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Points: /100

Purpose: To research and develop an understanding of how a specific family crisis affects the marital and familial units, then to share your findings with the class.

DUE: Tuesday, May 7th

Directions: Use the following guidelines to write your paper.

Topic: _____

FORMAT (20 Points)

- Paper is typed, no larger than 12 point font and **at least 2 ½ to 3 pages**
- Paper is double spaced with 1 inch margins, professional font (Time New Roman, Arial, Helvetica))
- Proper heading
- Paper includes at least 3 paragraphs; an intro, body, and a summary

GRAMMAR (15 points)

- No more than 2 each of spelling, punctuation, or grammatical errors
- Paper is easy to understand, transitions smoothly, and in logical order
- Spell check, proof read and have someone else read your paper for errors!

INTRODUCTION (10 points)

- Introduction is its own paragraph
- Clear understanding of what paper will be discussing

BODY (30 points)

- What crisis did you research and why? (this will not be shared with class)
- Define the crisis, spelling out each variation
- Give specific examples of all variations
- Talk about how the crisis affects the martial relationship
- Talk about how the crisis affects the family unit
- Talk about how the crisis affects the extended family

SUMMARY (25 points)

- Short summary of the information given on the career you researched
- Tie it all together!
- Concluding statement, end the paper
- Include list of sources