Chapter III Research Methodology

This chapter presents research methodology that is applied in the research. It is an overview of the research method, research design, data source, technique of collecting data and technique of analyzing data.

3.1. Research Method

Research methodology is used to conduct a research. The method that used in this research is qualitative method. Qualitative research gives you the opportunity to study a real-world setting in its own terms, thereby putting a broad array of study topics at your disposal (Yin, 2011:38). It means that we can learn a real world by using qualitative research because it makes the writer will be closer with the object of problem.

The quality of the findings of qualitative research is directly dependent on the ability, experience and sensitivity of the interviewer or group moderator. This type of research is often less than a survey conducted for expensive and very effective in obtaining information about the communications needs and responses and views on certain communications. In this case often the method of choice in case where the measurement or quantitative survey is not required.

3.2. Research Design

Data were analyzed in this study is the finding slang language in Gun N Roses song lyrics. So that the main source of data is this research is Gun N Roses song lyrics. This study was descriptive qualitative research for this study describes the characteristics of Gun N Roses song lyrics.

Design procedures to conduct studies, including when, from whom, and under what conditions the data will be obtained. In other words, the design show how it was done, what happens to the object and what data collection procedures used. The design goal of this study is to provide the most valid, accurate answer as possible to the research questions.

3.3. Data Source

Data is word form lyrics song are used by Gun N Roses, which has been observed by the writer to identify the type of slang words that used. The writer browses the lyrics song by Gun N Roses from internet and print out the data.

The research got the data from transcript, which was from the internet. He uses transcript of this song as his main sources, the sources of data are 15 transcripts of the lyrics of the song by Gun N Roses taken from http://www.azlyrics.com

3.4. Technique of Collecting Data

Data collection is important to determine the result of the study. In this study the procedures used in the data collection are:

1. Reading and Comprehending the Lyrics.

The writer reading research objects that is in the lyrics of Gun N Roses's song and the writer also tries to understand ten song lyrics on the album Use Your Illusion I.

2. Underlining the Slang Words in the Lyrics.

If the writer found the slang words in the song lyrics, it will need some marks. The writer uses underlining mark to make easier in getting the next step.

3. Learn Sociolinguistics.

The writer will do the sociolinguistics research to identify the problem. Sociolinguistics study will help the writer to gather all the information and theory about the slang language, theories about slang contained in song lyrics of Gun N Roses.

4. Reading Dictionary of American Slang and Internet Browsing.

The writer reading American slang dictionary in order to understand and grasp the meaning of slang contained in ten song lyrics of Gun N Roses. In addition, the writer also browses the internet to get more theories about slang and forms of slang. The writer also finds song lyrics of Gun N Roses.

5. Collecting the Data

After giving some underlines in the slang word founded in the lyrics album, the writer will collect it. The writer will write all the slang words founded into the paper.

3.5. Technique of Analyzing the Data

After the data is collected, the writer then analyzing it based on the research questions. The writer will interpret the result of the analyzing to make the conclusion. In short steps, in analyzing data are:

- 1. The writer determining whether or not, there are slang words in ten song lyrics of Gun N Roses on album Use Your Illusion I.
- The writer analyzing slang words that appear in ten song lyrics of Gun N Roses on album Use Your Illusion I.
- The writer analyzing classification of slang in the ten song lyrics on Gun N Roses on album Use Your Illusion I.

At the least, writer made a conclusion of slang word that were found in Gun N Roses lyrics of song on the album Use Your Illusion I.