

## **CHAPTER V**

### **CONCLUSION**

The holistic education is portrayed in the Little Women movie through Marmee as the family's educator and it gives impact on the daughters' development and future. Marmee, taught her daughters with all areas of holistic education based on human intelligence: intellectual quotient, spiritual quotient, emotional quotient, social quotient, and adversity quotient. Her daughters received valuable items not only from her and her family but also from their society. While her father was serving in the Union army, Marmee filled in for him as the family's educator by following the guidelines the holistic education. The March sisters revealed significant results even though those values not instantly absorbed to the girls since the education in the family with holistic education is a life-time learning process. Through holistic education the March sisters lived (1) intellectually by getting stronger with the knowledge they had, viewing the perspective widely, verbally good delivering what were their mind, knowing what they want and how they should with that. While successfully living in knowledge and talents they possessed, (2) Marmee did not neglect to provide them with a meaningful and spiritually fulfilling existence by remembering God. They were instructed to follow their hearts in all they did. They lived with patience in bad and good situations, and showed gratitude with sharing what they had heartfully. (3) They also let somebody see their honesty, braveness, creativity by taking part in society. It involved their ability to be in surrounding, (4) they did not ignore the importance to have emotionally stable to interact with people they met. Being educated by Marmee, (5) they were raised to be an individual to not giving up in life. Yet not all the Marmee's girls were ready to do that. Some of them stayed in the comfort zone like Beth and Meg, in contrast her second – Jo and youngest daughter – Amy was excitedly achieving their dream. Each girl had different point of view to live their life.

All in all, holistic education has a significant impact on a person's life as they grow up and face challenges. In this situation, what Marmee taught Meg, Jo, Beth, and Amy will have an impact on them, and the results are different for each of them.