

ABSTRACT

Ngarot traditional ceremonies as a habit occurring hereditary since the time of the ancestors of the villagers Karedok. The values that support these communities are useful for forming the character Soul Nation Nationalism and Identity. Ngarot traditional ceremony is one of the local culture that is still held every year by the people of the village Karedok Jatigede District of Sumedang. In this Ngarot indigenous traditions are cultural values relating to shape the character of Soul Nationalism.

The study was based on five issues, namely: 1) What is the history of traditional ceremonies Ngarot? 2) How does the implementation process ngarot ceremonies? 3) The values of tradition and culture is inherent in traditional ceremonies ngarot relation to the character formation of nationalism? 4) What factors are inhibiting people's interest in understanding the meaning and values of Western culture in traditional ceremonies ngarot? And 5) what are the efforts that must be done in tackling the problem preservation traditional values ngarot relation to the character formation of nationalism?

The approach used in this study is a qualitative approach using descriptive methods. Data collected through interview, observation, literature and documentation study. Subjects in this study is Ngarot elders, religious leaders, village governments, and community participants Ngarot Karedok. Based on the results of the study revealed that: 1) The history of indigenous ceremonies in the village Ngarot Karedok began in about the 1900s, when the village was hit by plague many casualties, both people and pets. 2) Process held pelaksanaan indigenous helpful ngarot as a venue for the whole community gathered with Karedok, attracting tourists to witness traditional ceremonies ngarot, recognize cultural customs karedok, strengthen the sense of mutual cooperation, understanding the customs value ngarot, strengthen kinship and friendship, foster a love of traditional local culture, and preservation of heritage. 3) With the habits and culture and local wisdom values, then the values of togetherness, thoroughness, mutual cooperation, and the religious was seen clearly in the village Karedok. 4) factors which impede the implementation of the implementation Ngarot Ceremony is participating in the implementation process of indigenous participation ngarot most of the adults rather than youth. So that many young people who do not understand their own cultural customs territory,

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