

A 你在看什么呢?

Nǐ zài kàn shénme ne?

What are you reading?

B 我在看《红楼梦》。这是一本清朝的著名小说。

Wǒ zài kàn 《Hónglóumèng》. Zhè shì yì běn Qīngcháo de zhùmíng xiǎoshuō.

Right now I am reading the Dream of the Red Chamber. It is a very famous novel of the Qing dynasty.

A 是长篇的吗?

Shì chángpiānde ma?

Is it a long book?

B 是的，很长。

Shìde, hěn cháng.

Yes, it is very long.

清朝

Qīngcháo

Qing Dynasty

小说

xiǎoshuō

novel

著名

zhùmíng

famous