The National Tolerance Of Z Generation

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Freedom fighters and Founding Father's have instilled values of tolerance from the very beginning of the struggle for independence. Even before that, in the era of national awakening, the Budi Utomo movement and the youth oath event which had given a real picture that the Indonesian nation was built on the basis of a willingness to be together.

The concept of tolerance which is one of the values of Pancasila, the second principle is increasingly fading with the many acts of intolerance in all aspects of life, especially for the younger generation.

The current technological developments have a lot of influence on the generation Z paradigm. The generation that has an important role in welcoming Indonesia Gold 2045 is certainly an important asset that must be maintained and provided with adequate education in the hope that after leading later, they will be able to become a generation with character and able to compete with the world.
Based on a report from CNN Indonesia (2020) a student has received terror from a friend who is a member of a religious organization at her school through messages on WhatsApp, and it has been going on for a long time. This is because the victim did not wear the headscarf at school.

From the picture on the side, we can take information that civilians have a big role as the main perpetrators of violations of freedom of worship and belief in 2017-2018, this does not rule out the possibility of increasing considering the growing era and the ability to process information is increasingly minimal.

… At the level of attitudes or opinions of students and students (which in this case is referred to as generation Z) have religious views that tend to be radical (58.5%) and intolerant (51.1% internal intolerance and 34.3% external intolerance).

(Hasil survey tim PPIM UIN Syarif Hidayatullah Jakarta)
Based on the longitudinal research of the Setara Institute, Halali revealed that there were 629 violations of religious freedom in West Java over the past 12 years. This number beat DKI Jakarta with 291 cases and East Java with 270 cases (Agustin, 2019).

As part of a society, generation Z certainly has a very vital role, because in the future they will be the ones who will lead this nation and country. However, the next fact states that this generation Z is actually the "victim" of exposure to intolerance.

According to the PPIM survey of UIN Syarif Hidayatullah Jakarta, the number of religious intolerance in Indonesia is still quite high. Especially among the Z generation who were born in 1995-2010. For students, it reaches 23.3 percent. Meanwhile, high school students reached 23.4 percent (Dewanti, 2019).
Analyzing the perspective of generation Z regarding tolerance in the concept of nationality
Overview Of Tolerance

Tolerance is an attitude or human behavior that follows the rules, where a person can respect, respect the behavior of others (Bakar, 2015)
“Tolerance in the context of socio-culture and religion, which means attitudes and actions that prohibit discrimination against different groups or cannot be accepted by the majority in a society”. (Digdoyo, 2018)

“The experience of togetherness with other human beings is what connects us with "tolerance", namely the practice of respecting others while continuing to seek common ground” (Center for Islamic Studies and Indonesian State, 2017)

“Tolerant character becomes the foundation to be built in this pluralistic nation life in order to close the existing differences. With tolerance that has become the character of the nation, any differences will be put into context as part that must be respected ” (I. Y. M. Dewi dan D. Stefany, 2019)

… An attitude of trust and tolerance has a very positive impact on the integrity of the nation and community harmony ”. (PDSPK Kemdikbud RI, 2017)
Overview Of Nationality

Smith (2003) that nationalism (nationality) is an ideology or understanding that places the nation at the center of its problems and seeks to enhance its existence as a movement to achieve and maintain autonomy, unity, and identity for a population, a number of whose members are determined to form an actual nation or nation potential.

Nationalism (Nationalism) is a concept that creates and maintains the sovereignty of a country (nation) by realizing the concept of a common identity for a group of people. In addition, nationalism can also be understood as a sense of the love of citizens for their homeland or country (Kiptiah, 2018).
Kurniawan (2019) said that generation Z as i-Generation, net generation or internet generation. They have something in common with the Y generation, but they are able to apply all activities at one time such as actively using social media using a cellphone, browsing with a PC, and listening to music using a headset. Everything they do is mostly related to the virtual world. Since childhood they have been familiar with technology and are familiar with sophisticated gadgets that indirectly affect their personality.
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1. Pendekatan Kualitatif

Qualitative research is research that intends to understand the phenomena experienced by research subjects, for example behavior, perception, motivation, action, etc. Holistically, and by means of description in terms of words and language, in a natural context and by making use of various scientific methods (Moleong, 2014, hal. 6)

2. Metode Studi Kasus

Stake (dalam Creswell, 2009, hal. 13) said that “case studies are a strategy of inquiry in which the researcher explores in depth a program, event, activity, process, or one or more individuals. Cases are bounded by time and activity, and researcher collect detailed information using a variety of data collection procedures over a sustained period of time.”
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1. Data Reduction
2. Data Display
3. Verification
4. Triangulation
Generation Z is an open minded generation, and they are born and growing. In conditions where existing digital technology has grown rapidly. They also have a unique world, where they have "two worlds", namely the real world and the virtual world. According to generation Z, they are more comfortable in cyberspace, because they can explore themselves without worry.

Generation Z's response when they find an act of intolerance, for example bullying, will make them feel bad, annoyed and if they do have some power, they will try to reprimand and help people who are discriminated against.
Generation Z has its own uniqueness, if they want to express their dislike, then they will convey it directly, in the sense that they will convey it but the delivery is done through cyberspace, and not with their own identity, but by taking cover in a fake account (fake account).

Based on the results of the observations made, the writer found a unique fact where generation Z has a different character. The first character in the real world and the second character in the virtual world. The author found through social media Instagram, where generation Z when in the real world looks quiet, but when they are in the virtual world they actually explore themselves, and even feel comfortable in the virtual world.

Generation Z when they find a difference, they will observe the difference, then they will take a stand, and that attitude has 3 levels:
Discuss

Level 1
Memahami untuk tidak menggannggu orang lain

Level 2
Menghargai, menghormati orang lain dan memperlakukan orang lain semestinya

Level 3
Menerima dan mau hidup berdampingan

Berdasarkan hasil wawancara penulis dengan peserta didik kelas X dan XI, penulis menemukan bahwa generasi Z memiliki level atau klasifikasi dalam menyikapi perbedaan.
Closing

Generation Z is a generation that is currently entering their productive age, where their role in the future is very vital. Generations born to grow and develop in the hegemony of digital technology make them a digital generation and have a unique life, where they have two lives, namely the virtual world and the real world. Their open minded attitude makes them able to accept differences, their attitude has 3 levels starting from the level of understanding, appreciating / respecting and accepting differences. The thing to watch out for is the attitude of generation Z when conveying their dislike, they will do everything they can, one of which is to create a fake account and then convey their dislike, even with sentences that are deemed inappropriate.
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