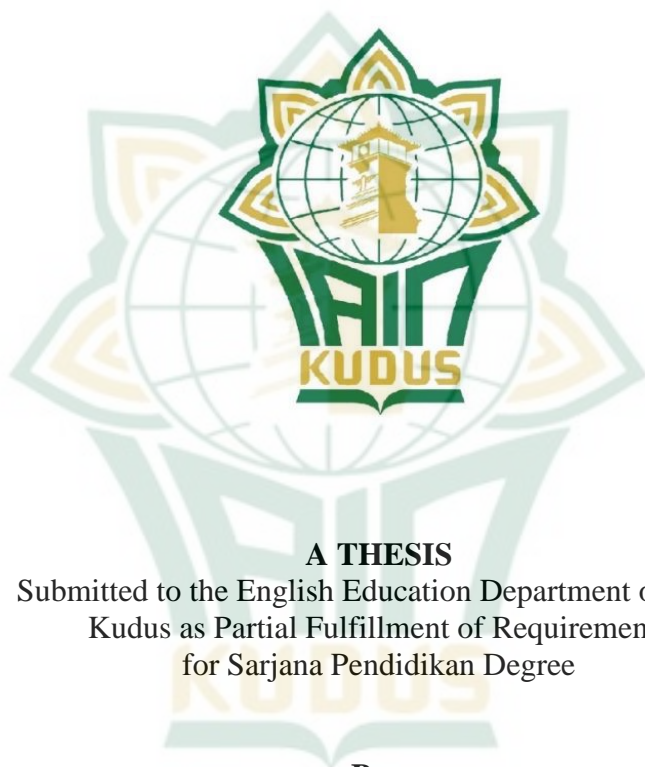


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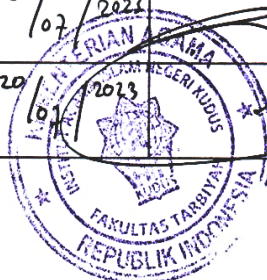
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"Which is it, of the favors of your Lord, that ye deny?"

QS. Ar-Rahman

"My spiritual teacher is reality. And my reality teacher is spirituality".

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"Fear only comes because we don't believe in God, we just need to surrender all things to Him"

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