

SEPTEMBER  
2024

# e-Lingua

3/2024



✓ <u>Chief Editor's Desk</u>	<u>2</u>
✓ <u>News &amp; Reports</u>	<u>7</u>
✓ <u>Language Club News &amp; Reports</u>	<u>16</u>
✓ <u>Image &amp; Lifestyle</u>	<u>44</u>
✓ <u>Pet Lovers' Central</u>	<u>70</u>
✓ <u>Lecturer's Contribution</u>	<u>93</u>
✓ <u>Creative Corner</u>	<u>119</u>
✓ <u>The Team</u>	<u>131</u>



# Creative Writing

<u>Manusia Akhir Zaman</u>	<u>120</u>
<u>Bukit</u>	<u>121</u>
<u>Kan?</u>	<u>122</u>
<u>Halilintar</u>	<u>124</u>
<u>Redha</u>	<u>125</u>
<u>Masa</u>	<u>126</u>
<u>Menggenggam Buah di Bumi Bertuah</u>	<u>127</u>
<u>Eternal Bonds</u>	<u>129</u>

By Fatin Zaida Binti Zaidi

I treasure each moment, each fleeting embrace,  
Through twilight and dawn, your steadfast grace,  
My midnight whispers, never left unheard,  
Our conversations, like dreams, gently stirred.

In joy, we wandered, through laughter and light,  
You'd guide me home from the depths of night,  
Your kindness and care, a soft, gentle balm,  
With you, my heart finds its tranquil calm.

Your "yes" to my whims, a soothing delight,  
A beacon of warmth in the darkest night,  
One call away, never distant, never apart,  
Since eighteen, you've silently claimed my heart.

A decade's flown by, our bond remains,  
Though meetings are rare, our friendship sustains,  
Irony strikes, as I see the truth,  
After all these years, I've fallen for you.



Yet these feelings, I must cast away,  
For fear of a rift that might lead us astray,  
Remember that night, my hesitant plea,  
I can't see us together, despite what's felt.

Five minutes of silence, your heart turned away,  
Avoidance followed, leaving me in dismay,  
Did I falter, or cause you despair?  
This tangled confusion is too much to bear.

Do you harbor affection, or am I just a friend?  
Your silence makes it hard to comprehend,  
I wish you saw me as naught but a friend,  
Hurting you is the last thing I'd intend.

Though you won't read this, my heart's confession,  
I like you deeply, in every expression,  
But silent I'll stay, for our friendship's sake,  
Pretend this never happened, a vow I'll never break.

For in my heart, you'll forever reside,  
My cherished friend, in whom I confide,  
An eternal bond, beyond time's endless sea,  
In memories cherished, forever you'll be.