The subject of poverty in the United States is one of central concern, with regards to social issues and justice. Its relative invisibility in psychology reflects the discipline’s dominant middle-class standpoint. This issue focuses specifically on the voices of poor women in the United States.

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