EXT. MEN'S STORE - LATER THAT MORNING

Adam and Carl exit the Men's Store.

Stert

CARL

It's a memorial service. No one's going to say boo.

ADAM

Arnie's not gonna let me in there without you.

CARL

Guy's got his head so far up Goldie's ass he could draw her last meal.

ADAM

I'm serious, Carl --

CARL

My hands are tied, Charlie's got this brunch --

ADAM

You say the words "Charlie or Callas" and I swear to Christ I will take this five dollar tie that you've generously agreed to pay for, and hang you with it.

CARL

Just to be fair, Charlie did pay for ten percent of that. Look, you want Carson? <u>Take</u> Carson. Get in there with the big boys. Let them see you. It's all about relationships in this business. Mingle for Christ sake.

ADAM

"Mingle?" At a memorial service?

CARL

I got on the Colgate Comedy Hour by chatting up Eddie Cantor at a urinal. You do what you gotta do.

ADAM

You know you're the worst fucking manager ever.

CARL

Maybe. But I believe in you. And you know it.

(then)

We're having pork chops tonight. If you're late and they're dry don't blame me.

