

Character Breakdown

- Sy Finberg: Mid to late 60's. Cold and uncaring, he manipulates his mother into passing the family business onto him rather than to his younger sister. He also remains both critical and unappreciative towards his wife, Rita.
- Rita Finberg: Mid 50's to 60's. Sy's wife of 46 years. She devotes her entire life to her husband's well-being in spite of his unappreciative nature.
- Goldie: 50's-early 60's. Sy's younger sister. Goldie is shocked when her mother decides to pass the store onto her brother. After many years she confronts Sy demanding the money she feels he owes her.
- Mama: 60's-70's. Mother of Sy and Goldie. She decides to give the store to Sy in spite of Goldie's protestations.
- Young Sy Finberg: Mid 20's-30's. He informs Rita he's decided to leave his job as an accountant and take over a small clothing store operated by his mother.
- Young Rita Finberg: Mid 20's-early 30's. A loving newlywed, she's shocked when Sy announces they are to relocate and operate a small clothing store in a working-class section of Philadelphia.
- Young Goldie: Mid 20's. She pleads with her mother to pass the family business onto her and not to her brother.