RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

The study focused on comparison of the major themes of various novels of Salman Rushdie and V.S. Naipaul. This study will be an observational type of the comparative method. The basis of my study will be the perusal of six novels of both the above said writers. Out of these six novels the following three are by V.S. Naipaul:-

1. *The Mystic Masseur* (1957)

The remaining three are by Salman Rushdie –


The research methodology will involve in intensive and extensive study of the novels with mythological, psychological, historical and biographical approaches with special focus upon the themes. In the process the multi-disciplinary approach will be adopted and spice the narrative with some of the concepts, data findings, methods, theories and tools pouring from many disciplines including anthropology, history, geography, journalism, literature, sociology and refer to the works of scholars in these fields. This research shall provide the intellectual framework for a deeper understanding of the comparison of themes.