Chapter III

RESEARCH METHODS

This chapter explains the way how this study will be conducted. It includes of research approach, technique of data collection (source of the data, instrument, procedure), and technique of data analysis.

3.1 Research Approach

This study was conducted to show various presuppositions based on its contexts in a movie entitled 'The Godfather' on interpretation form. Therefore, qualitative method was the appropriate one to arrange this analysis. According to Green (2007:2) "Qualitative research is characterized by its aims, which relate to understanding some aspect of social life, and its methods which (in general) generate words, rather than numbers, as data for analysis." Which means this study served the data without numeric percentage but used descriptive approach.

In this case descriptive approach was used for explaining the intended meaning of the speaker regarding the circumstance under context in detail. Moreover, according to Guest, et. All (2003:23) "Qualitative methods are especially effective at describing complex processes". So that, it could obtained obvious information about language phenomenon that happened there, such as what, who, when, where, why and how.

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3.2 Technique of Data Collection

3.2.1 Source of Data

The source of data for this study was a movie entitled "The Godfather" part I by Mario Puzzo and Franciss Coppola. The movie was chosen because of the language that used by Don Corleone as the main character was suitable with subject of this study. Moreover from three parts of movie, in part I the existence of Don Corleone was stronger than in other parts. Data that used were in the form of the various utterances done by Don Vito Corleone like command, advice, interruption, and chunks of conversation from several situations in the movie.

3.2.2 Instrument

In conduct this study, the writer was the main instrument. According to Creswell (2007:38) based on qualitative research in natural setting, researcher as key instrument where "the qualitative researchers collect data themselves through examining documents, observing behavior, and interviewing participants". In line with that, the writer watched the movie and transcribed chunk of dialogue which involved Don Corleone. She also used a laptop as media to check off the transcript.

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3.2.3 Procedure

There were some techniques that applied for data procedure such as,

A) Browsed the script of the movie.

B) Watched and comprehended the movie.

C) Sorted utterances by Don Corleone.

D) Underlined Don Corleone's utterance which indicated presupposition.

3.6 Data Analysis

After collecting all data that needed, the writer begun to analyze them by some steps such as,

I. Read the whole script while checking off with the movie, in order to get a better view and sense of each conversation.

II. Explained the meaning of intuitive presupposition then clasiffied its types based on theory of presupposition by George Yule.

III. Explained the context of the utterances that used by Don Corleone based on theories of pragmatics, context, as explained before in chapter two. Since different context gave different meaning in same sentence depend on how speaker uttered it.

IV. Concluded the result of the study.

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