

## CHAPTER V

### CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

#### A. Conclusion

- 1) The researcher discussed the sarcasm found in the American sitcom *Sam & Cat* using the theory of Elizabeth Camp and Attardo. Based on the abundance of sarcasm findings found in sitcoms, it indicates that sarcasm is not only employed in serious contexts but can also serve as a form of humor among friends.
- 2) There were 40 collected found after analyzed the types and purposes of sarcasm. In terms of sarcasm types, there were 22 data of propositional sarcasm, 3 of lexical sarcasm, 5 of like-prefixed sarcasm, and 10 of illocutionary sarcasm. Regarding the purposes of sarcasm, there were 4 data of group affiliation, 6 of sophistication, 16 of evaluation, 10 of politeness, 3 of persuasive aspect, and 1 of retractability.

#### B. Suggestion

- 1) It is suggested to the readers to understand the used of sarcasm based on the context itself.
- 2) It is suggested for readers to enrich their knowledge more about pragmatics, particularly as it relates to sarcasm and the cooperative principle.
- 3) The advice for further studies is to advance the research in this thesis to demonstrate that sarcasm is indeed utilized in daily conversations among friends.