

Title	THE FALLIBILITY OF MAN IN BOB ONG'S MACARTHUR: APPLYING A RICOEURIAN HERMENEUTICS
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ABSTRACT	
<p>Mainly, the hermeneutics of Paul Ricoeur is characterized to be more of anthropological. Its focus is on the notable aspects of human subjectivity. The central objective of this research paper is to apply a Ricoeurian hermeneutics on the fallibility of man using Bob Ong's novel, MacArthur. There was a piece by piece discussion about the kind of hermeneutics Paul Ricoeur subscribes to, his classic book: Fallible Man, and Bob Ong's MacArthur. The discussion was prudently made from one subtopic to the others until the objectives of this paper are attained. The fallibility of man is highlighted as a simple yet rich discussion of human fallibility using the characters found in MacArthur is made. This paper unraveled the possible causes of human fallibility, and ended with a clearer picture of what and who the fallible man is. Since human fallibility is not inevitable, it is recommended that Values Education, Logic and Applied Ethics be re-integrated, re-inserted and included in the curriculum of all education levels as means to achieving values formation among students and for them to avoid the tendency of fallibility.</p>	
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