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ABSTRACT

This study aims to analyze the types of love in Sally Rooney's *Normal People*. The objective of this study is to find the types of love that exist between the characters in the story. In analysing the story, the writer uses the theory of love by C.S. Lewis. The theory explains that there are four types of love, namely storge, philias, eros, and agape. The research method is descriptive qualitative research by using intrinsic and extrinsic approach. The intrinsic approach is applied in this study because the study deals with the characters in the novel. The extrinsic sociological approach is used to analyze love types. The data are taken from *Normal People* that is written by Sally Rooney. The result shows that through the characters, the novel discusses different types of love. There are only three types of love seen in the novel *Normal People*. The first, types of love storge or familial happens between Connell, Lorraine, Connell's grandmother, Marianne, Denise, and Alan. The second, types of philias or friendship happens between Marianne, Connell, Joanna, Peggy, Niall, and Rob. The last, types of eros or romantic love happens to the character of Marianne and Connell. In *Normal People*, love exists in every single person and it has some different types that happens between family, friends, and couple.

Keywords: types of love, storge, philias, eros, agape