



# Marc! Donny! David! Elton! A Quiz

How true is your love for them?

1. Your birthday is in a couple of weeks' time and Mum asks you what you'd like for a present. You're a great fan of Elton John. Would you choose:
  - a. Something to wear
  - b. The latest Elton John L.P.
  - c. A ticket to Elton's concert at the town hall?
2. The Osmonds are having their own show on TV on Saturday night, but a boy you've fancied for ages has asked you to a party. Do you:
  - a. Go with him to the party
  - b. Ask the boy to stay in and watch the show with you
  - c. Refuse his invitation?
3. David is staying at one of the big hotels in your city and your friends have asked you to join them in a night-long vigil to try to catch a glimpse of him. Do you decide:
  - a. Not to go with them because you
4. You're very proud of your large collection of T. Rex posters which cover your bedroom walls. Mum and Dad have offered to decorate your room and buy new furniture for it if you forfeit your pics. Do you:
  - a. Accept their kind offer gladly
  - b. Persuade them to allow you stick to one poster of Marc on the wall
  - c. Thank them but say you couldn't possibly take down your pics?
5. How much of your pocket money do you spend on records, pop concerts and fan clubs?
  - a. Very little
  - b. About half
  - c. Most of it?

## ANSWERS

'In' thing to be a pop fan and you'd hate to be left out of the excitement the stars create among your friends. Mosty c's: You really do love your stars, don't you? You'd be prepared to do just about anything to be near them and the pleasure they give you seems worth all the sacrifices you make, doesn't it? You're a true fan!

Mostly n's: You don't dig the stars very much at all, I'm afraid! You may quite enjoy listening to pop music but that's really as far as it goes. You much prefer to spend your time and money on your other interests than on the stars. Mostly b's: You like the stars and to do just about anything to be near them. You tend to think some of the fans go a bit too far with their adulation. Maybe you think it's the

# Cathy Come Home

What makes a girl run away?



## I Collect Magazines

I daren't let my mother see another magazine in my bedroom or she'll go mad! When I started collecting magazines she thought it was a good idea - now that I've collected so many (and can't bear to throw any out) she says they're driving her up the wall! It started when an aunt gave me a couple of very old magazines that she had found when clearing out her box room. I was so fascinated that I went around asking all my friends' mothers and aunts, as well as my own, if they had any magazines they didn't want. I love reading magazines, anyway.

but it can be really fascinating going through old mags and comparing hairstyles and clothes with today's fashions. My bedroom got in such a jumble with my magazine collection, that now my mother insists I keep them in a sack or throw them out! She says they collect dust, and I suppose they do. My mother can't blame me really, she has always bought magazines herself. I have never let her throw any out - not even when I was younger! This means that I have copies of magazines that you can no longer buy today, as well as mags from other countries. So before you go to throw your old mags away, spare a thought for me, but don't let my mother know! Somehow, I don't think she'd be pleased!



# Saturday Jobs:

## COMPLETE GUIDE TO MAKING MONEY

Making your pocket money last the whole week must be quite a problem these days as everything seems to be getting more and more expensive. You probably find that your pocket money only covers items like tights, make-up and your copy of Melanie. And if you need money for trips to the cinema and the disco on Saturday nights, you have to ask Mum to pay. Several of you have been asking us for info on Saturday jobs, which are obviously the answer to making a spare bit of cash. If you have a part-time job it can enable you to buy those little extras that Mum can't afford - and you can save up for clothes, too. The nice thing about earning your own spending money is that it makes you feel much more grown-up and independent. But if you're under sixteen you'll have to wait until your sixteenth birthday before you can work full-time on Saturdays, I'm afraid. Unfortunately, the Law of the Land states that

a fifteen-year-old can only work four hours a day. If you're aged twelve or over you could always get a paper round, which means working perhaps an hour every day and Saturdays, too! Paper rounds are okay if you don't mind getting up early in the morning. But I'm sure the money you earn will make up for that little inconvenience! If you're interested, why not pop along to your local newsagents and see if they could do with your help. Many large stores like Woolworth, Marks and Spencer and Boots always need Saturday girls and a large number of shops also employ extra staff on Saturdays. If working in a shop doesn't appeal to you, why not try a restaurant or cafe? Another possibility is a hairdressing salon, which is useful experience if you're thinking of taking up hairdressing as a career. For further information visit your local youth employment office or ask at the various shops. We bet it won't be long before you find just what you're wanting.