

BAB 4

PENUTUP

4.1 Kesimpulan

Berdasarkan hasil dan pembahasan yang telah dipaparkan oleh peneliti mengenai pengaruh Brand Experience terhadap Brand Attachment dengan Brand Trust sebagai mediasi pada Pipinos Bakery, kesimpulan yang dapat diambil adalah bahwa *brand experience* memiliki pengaruh signifikan dan positif terhadap *brand attachment* secara langsung. Artinya, pengalaman yang positif dengan merek dapat meningkatkan kedekatan dan keterikatan pelanggan terhadap merek tersebut. *Brand experience* memiliki pengaruh signifikan dan positif terhadap *brand trust*. Ini berarti bahwa pengalaman yang baik dengan merek dapat membentuk kepercayaan pelanggan terhadap merek tersebut. Brand trust memiliki pengaruh signifikan dan positif terhadap *brand attachment*. Dengan demikian, kepercayaan yang tinggi terhadap merek dapat berkontribusi pada tingkat keterikatan pelanggan terhadap merek tersebut. *Brand experience* memiliki pengaruh positif tai tidak signifikan terhadap *brand attachment* secara tidak langsung melalui *brand trust*. Hal ini menunjukkan bahwa pengalaman merek tidak hanya secara langsung mempengaruhi keterikatan pelanggan, tetapi juga melalui pembentukan dan penguatan kepercayaan terhadap merek, walaupun tidak secara signifikan.

4.2 Saran

Berdasarkan hasil penelitian dan kesimpulan yang telah diuraikan, peneliti dapat memberikan saran kepada Pipinos Bakery agar Pipinos Bakery terus meningkatkan dan memperkuat *brand experience* yang diberikan kepada pelanggan. Hal ini perlu dilakukan dikarenakan adanya fakta bahwa Pipinos Bakery tergolong baik dalam memberikan pengalaman merek terhadap konsumennya, dan belum masuk ke kategori sangat baik. Artinya, sebagian kecil dari konsumen Pipinos Bakery belum mendapatkan pengalaman yang sangat baik. Maka dari itu peningkatan *brand experience* merupakan salah satu aspek esensial yang perlu dijadikan pertimbangan oleh Pipinos Bakery.

Berdasarkan hasil penelitian dapat dinyatakan bahwa *brand attachment* dipengaruhi secara langsung oleh *brand experience* dan secara tidak langsung oleh *brand experience* melalui *brand trust*. Hal ini juga yang mendasari alasan bahwa Pipinos Bakery perlu melakukan peningkatan pada *brand experience*, karena dengan meningkatnya *brand experience*, *brand trust* dan *brand attachment* juga akan ikut meningkat.

Secara umum, hasil penelitian saya sudah menunjukkan bahwa Pipinos Bakery memberikan *experience* yang sudah baik. Sebanyak 40% narasumber mengatakan bahwa harga Pipinos Bakery tidak terjangkau. Maka dari itu, peneliti bisa memberikan saran agar Pipinos Bakery dapat meningkatkan kualitas dan rasa ataupun Pipinos Bakery dapat menyesuaikan harga dengan rasa yang ditawarkan. Hal ini juga didukung dengan adanya penilaian dari konsumen dalam situs

pergikuliner.com sebesar 3.8 dari 5 yang mengatakan bahwa rasa tidak sesuai dengan harga di Pipinos Bakery.

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