**Chapter III**

**Research Method**

This chapter focuses on the methodology that applied to do the research. The methodology contains several steps, such as the research design, research method, procedure of data collection, and the technique of analysing data.

1. **Research Design**

In conducting this research, the writer uses the qualitative research method. Alwasilah (2011: 4), He says:

*“Mazhab kualitatif menentang pendekatan deduktif dengan fokus pada verifikasi dalam pembentukan sebuah teori dan definisi a priory dari konsep atau hipotesis. Mazha ini mengagungkan ikhtiar menemukan gumpalan grounded theory, teori dari dasar, yakni berdasarkan data lapangan lalu mengental sebagai teori. Melalui pendekatan induktif, mereka menemukan konsep dan hipotesis, dan ini ditempuh dengan strategi analysis komparatif secara berulang-ulang.”*

From the statement above, the writer concludes that qualitative research is a research that focuses on specific interpretation then slowly moves to its general. Usually, this research is conducted continuously to find out accurate results, even though the object of research cannot be measured with a definite measuring tool.

Specifically, the writer uses descriptive qualitative as a method of research. The aim of qualitative descriptive studies, according to Lambert & Lambert (2012: 255), is a comprehensive summarization of specific events experienced by individuals or groups of individuals. The writer wants to have a whole interpretation of the film of Murder on The Orient Express (2017). The object of the research is to focus on revenge as a punishment.

The reason why the writer uses this research qualitative research method is that the object in this research is a film which is a kind of art. To get a comprehensive and complete result, qualitative research is the most appropriate approach to this research object.

* 1. **Procedures of Data Collection**

Lambert and Lambert (2012: 256) mention that procedure of data collection are explained as below:

“Data collection of qualitative descriptive studies focuses on discovering the nature of the specific events under study. Thus, data collection involves minimal to moderate, structured, open-ended, individual, or focus group interviews. However, data collection also may include observations, and examination of records, reports, photographs, and documents. Data analysis of qualitative descriptive research, unlike other qualitative approaches, does not use a pre-existing set of rules that have been generated from the philosophical or epistemological stance of the discipline that created the specific qualitative research approach. Rather, qualitative descriptive research is purely data-derived in that codes are generated from the data in the course of the study. Like other qualitative research approaches, qualitative descriptive studies generally are characterized by simultaneous data collection and analysis.”

From the statement above, the writer concludes there are several steps to conduct the procedure of data collection in qualitative research. The first step that must be taken is that the researcher must be certain and specific about the object of the research that has been selected. Second, the researchers would examine and observe these objects to collect data related to the object of the research. Third, the researchers would sort the data that has been collected before analyzing it deeply. Fourth, the researcher then analyzes the data and interprets it into a narrative form.

* 1. **Technique of Analyzing Data**

The data procedure in qualitative research is conducted by processing the data collection. Afterward, the data then put into several groups to be classified, to make it easier for the researcher to analyze it. There are four steps to get the result in this paper: determining the object of the research, classifying the data, sorting the data, and analyzing the data.

Based on the description above, the writer explains those steps as bellow:

1. The researcher would watch the film *"Murder on The Orient Express” (2017*), the duration of this film is 01 hours 53 minutes 56 seconds. The researcher would put deep attention while watching the film from the beginning to the end.
2. Observing the film then marking important scenes, conversation, and, characters in the film that related to the object of this research (revenge as a punishment on murder on the orient express.
3. Classifying the data collection to put it by its types. The data taken can come from conversations, scenes, events or plots, and the behaviors of each character in the film.
4. Sorting the important data before conducting further analysis. The data will be sorted by its relations with the research questions in this paper. The data that already been collected would be put in several points to be analysed as intrinsic elements of the story.
5. Analyzing the data that have been collected to answer the research questions. After sorting the data, the writer would analyze the data to get the result of the research questions on this paper.
6. Explaining the findings in a narrative form. It will be put on the general interpretation to explain about the intrinsic elements and in specific interpretation to answer the research questions.
7. Provide a conclusion from the result after analyzing the data then provide the data.
   1. **Research Object**

The object of this study is to find the connection between the character changes of the main characters in the *Murder on The Orient Express (2017)*. The correlation between the character changes caused by revenge would lead to punishment towards the victim in the story of *Murder on The Orient Express (2017)*.