

CHAPTER III

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

The writer used library research from library and Internet sites. First of all, the writer read the primary source, a novel of Emma by Jane Austen until the writer understood about the book. Then the writer found that Emma was suitable to analyze with feminist approach because Emma could show her spirit to be independent. After that, the writer went to library and found some books that were suitable with the analysis. The writer read the source and tried to formulate the question based on the topic. Beside that the writer used Internet sites as secondary sources and advice from major sponsor and co sponsor.

Second, the writer consulted to the major sponsor to get some explanations and suggestions how to analyze this thesis. The writer decided to use feminist approach to analyze this thesis. Feminist approach tries to reveal spirit of feminism that is had by Emma. "The theory of feminism is concerned with the marginalization of all women; that is, with their being reduced to a secondary position."³¹

Some books which contain information that assist this analysis are *A Handbook of Critical Approaches, Illustrated History of Britain* by L. Wilfred Guerin, Earle Labor, Lee Morgan, Jeanne C. Reesman, John R. Willingham, *An Introduction to Literature* by Sylvan Barnet, Morton Berman, William Burto, William E. Cain, *Literary Theories A Reader and Guide* Julian Wolfreys (editor), *Theory of Literature* by Rene Wellek & Austin Warren, *Pastoral* by Terry

³¹ R. Selden and P. Widdowson, *A Reader's Guide to Contemporary Literary Theory*, 3rd ed. Great Britain, The University Press of Kentucky, 203

Gifford, *A Reader's Guide to Contemporary Literary Theory* by P. Selden and P. Widdowson, and internet sites.

Those references give some information about feminism criticism that is needed to analyze 'Emma'. 'Emma' by Jane Austen was published in 1994. This novel tells about a woman who tries to be independent although finally she is married and about the intrigues in the society.

This is the primary sources:

Type	: Novel
Title	: Emma
Author	: Jane Austen
Written in	: 1816
Publisher	: Penguin Books Ltd
City	: London
Pages	: 367 pages

