Review Sheet for Anthropology 220w Section 7, Final Exam
Final to be held Wednesday, May 15, 2002

Final is cumulative
Study previous exams for material from first half of the semester.
Topics covered in the second half of the semester:
Religion
Politics
Gender
Family
Kinship

Terms to study:
matrilineal law religion
patrilineal bands supernatural
ambilineal tribes myths
bilateral chiefdoms world views
kindred states ritual
lineage sodalities calendrical ritual
clan ranked society crisis ritual
consanguineal kin office
affinal kin stratum endogamy Theories of why religion:
matrilocality stratification Intellectual
patrilocal Indian Caste System Psychological
bilocality gender Social
neolocal culturally derived Modern World System
Descent systems: sex differences Innovation
Crow gender differences Diffusion
Iroquois sexual dimorphism Romer’s rule
Omaha primary subsistence activities Phases of European Expansions
Eskimo secondary subsistence activities Mono-cropping
Hawaiian Strength theory Industrial revolution
levirate Compatibility with child care theory Domestic production
sororate Economy of effort theory
power Expendability theory
authority sexual taboos
prestige extramarital sex

Groups to know:
Zoe Shuar !Kung San
Rwala Cheyenne Etoro
General Questions:

1) Be able to describe the differences between Bands, Tribes, Chiefdoms, and States in terms of population size, leadership, social control, and subsistence.

2) Why don't bands have a legal system?

3) Be able to recognize and label a kinship diagram in terms of what descent system it represents, whether it is patrilineal, matrilineal, ambilineal or bilateral.

4) What are the environmental predictors of descent systems?

5) Describe the Indian Caste system in terms of what sort of political system it appears in, how are social relations determined, and what is the current state of the caste system as portrayed in the film?

6) If someone said to you that a particular activity is based on sex differences alone, based on lecture, what would be your response be?

7) What is the hypothesized role of warfare in the gendering of political leadership?

8) Using one of the three explanations for why humans have religion, describe why the Zoe healing ritual. Be specific in your description of the various activities that you are explaining.

9) Why do some societies allow or even promote homosexual behavior while other societies prohibit homosexual behavior? Use examples from your readings and/ or class.

10) What is a theoretical explanation why baseball players have rituals, taboos, and fetishes?

11) Why did Great Britain go through the industrial revolution before France?

12) Explain why New World populations were susceptible to Old World disease of childhood.

13) What is the great forager debate and what is your belief about using modern day hunter/ gatherers as prototypes for human social organization prior to the adaptation of agriculture?