



ABSTRAK

KOMUNIKASI INTERPERSONAL ANTARA ORANG TUA DAN ANAK PASCA PERCERAIAN (STUDI KASUS DI KABUPATEN MAGELANG)

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Penelitian ini membahas komunikasi interpersonal antara anak dan orang tua dalam keluarga broken home dengan pendekatan kualitatif deskriptif. Data diperoleh melalui wawancara mendalam terhadap lima partisipan. Hasil menunjukkan bahwa perceraian memicu dampak emosional pada anak dan menimbulkan hambatan komunikasi. Anak cenderung berkomunikasi selektif dengan orang tua yang dirasa aman secara emosional. Faktor pendukung komunikasi meliputi kesiapan emosional, strategi coping, jarak psikologis, dan penyesuaian gaya komunikasi oleh orang tua. Temuan dianalisis menggunakan teori komunikasi interpersonal DeVito, yang menekankan prinsip keterbukaan, empati, dukungan, sikap positif, dan kesetaraan.

Kata Kunci: Komunikasi Interpersonal, Anak, Orang Tua, Broken Home, Teori DeVito

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INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION BETWEEN PARENTS AND CHILDREN AFTER DIVORCE (A CASE STUDY IN MAGELANG REGENCY)

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This study explores interpersonal communication between children and parents in broken home families using a descriptive qualitative approach. Data were collected through in-depth interviews with five participants. Findings show that divorce leads to emotional impacts on children and creates communication barriers. Children tend to engage in selective communication with emotionally safe parents. Supporting factors include emotional readiness, coping strategies, psychological distance, and parental communication adjustment. The findings are analyzed using DeVito's interpersonal communication theory, which emphasizes openness, empathy, supportiveness, positiveness, and equality.

Keywords: *Interpersonal Communication, Child, Parent, Broken Home, DeVito's Theory*