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If you do good, you do good for yourselves; and if you do evil, (you do it) to yourselves.

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You don't necessarily have to become the sun, if you're willing to, you could be a star, a streetlight, or a firefly. They are all capable of shining. When they want to shine, they shine. When they don't feel like shining, they slack off. Even if you never shine, some people could see you at a glance

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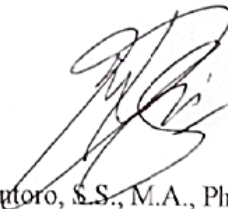
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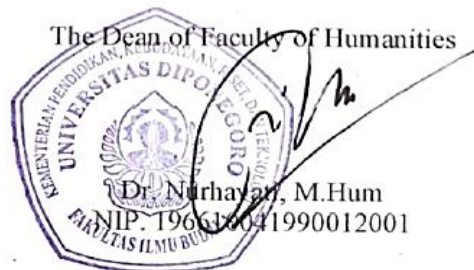
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ABSTRACT

This study employs Coates (2013) to analyze the types of language features and to reveal the purposes of the language features of the two main characters in the movie *Mr. and Mrs. Smith*. This study uses purposive sampling to collect data and the results show that all seven language features proposed by Coates (2013) are present in the data (135 data). Furthermore, the 'question' feature appears or is used the most by the two main characters. The purpose of using language features also varies depending on each feature such as gathering information, agreeing or disagreeing some topics, and etc. The topics they often talk about when using language features are related to work issues. It can be concluded that the way John and Jane speak and use language features depends on the circumstances and activities they are doing.

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