

ABSTRAK

Albertus Agung Kia Riantobi. 41153035160171. Komunikasi Antarpribadi Dalam Toleransi Umat Beragama. Studi Deskriptif Kualitatif pada Masyarakat di Kota Kupang Nusa Tenggara Timur.

Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mengetahui makna kebebasan memeluk agama, makna kebebasan melaksanakan ibadah sesuai ajaran agama dan sikap toleransi antarumat beragama di kota Kupang.

Penelitian ini menggunakan metode penelitian kualitatif dengan pendekatan penelitian studi deskriptif kualitatif. Subyek penelitian adalah anggota masyarakat beragama di kota Kupang, ditentukan secara purposif berdasarkan komunikasi antarpribadi. Proses pengumpulan data diperoleh melalui wawancara mendalam, dan pengamatan terhadap informan, sedangkan untuk data penunjang diperoleh melalui studi dokumentasi hasil penelitian sebelumnya, studi literatur lainnya, dan wawancara dengan pihak terkait.

Hasil penelitian ini menunjukkan bahwa masyarakat dan pemerintah kota Kupang tidak memaksa seseorang untuk memeluk agama tertentu, tidak mengintervensi urusan agama lain, larangan menghina agama dan menghasut umat beragama. Menolak diskriminasi dan intoleransi, menghormati persamaan dan perbedaan agama. Menjunjung tinggi kebebasan beragama, beribadah, dan merayakan hari keagamaan. Toleransi umat beragama di kota Kupang bertujuan untuk membentuk harmonisasi sosial.

Kata kunci: Komunikasi antarpribadi, toleransi, umat beragama

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Albertus Agung Kia Riantobi. 41153035160171. Interpersonal Communication in Religious Tolerance. A Descriptive Qualitative Study on People of Kupang City, East Nusa Tenggara.

This study aims to determine the meaning of freedom of religion, the meaning of freedom of worship according to religious teachings and the attitude of tolerance among religious believers in the city of Kupang.

This study uses qualitative research methods with a qualitative descriptive study research approach. The research subjects were members of the religious communities in the city of Kupang, determined purposively based on interpersonal communication. The data collection process was obtained through in-depth interviews, and observations of informants. Supporting data was obtained through the study of documentation of previous research results, other literature studies, and interviews with relevant parties.

The results of this study indicate that the people of Kupang city do not force a person to change their religion or belief, do not intervene in the affairs of other religions, prohibit insulting religion and inciting religious communities. The people refuse discrimination and religious intolerance and they respect each other's similarities and differences in religions. They also uphold freedom of religion so that people can worship and celebrate religious events. Religious tolerance in Kupang city aims to form social harmony.

Keywords: *Interpersonal communication, tolerance, religious people*