as a lawyer. Rachel also considers Darcy is always lucky, even Darcy has engaged and will soon be married. It is what Rachel desires since her childhood. She wants a pleasant job and a man whom she loves, but in reality she does not have them all. All the luck of Darcy makes her often think, why everything is always perfect for Darcy while she never gets what he wants.

She feels Darcy is always superior than her. Even, she is jealous of Darcy's job as PR, even though her job is better than Darcy's. She assumes that being a lawyer is a very exhausting and spends more time. She often works on weekends until she did not have much time to have fun. Different with Darcy's job which delightful and considered better than her job. Rachel's envious is portrayed in the story. While jealousy is a feeling of dislike for something that we have or something which belongs to someone else, it relates to human beings and are closely related to those feelings.

Rachel also often feels jealous even on the little things that happen between Darcy and Dexter. She is unhappy because Dexter has given gifts to Darcy. She never gets it from Dexter. Rachel also feels jealous because Darcy has a nickname from Dexter and she does not has it. She assumes that she does not has anything to be proud to Dexter. Rachel thinks of herself as an ordinary person. Therefore, she is always jealous to Darcy. In addition, she feels jealous of the togetherness between Darcy and Dexter. It can be seen in the following quotes.

Rachel feels jealous when Darcy and Dexter go with Dexter's parents. Though it is a normal thing for couples, who have been engaged and will get married soon, to get closer each other with their family. But Rachel does not like if they go together.

Envy and jealousy are the feelings dislike when someone has anything more from her. It means that Rachel has made a deviation from the theoretical of duty. Rachel assumes that Darcy is a selfish woman. She is a woman who

would do anything to get whatever she wants. She also seizes the attention of anyone to care for her. Even, Rachel's mother loves her because she always tries to be a good person in front of anyone. On the contrary, she never does goodness with sincerity. She always does whatever which brings the advantage for her.

It explains that judging ugliness for someone is the deviation from the theory of duty. Supposedly, she does not have negative thinking about her friend. Rachel should be always positive thinking to Darcy because it is her duty as a friend. Envy and jealousy are the feelings that can give negative impacts because envy and jealousy will lead to malice that would undermine human soul. If people feel envy, then they can do anything that can give bad impacts for themselves and their surroundings. Therefore, envy and jealousy will produce bad moral for someone.

The next bad Rachel's bad moral is betrayal. Betrayal is unfaithful act committed by a person to anyone. The story shows that Rachel betrays her friend. Initially, she does not have an intention to betray Darcy and tries to seize Dexter from Darcy, but all of that happen on the night of Rachel's birthday in thirtieth. Although she has the excuse that she did because of a drunk, but actually she is not completely unconscious. She did it on her consciousness. When she kissed Dexter, she thinks about Darcy. However, she tries to throw away her thought and is still kissing with Dexter. Finally Rachel and Dex are sleeping together in that night.

As a friend, supposedly Rachel did not do that. The duty of a friend is to be the best partner and keep her friend well, not with betrayal as she does to Darcy. Even, after the event of that night, Rachel and Dexter are getting closer and they have an affair. Rachel wants to forget all about Darcy when she is with Dexter. She tries to lie to herself that she does not really commit crimes against Darcy. It is obvious that Rachel has deviated from the theoretical of duty.

Darcy is a selfish woman who always wants to get whatever she wants. Not infrequently she also pretends to be a good woman in front of everyone to get attention. All of that makes everybody like and love her. In fact, Darcy only does goodness if it is profitable for her. Rachel always thinks of her as a person who is always lucky, so she often feels envy and jealous of Darcy. That is one of the reason Rachel tries to get Dexter. In addition, by the support of Ethan and Hillary, Rachel also always thinks which makes she realizes that Darcy is not a good friend. If Darcy is in the position of Rachel, Darcy certainly will not think for so long to seize Dex from Rachel. However, for this time Rachel would fight for her love for her happiness of her life.

In the end, Rachel does not care about her betrayal against Darcy. She does not think about Darcy again, although she has an affair with Darcy's fiance. The most important thing for her is to be with someone whom she loves. Rachel's act is an act which is regarded as bad moral. This act gives negative impacts in her friendship with Darcy. But, it never makes her regret to try putting her interests than Darcy.

The last is lie. Lie is saying statements which are not true to the reality. It means to reveal something incorrectly. After her betrayal with Dexter, Rachel often commits lies. It

is useful to cover up her actions with Dexter from everyone. Bellow are quotes that show that Rachel lies to Darcy.

Rachel reveals false statements. She lies because she wants her actions with Dexter unknown to Darcy. Though, Dexter did not go home because Dexter is sleeping with Rachel. However, Rachel lies to Darcy and says that Dexter may not to betray her. Rachel lies because she thinks that by lying, her betrayal will not be known by everyone. She will remain an affair and tries to seize Dexter from Darcy.

