**Communist Theory of Karl Marx**

**Capitalism**

* Private ownership of industry
* Freedom of competition
* Results in unequal economic classes (upper v. working)

**Class Struggle**

* Upper and working class struggle over wealth

**Workers Revolt**

* Working class carries out plan to overtake upper class

**Socialism**

* Government ownership of industry
* Goal is to bring economic equality
* Aims for a classless society

**Communism**

* Goal of a classless society achieved
* No government needed