

ABSTRACT

Semiotic Analysis of Spiritual Meaning in the Lyrics of the Song 'Lir-Ilir' by Sunan Kali Jaga.

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One of the ancient Javanese "tembang" or songs that still exists today is Lir-ilir created by sunan Kalijaga. The lyrics of the song Lir-ilir use Javanese vocabulary with figurative words. In the song there are many figurative meanings or parables. This study aims to examine the spiritual meaning of the lyrics of Lir-ilir popularized by Sunan Kalijaga. This research uses qualitative research methods with the Roland Barthes Analysis approach. The results of the interpretation of meaning based on Roland Barthes semiotic technique, the spiritual meaning in question is a message, invitation, or advice related to Islamic religious values delivered by Sunan Kalijaga to the Javanese community so that Javanese people recognize Islam as a new and better life guide than the previous religion. The communication strategy using songs was used because at that time the Javanese people were passionate about cultural arts including songs. Sunan Kalijaga used figurative words such as, Lir-ilir, Ijo royo-royo, penganten anyar, bocah angon, belimbing, lunyu-lunyu, and rembulan. Each word written in the lyrics has its own meaning in the song Lir-ilir popularized by Sunan Kalijaga.

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