ABSTRACT

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This study is an analysis of figurative language in song lyrics of album *Back from the Edge by James Arthur*. The objective of this study is to find out the kinds figurative language and the most dominant that are found in the album *Back from the edge by James Arthur*. The writer found seven figurative language. They are hyperbole, metaphor, simile, symbol, paradox, personification, synecdoche. The researcher used qualitative method in analyzing and interpreting the data and use Perrine theory to finish this research. The researcher found 51 data's which contain (14) hyperbole, (12) metaphor, (9) simile, (7) symbol, (6) paradox, (2) personification, (1) synecdoche. The dominant of figurative language used is hyperbole.

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