Law 12/Ms. Rusk FAMILIES in TURMOIL

Recently a new movie was released called the ‘Marriage Story’. It was released 40 years after the acclaimed movie ‘Kramer versus Kramer’. These movies are emotionally charged and may cause some of you to be upset. If at any time you need to speak to your counsellors you may do so. I have spoken to our Counseling Team about this assignment, so they are aware that this may be a difficult assignment. Your task is to watch both movies and compare and contrast the movies using the following criteria:

* ‘Societal’ Gender Roles
* Child’s Perception and Effects
* Ethics of Lawyers and their roles
* The Father’s role and character
* The Mother’s role and character
* Family and Friends role and character
* Alienation of Affection
* The movie’s emotional impact on you

Please note these answers should be well thought out and should be more than a paragraph in response. Please see the following written response rubric for evaluation.