Lie is a bad behaviour who is done by someone with a wide variety of reasons. Basically every bad behaviour will also result ugliness. Badness would be considered as a person's bad moral. Here, Rachel conducts the deviation from the theory of duty. Supposedly, Rachel says anything based on the truth because it is a duty as human beings to always say anything based on the reality. However, she chooses to lie in order that her betrayal unknown by everyone.

Those are closely related to the Family and Environmental as the Factors Influencing Rachel's Moral Qualities. Family is the smallest social institution that becomes a miniature of society. Family has an important role in the formation of individual character. It means that the development of a person's character is influenced by the treatment of the family against them. In a family, children can socialize, understand, and also learn all aspects of life which are reflected in the culture of the society. Then they make them as a benchmark in every action in their life. Family is also a factor that affects Rachel's character in *Something borrowed*. It can be seen in Rachel's life as the main character in the novel. She is described as a good and patient woman.

Rachel always succumbs to Darcy, though Darcy often makes her feel irritated. Darcy always wants to get what she wants. However, when Rachel hates for her, she remembers her mother's advice. It causes Rachel to remain a good friend for Darcy. Rachel's family is a harmonious family. Her father and mother love her very much. They lived in harmony for years. Small incidence which usually occurs in a family is not a problem, but it makes them even closer.

Family is so important because through the family, a person's life is formed. Rachel's harmonious family makes her live in the applicable rules. When she is younger she never does delinquency. It is because of her family who always taught her to be good since she is a child. Rachel is a woman who disciplines. The family environment is not the only factor that affects the Rachel's moral qualities, but also the social environment. Her friends may also affect Rachel's moral qualities. At first Rachel is a friend who is willing to do anything to Darcy, but in the middle of the story, Ethan and Hillary who are also Rachel's friends try to tell Rachel that Darcy is not a good friend for her.

All of the actions and deeds always have a risk, likewise Rachel's decision to fight her love. She betrays Darcy who is her friend since childhood. It is not easy for Rachel to decide, but by the support from Ethan and Hillary, Rachel finally has decided to prefer Dexter. When betrayal was discovered, Darcy was very angry and disappointed with Rachel. She does not want Rachel to become her friend

anymore. She also does not want to see Rachel in later date and assumes that Rachel is dead. (Giffin, 2004:360).

Finally Rachel gets the man whom she loves, even though at first Rachel confuses to prefer Dexter or Darcy. They are very important for Rachel. She thinks that she would never be able to choose between her friendship or true love. However, considering Darcy who is always selfish and annoyed her, and by the support of her friends, she thinks that it is the time for her trying to get what she wants. Rachel is betrayed by trying to get Dexter from Darcy. There is no struggle which is futile.

Although she lost her best friend, but finally she is able to live happily with Dexter without feel fear of getting caught. She can do anything with Dexter and there are no distractions from Darcy. She is happy because Dex eventually becomes the only love for her. (Giffin, 2004:381) She said that if you want something then you should be prepared to lose something. All of that always existing impacts and risks. This is reflected in Rachel's life. When she tries to fight for her love, she lost her best friend.

Moral qualities of a person can be seen from how she can put themselves in many of situations, whether good or bad morals which are more dominating. In this case, Rachel is described as a woman who follows the rules. However, eventually she realized when she begins to fall in love with Dexter. She forgets about her good morals as a good woman by trying to seize Dexter from Darcy. She betrayed Darcy and it makes she loses Darcy. However, she never regrets it.

Conclusion

There are many moral values that can be drawn from Rachel by using Kant's moral theory. The first is patience that always carries Rachel when she receives bad treatment from Darcy. She is always patient with Darcy that often makes her feeling offended. The second are independent woman, Rachel is someone who does not depend on someone else. She is trying to fulfil her own needs by working hard. Although she does not like her job, she still does it in order to get a salary and repay her loans. The third is a friendship that happens between her and Darcy. She always cares for Darcy since childhood. Care is one of the results of the friendship because of her affection to Darcy. The fourth is discipline that happened to Rachel's life.

Rachel's good moral is influenced by her parents' upbringing since childhood. Her parents always advise Rachel to always become a good woman. But as a human being, she also has bad morals. Rachel's bad morals include envy and jealousy, betrayal, and lie. Rachel feels envious and jealous when Darcy always gets whatever she wants. Even Darcy often acts rudely to Rachel. Envy and jealousy is a form of bad morals, it makes Rachel commit an uprising for something that happens on her during this time. This is the first irregularities carried out by Rachel. Envy and jealousy make Rachel betrays her friend. Actually, Rachel's betrayal against Darcy is not only influenced by envy and jealousy, but also from the support of her other friends. Ethan and Hillary always tell Rachel to fight for her love and say that Darcy is not a good friend. That makes her more determine to get Dexter. As the result of her betrayal, Rachel

often lies to Darcy. She always covers whatever she does with Dexter. This is done to hide her betrayal. All of this, it can be concluded that every person has good and bad morals that are inseparable. It is appropriate to the context of the situation. Therefore, as human beings, we should be able to control ourselves in order to improve our moral qualities by not doing bad deeds which are regarded as bad moral in society.

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