

ABSTRACT

This study analyses the Impact of fake marriage to the protagonist's life in Tess Wakefield's novel *Purple Hearts*. This study focuses on the negative impact. This is qualitative descriptive research which used Abrams' theory to collect and analyse the data. Some theory relevant to the study are used to support the analysis. The result shows that there are several impacts of fake marriage found in the novel, namely legal consequences, financial consequences, and emotional consequences. The subject of this study, the protagonist's having a fake marriage to get the money to overcome their personal financial problems. In addition, Cassie and Luke are able to prove they are love comes true after experiencing some impact.

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