

CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

In this chapter, the writer explain about the conclusion and suggestion for the reader to be more understand about the research.

A. Conclusion

The following description below is the conclusion that the writer would like to reach after conducting study and data analysis on the function of phatic language.

1. Regarding the objective of the study, which is to classified the utterances into the phatic language and also to categorize the types of phatic language functions contained in the novel *The Girl with a Louding Voice* by Abi Dare. There are 11 types of phatic language functions found, which are *keeping talking, making chit – chat, creating harmony, making gossip, creating comfort, starting conversation, avoid the silence, expressing friendship or camaraderie, expressing solidarity, expressing sympathy and empathy and expressing respect*. From the twelve existing phatic language functions, phatic language which has a function to express sympathy and empathy is the most common or dominant function in this research. With only 1 datum, the phatic function which aims to make a chit chat and expressing respect are the least common types of phatic language functions that the writer found in this study.
2. Regarding the second purpose of this study, which is to figure out why the data is categorized as phatic language function. From the 39 data collected,

the writer found 11 types of phatic language functions. Therefore, after find out the eleven phatic language functions, the writer explains why the utterances of the novel's characters are classified as phatic language functions.

B. Suggestion

Based on the result of the research which have been obtained, some suggestions are stated for further research. The suggestions are presented below:

1. To the students

To students who have an interest in linguistics, especially those which is related to social life, namely sociolinguistics, it is highly recommended to research about language functions, especially phatic language functions.

It is because this function has a fairly close relationship with everyday life.

The writer suggests to the future researchers to develop this research in a wider context.

2. To the readers

Since this research is closely related to people daily life, from the result of this research, the writer suggests several things. First, by reading this research, the writer hope that the readers will use this study as source of insights for them to be more understand about the function behind everyone's speech in a communication, especially the phatic function. Then, the writer propose that the readers use this study as a benchmark for creating further research which related to phatic function of language. And

also, the writer hopes that with this research the readers will be more aware that in every utterance people say, it has a different function.

3. To the writer

Because the writer hopes that this research could be useful for readers as a related reference in analyzing phatic function of language, the writer will greatly appreciate suggestions or criticisms on how to rectify this research.

