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Once again, an excellent issue. Peter Fisher's lead paragraph reminded me that my dad, a factory worker at the old Chamberlain Corp. in Waterloo, was a proud member of the International Association of Machinists, and didn't care for Archie Bunker either. He'd say, "They're just making fun of us." He wasn't a Bunker; a lifelong Democrat, he voted straight ticket and supported the civil rights and anti-war movements - although he did say in 1967, "if you're gonna have a revolution, try to keep it outta our neighborhood." When I finally told my parents I was having a relationship with a woman, my mom said, "I know. Let's go out and get drunk." My dad said, "Well, you're my daughter and I love you and that's all I gotta say."

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