

## **CHAPTER III**

### **RESEARCH METHOD**

This chapter describes the research method of the present study. This chapter consists six subchapters: research design, source of the data, instrument of the data, data collection of procedures, data analysis procedure and literary approach.

#### **3.1. Research Design**

This research uses qualitative descriptive research method. Qualitative research is a form of social action that stresses on the way of people interpret, and make sense of their experiences to understand the social reality of individuals. It makes the use of interviews, diaries, journals, classroom observations and immersions; and open-ended questionnaires to obtain, analyze, and interpret the data content analysis of visual and textual (Mohajan, 2018:3). The method used in this study is to provide a description of the social conflict of life illustrated. The writer uses descriptive qualitative methods to describe and explain what has been interpreted from the object of research.

#### **3.2 Source of the Data**

The source of this research data is a novel entitled *Sworn to Silence* by Linda Castillo, which was published by A Minotaur Signature Edition and published in 2009 in New York USA Gg. The novel has 363 pages. The theme in the novel *Sworn to Silence* became the main ingredient of research. This study uses a social conflict from a sociologist named Lewis A Coser.

### **3.3. Instrument of The Data**

The instrument is the tool required to get info. In this study, the writer of the thesis himself is the subject of analysis by reading and understanding the references that support this analysis. The instrument employed by the writer is reading. Reading is the method of constructing that means through the dynamic interactions among: 1). The reader's existing information, 2). Info is usually recommended by the text being read, and 3). The context of the reading scenario (Tadros, 2014: 2).

Based on definition of the above, reading as a way to find information on texts related to the topic of thesis. By reading, the writer can determine the context to be written on each chapter and page differently. Reading can also made it easier for you to learn, and understand.

### **3.4. Data Collection Procedures**

The steps used in collecting research data are, among others:

1. Reading repeatedly to know the text of the novel *Sworn to Silence* by Linda Castillo in order that it can appreciate the data sources and record the items that may be analyzed in reference to what is going to be studied.

2. Reading and learning some Literature, references or library material that includes a relationship and supports the issues during this study. Reading is necessary matters that are expected to search out relevant and continuous studies with designated novels that are in accordance with the social science part therefore, on manufacture a solution that brings out the social science components of the novel being studied.

3. Reading and getting into the data obtained from the novel *Sworn to Silence* by Linda Castillo into data analysis instruments, then analyzed in order that information is obtained in accordance with the matter formulation, and research objectives.

### **3.5. Data Analysis Procedures**

Data analysis procedures are carried out after the writer completes the process of the data collection procedure. The analysis of procedure data is explained as follows:

1. The writer found and provided evidenced of a case or problem that make the character creates a social conflict with certain parties or other characters in the *Sworn to Silence* novel published by Linda Castillo
2. The writer identifies and introduces social conflict in the novel by choosing and making problems that can be used in this thesis
3. The writer analyzes and looks at the problem of social conflict by using the theory of social conflict and the effects of social conflict in the novel *Sworn to Silence*.
4. The writer determines opinions and statements about problems that have observed before in data analysis.
5. The writer summarize everything based on analysis of existing thesis data.

### **3.6. Literary Approach**

This research uses extrinsic approach. Extrinsic approach is a kind of approach that analyses literature and its relation to knowledge and other external factors such as biography, history, religion, psychology, and others. The extrinsic approach also could look at things such as the history behind the book, gender issues, the authors intentions, social issues and much more (Eaglestone in Gerdin,2016:13)