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“So be patient with gracious patience.”

**Q.S. Al-Ma’arij:5**

“Do not be afraid, I am with you, All hearing and All seeing.”

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“It’s not always easy, but that’s life.

Be strong because there are better days ahead.”

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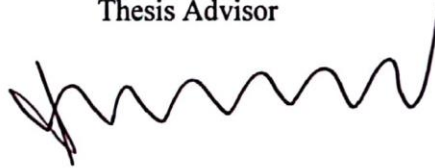
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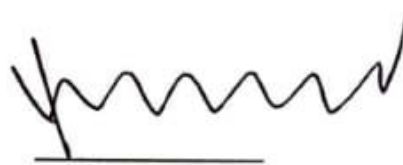
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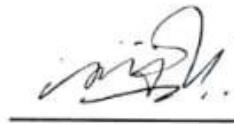
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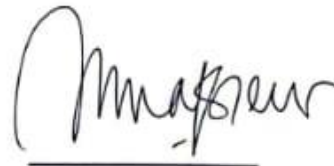
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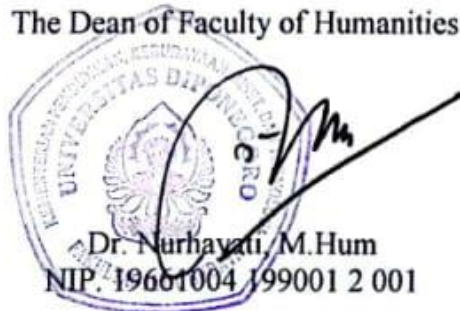
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## ABSTRACT

This research thesis discusses the hierarchy of needs of the main character in *The Terminal* movie written by Hope Manna. The objectives of this study are to analyze how Viktor Navorski fulfills his hierarchy of needs in order to survive in the airport. The writer uses library research and a psychological approach in writing this thesis by applying Abraham Maslow's theory of hierarchy of needs. The analysis consists of two parts of discussion covering intrinsic elements and extrinsic element. The writer uses character, characterization, and conflict as the intrinsic elements. Meanwhile, the extrinsic element, the writer discusses the main character's needs by using Abraham Maslow's hierarchy of needs theory. This theory consists of five levels of human needs. The result of the research shows that Viktor Navorski can fulfill his physiological needs, safety needs, love and belongingness needs, esteem needs, and self-actualization needs.

Keywords: hierarchy of needs, physiological, safety, love and belongingness, esteem, self-actualization needs