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## What I Want From a Country

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WHAT I WANT FROM A COUNTRY

Call me yellow  
for World War II.

Call me a  
flaming pinko.

I will always  
find the color

I need.  
We live

in a day  
where I

do not fight.  
This is not

my womanhood  
or my lesson:

I can visit  
tonight

if I must.  
How much

do you need me  
in cost.

A plane ticket.  
A victory garden.

Car parts melted  
in war planes.