

## ABSTRACT

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This study is an analysis of Westlife's *The Love Album*. The idealism of love and the tendency of people who fall in love are chosen to be analyzed, because *The Love Album* compiles several love songs and it is believed that those love songs contain message about love. This study is aimed to find out the idealism of love and to describe the tendency of people who fall in love as depicted in *The Love Album*. For analyzing this study, Reader Response approach is applied. The analysis finds eleven idealisms of love and eleven tendencies of people who fall in love that are depicted in each lyric of *The Love Album*.

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