12 Angry Men Group Roles

Knowing full well that a guilty verdict means death, a jury of 12 men must decide the fate of an 18-year-old boy accused of fatally stabbing his father. But only one juror wants to take the time to deliberate the case.

Think about group roles that are discussed in Chapter 11. Identify each juror’s role in the group.

Group Member Roles:

Juror # 1: ________________________________________________________________

Juror # 2: ________________________________________________________________

Juror # 3: ________________________________________________________________

Juror # 4: ________________________________________________________________

Juror # 5: ________________________________________________________________

Juror # 6: ________________________________________________________________

Juror # 7: ________________________________________________________________

Juror # 8: ________________________________________________________________

Juror # 9: ________________________________________________________________

Juror # 10: ______________________________________________________________

Juror # 11: ______________________________________________________________

Juror # 12: ______________________________________________________________
Group Project from 12 Angry Men

1. How did groupthink occur and what/who took a stand against it?

2. Who is the assigned leader and what leadership style does he use? What juror(s) emerge as a leader and what style of leadership is used by the emergent leader?

3. Was conflict managed effectively? What examples from the movie show effective and ineffective conflict management strategies? Be specific.