Chapter 8, Assignment 8

Matching

*Match each item with the correct description.*

a. reputational method  
  b. intergenerational mobility  
  c. subjective method  
  d. socioeconomic status  
  e. intragenerational mobility  
  f. social inequality  
  g. objective method  
  h. social mobility  
  i. social stratification  
  j. vertical mobility  
  k. class system  
  l. social class  
  m. caste system  
  n. proletariat  
  o. endogamy  
  p. bourgeoisie  
  q. wealth  
  r. exogamy  
  s. power  
  t. prestige

1. distribution of scarce resources and rewards determined on the basis of achieved statuses  
2. Individuals rank community members based on what they know of their characters and lifestyles.  
3. movement between social classes or strata  
4. changes in social position during one person’s lifetime  
5. movement between or within social classes  
6. Sociologists define social class by income, occupation, and education.  
7. status differences among generations in the same family  
8. an individual’s rank according to wealth, power, and prestige  
9. an individual’s assets and income  
10. marriage outside one’s social category  
11. Resources and social rewards are distributed on the basis of ascribed statuses.  
12. the workers who sell their labor in exchange for wages  
13. respect, honor, recognition, or courtesy received from others  
14. the owners of the means of production  
15. the ability to control the behavior of others