Congress

Although women and minorities were still underrepresented [in Congress] at the end of the twentieth century, both groups gained considerable ground during the postwar period.

In sharp contrast,
working-class Americans
— who have made up more than
50 percent of the labor force for
at least the last hundred years —
have never made up more than
2 percent of Congress.

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