

CHAPTER III

METHOD OF RESEARCH

3.1 Research Design

The research design in this undergraduate thesis is a descriptive qualitative research. Descriptive qualitative is an analysis of archives and data that must be acquired in literary works. As stated by Creswell (2014) qualitative research is an inquiry process of understanding based on distinct methodological traditions of inquiry that explore a social or human problem. From the explanation, it can be concluded that descriptive qualitative is a method that seeing it by exploring a social or human problem. Exploring a social and human problem also appear in this research by looking through feminism phenomena that appear in the Circe Novel.

The researcher chooses the qualitative because the data is from the novel contains relative in social life. Choosing qualitative also can make the researcher researches more in depth into the topic. The data that appear show the feminism through sentence, word, phrase, paragraph.

3.2 Object of the Research

The object of the research is double construction of women to be conquered and feared in the novel Circe by Madeline Miller. In this undergraduate thesis, the research use feminism theory to make it relate to the object of the research. The theory is by Inness a new woman Inness (2004). Based on the theory, the researcher decides to choose two problems in this research. The first is women conquered which is divided into three categories. Those are indoctrinating

stereotyping, submissive, and subordinate. The second problem is women is feared. Those involve new woman, inner power of woman, and women ambition.

3.3 Method of Collecting Data

Method of collecting data is required to get the data in order the researcher can analyze and draw the conclusion from them. In this method of collecting data, the researcher uses nonparticipant observation. According to Fraenkel and Wallen (2009) nonparticipant observation is the strategy to collect data without having direct involvement to the observation itself. In other word, the researcher reads the novel to get the data which relates to the topic of research then the data will be analyzed. In this method of collecting data, primary data will be taken from the novel entitled “Circe” and for the secondary data it will be taken from journal and thesis that relate to the research. The technique of collecting data will be explained as follow:

1. Reading. The researcher read the whole novel to make sure that the data that is going to find is available and enough in the capacity. The primary data was taken from the novel itself. The researcher also read the novel several time to get a clear idea especially in the implicit meaning on text. As for the additional information, for the secondary data the researcher takes the information from reading the journal and thesis that have been used.

2. **Highlighting.** The researcher highlights every data that is found in the novel that the characteristics is match to its variable and topic and to make it easier to divide it into another data.
3. **Writing and taking notes.** The researcher takes a note and write down data from novel that relate with the topic. Taking note and write down everything that is necessary is important to do in order to make the researcher remembers and the data wouldn't be forgotten. And also take note is for collecting the important word about quotation that contains feminism in it so it wouldn't be missed during the representing the data.
4. **Data reducing.** Data reduction means reduce to an important event and making it into only a specific thing. In the other words, the unnecessary data will be removed. In this context the important data will only involve a specific thing that contains feminism. The researcher only takes the important data that contain feminism issues in the novel *Circe* as an intrinsic. After the data that relate to feminism issue is found then the researcher collects it. The last step is to relate it to the Inness's theory as an extrinsic.
5. **Data displaying.** Data display is displaying the data is one of the important ways to do to make the researcher understand in depth about the data that has been reduced that related to the feminism issue.

3.4 Method of Analyzing Data

In method of analyzing data, the researcher used categorization method. As stated by Mahalakshmi & Duraiswamy (2012) Categorization is sorting the

descriptive data that the researcher has collected and categorized it with the same field as the researcher desired in order to not mixed the data with other data that did not belong together. In other word, the data that the writer has collected and divided into its category is being categorized to make it easier to analyze the data. Categorization method also made the writer easier to separate the data that did not belong to the feminism in Circe novel.

3.5 Method of Presenting Research Result

According to (Ratna, 2012), in presenting research result it divides into two categories. Those are informal and formal. In this research, researcher is more likely to use the informal method due to present it by using sentence and word and the data will be described orally.