American Literature Vocabulary Quiz #11

Write the letter of the correct match to the clue words next to each vocabulary word.

1. **impel**  
a. to drive or urge forward; press on

2. **decadent**  
b. to restrain; to prohibit

3. **extraneous**  
c. to cut into; engrave

4. **beneficiary**  
d. to show to be involved; to connect or relate to

5. **inclusive**  
e. to mark with words; to dedicate to a person

6. **dissident**  
f. cast doubt upon

7. **implicate**  
g. an internal tax or duty

8. **bisect**  
h. high in station or rank; distinguished

9. **impunity**  
i. to be in conflict with; go or act against; to violate

10. **impugn**  
j. a person receiving benefits

11. **incessant**  
k. to recall or stop by a contrary order

12. **depreciate**  
l. to cut into two

13. **eminent**  
m. characterized by goodwill; desiring to help others

14. **contravene**  
n. to challenge as false

15. **incise**  
o. disagreeing; a person who disagrees

16. **benevolent**  
p. to reduce to a lower grade, rank, class, or position

17. **countermand**  
q. moral degeneration or decay

18. **inscribe**  
r. to lessen the value

19. **inhibit**  
s. not belonging to; not relevant

20. **excise**  
t. encompassing everything concerned; comprehensive; (grammar) (of the first person plural) including the person or persons spoken to

21. **demote**  
u. exemption from punishment.

22. **impugn**  
v. unending