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We agree with Janet Stanley and Katie Kovacs that the findings of this study are not definitive. The trends should be interpreted cautiously until they can be replicated. This is true of all survey research, especially when the focus is on sensitive social problems.....

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