

## CHAPTER I INTRODUCTION

In this chapter, the writer presents background, research problems, the aims of study, and the significances of the study as a guideline for this research.

### **1.1. Background**

Language can be influenced by the social phenomena such as the development of human thought and culture. One of the kind language is Indonesian as one of language in the world also developed from time and influenced by the human thought and the result of cultural contact. Widely used language for people to convey messages from one person to another people will speak the language of the others so that the message was accepted. Messages can be up to the recipient of the message and deliver a message not just through conversation, but also through the information presented in writing. And Languages continuously interact and borrow from one another in the mosaic of global communication, weaving a rich tapestry of linguistic interaction. English is one of the many languages affected by this phenomena; it is well-known for having a large vocabulary and being spoken all over the world.

Loanwords are words that originate from a foreign language or regional language that is used in the native language Chaer (2007). There are three ways a word is absorbed in to the native language. First, the word is commonly used in the original language, so its use is not felt foreign by the language users. Second the word still feels foreign to people for native language users, the spelling and pronunciation still follow foreign methods. Third, words of origin and foreign languages are used for purposes terminology, and enrich the vocabulary of the native language, the words are translated into native language, its use and writing are adapted to the rules of that language. In order to analysis the complex web of English loanwords, this study will follow their linguistic journeys of acceptance and adaption through many context. This study attempts to analysis English loanwords in great detail in order to explore their linguistic consequences, cultural meanings, and alterations in meaning. Through an examination of the integration

of these lexical imports, we want to reveal the fundamental processes that propel language development and cross-cultural communication. This study not only clarifies the dynamic character of language but also provides used full to its user.

*Uab Meto* as one of the languages in the East Nusa Tenggara used by people for communication with each other. *Uab Meto*, which some also call *dawan*, is native to western Timor, with roughly 800,000 speakers. Split between Indonesian and east Timor, the language struggles against the ubiquity and prestige of Indonesian and Tetum respectively, placing it in danger of extinction despite the still widespread domestic use. Since *Uab Meto* is not used in educational settings, youth risk inadequate exposure to their ancestral language and may be tempted to shift to Indonesian or Tetum instead. At translationservices.com, we want to see *Uab Meto* thrive now and in the future, so we've created our own *Uab Meto* translation team to do our part. Indonesian vocabulary uses a lot of borrowing word from foreign vocabularies such as Dutch, English, Portuguese, Chinese, Arabic and others.

This happens every time there is contact between languages, so in contact between languages is open or easy to process the absorption of new words. In this research, the writer wants to research loan words. For the writer, loan words are a very important aspect to examine in the *Uab Meto* language because people in generally do not know the origins of the loan words used. Based on the description above, the writer would like to take research entitles “**An Analysis of Loan Words in Bible *Uab Meto* Language**”.

## **1.2. Research Problems**

Based on the description above, the problems of this research is can be formulated as follow:

- 1.2.1 What are the loan words in the *Uab Meto* Bible?
- 1.2.2 What are the most frequent types of loanwords found in the Bible of *Uab Meto*?

## **1.3 Aims of study**

- 1.3.1 To find out the loan words in the Bible of *Uab Meto*.

1.3.2 To find out the most frequent types of loan words found in the Bible of *Uab Meto*.

#### **1.4 Significant of study**

The results of this study will be very useful, especially for researchers who are interested in examining how to find out loan words in the Bible *Uab Meto*. Besides being useful for researchers, this research is also expected to be useful for all readers from various circles related to this research. The aim of this research is also for readers to have knowledge of the Bible *Uab Meto*, especially loanwords.

##### **1.4.1 Implication**

Sociolinguistics is a branch of linguistics that takes language as an object of study, in a way that is usually distinguished from how syntax, semantic, morphology, and phonology handle it Jendra (2010:9). From sociolinguistic we can know about language. Language is regarded as a set of rules enabling speakers to translate information from the outside world into sound Gumperz (1972:14).

##### **1.4.2 Application**

The result of this study is expected to be useful for the writer, readers and other researcher are :

1. The writer

It is hoped that the result of this research will provide benefits for the writer to increase knowledge and insight about loan words in the Bible of *Uab Meto*.

2. Readers

The aim of this research is also for readers to have knowledge of the Bible *Uab Meto*, especially loan words.

3. Other researcher

A better understanding of the loan words in the Bible of *Uab Meto* can help in better deciphering these classical texts, enriching the interpretation and understanding of the message contained there in.