

How A Narrative Literature Is Organized

The Legend of Banyuwangi

Once upon a time, in eastern part of Java Island, there was a kingdom ruled by a king. The king's name was Prabu Menak Prakoso. One day, Prabu Menak and his soldiers **invaded** the kingdom of Klungkung in Bali. The king of Klungkung was killed, yet his daughter, Made Surati, and his son, Agung Bagus Mantra, were able to **escape** and hide in the jungle.



Prabu Menak Prakoso had a son named Raden Banterang. He was such a **handsome** young man. One day, Raden Banterang went to the jungle for hunting. It was in the jungle that Raden Banterang met Made Surati. She was then taken to Blambangan to be his wife. Raden Banterang and Made Surati enjoyed a happy life in the Palace.

When Raden Banterang was hunting one day, Made Surati was surprised by the arrival of a dirty beggar asking for her generosity. The princess was surprised to find that the beggar was her older brother, Agung Bagus Mantra. She **promptly** squatted and embraced her brother's legs. However, her great respect of her brother was not well accepted. Instead, Agung Bagus Mantra asked his sister to kill Raden Banterang. But such a request was rejected. He was very angry with her and came up with a sly idea to **slander** her.

Slowly but surely, Agung succeeded in **convincing** Raden Banterang that his wife had been involved in a scandal with another man. Asking for **compassion**, Made Surati tried to tell the truth and denied her husband's accusation. Hearing his wife explanation, the king became angrier and angrier. As a proof of her sacred love, she asked her husband to kill her. As her last request, she asked her husband to throw her dead body into the river. She said that if the water in the river smelled terrible, it meant that she had ever been **sinful**. But if it smelled fragrant, it meant that she was **innocent**.

Raden Banterang who was unable to control his emotions soon stabbed his keris (dagger) into his wife's chest. She died **instantly**. The dead body of Made Surati

was quickly thrown into the dirty river. Raden Banterang was shocked to see the river suddenly become clean and as clear as glass with a fragrant smell. Raden Banterang screamed **crazily** and regretted what he did. He walked **unsteadily** and fell into the river screaming, "Banyu... Wangi... Banyuwangi!" This means "fragrant water".

Communicative Purpose	
Organization	
Characters' Traits	
Settings (find at least 5) - Adverbs of Place - Adverbs of Time - Adverbs of Manner	

Moral Lesson (find at least 2)	
Vocabulary (find the synonym of the blue bold words)	