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ABSTRACT

The paper entitled “The Description of Characters in Jenny Han’s Novel P.S I Still Loves You” describe about the main character’s personalities which exist in the novel. The main characters have different personalities that interesting to discussed. In this paper, the writer was used library research, by reading some books that are related to the topic and get some information from internet. The theory that was used is theory from Robert and Jacob. From the description, there are four main characters, they are lara jean, peter kavinsky, genevieve and jhon mcclarren. Lara Jean is the innocent person and really put everything to her hearts and also she is an exaggerated person. Peter kavinsky is lara jean boyfriend although at the first they are pretend but the last they weren’t. Peter kavinsky is also a romantic person to lara jean. Genevieve is peter ex-girlfriend. She is always disturb their relation and she is share lara jean hot videos on instagram. And Jhon McClarren is lara jean first love, he is really a kind person, he is never give up person too. he comes again but nothing changed, lara jean still chooses peter kavinsky but jhon still wait lara jean’s for come back.
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