ABSTRACT

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Losing mother because of death is the most difficult and painful for a child. That's because relation between mother and children have closer than father. After death of mother, the firstborn would have responsibility to take care of the family. This research was made to describe firstborn resilience in young adult woman who has experience losing her mother. Resilience is the ability of someone to resolved the problem and back to normal situation. Four of research subject are the woman, thats because woman generally more sensitive than men for taking care of the family. Woman who lost her mother are very difficult to face the death, and they need reseilience to overcome the grieving process and replace the role of mother. Interview was conducted in six month, during the Januari 2014 until Juni 2014, the aged of subject start from 22 to 24 years old. The result of this research indicate four subject can faced the death of mother, and they succeed to build resilience. Each subject has different to indicate of seven characteristics resilience, and they also have tend to build inner strength, to feel love from others, and try to make new ability for they life.

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