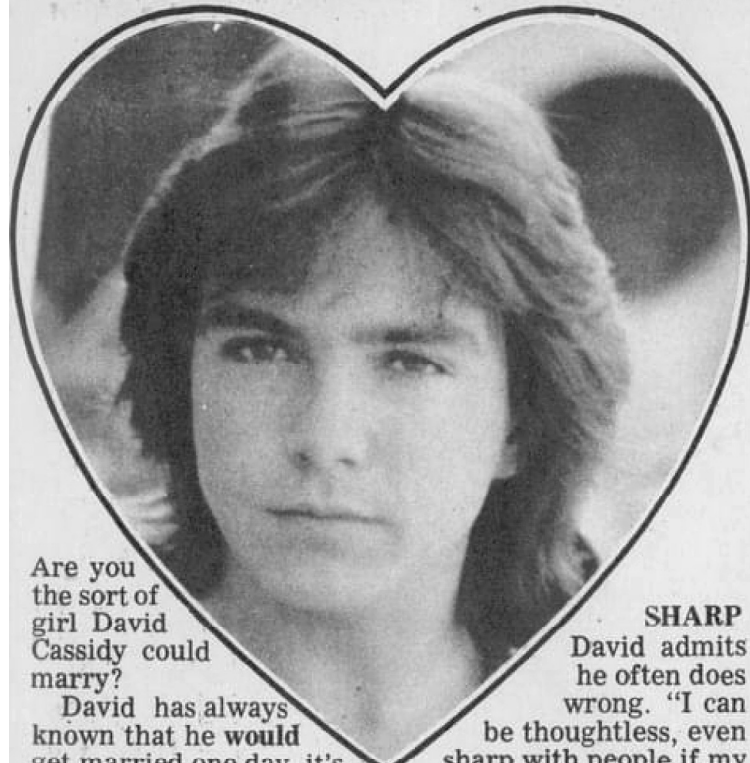


# Could you be David's Wife?



Are you the sort of girl David Cassidy could marry?

David has always known that he would get married one day, it's just when and who that's the question!

## SHARP

David admits he often does wrong. "I can be thoughtless, even sharp with people if my mind is elsewhere, and I always feel terrible about it afterwards. So I need a girl who can understand that my love for her is strong enough to survive the occasional sharp word."

## GENEROUS

Dave's life-girl is going to have to share more than just material things . . . she's going to have to share David! "The most important people in my life are my fans. I love them so strongly that it would drive a selfish or jealous girl completely bananas!"

## AWAY FROM HOME

David's wife is also going to have to put up with David being away from home. "That's because my fans want me to!

"If she can't understand that, she can't be my wife," he says. But one last most important quality . . . "She'll have to be my number one fan," finished David. "I'll be hers!"

## IN LOVE

David is very particular about his ideal girl. When PINK last talked to David he said: "The girl that I marry will have to be in love with me!" To David that means really in love, and not with just "David Cassidy, boy singer."

"She'll have to love me with all my hang ups," said David — "like being grumpy in the mornings, not having a sense of what time it is and liking to have things my way, at least most of the time!"

## SENSE OF HUMOUR

But don't think David's wife is going to lead a life of misery! To David the most important thing is the ability to laugh at yourself and with others. "A girl who can't amuse herself by watching the clouds form shapes — and finding some funny ones — isn't for me," said David.



HELP! I'm sharing a flat with a madman! Who's that? Why, David Cassidy, of course! The reason? David's getting the house together and that means trouble . . . The hammering starts at like seven-thirty in the morning, and I haven't had a good night's sleep for ages! Even now, while I'm writing to you he's stalking around the living-room with a hammer in his hand, a glint in his eye, and about sixty nails in his mouth!

The clothes he's wearing are covered with paint, there's paint in his hair, and he's got bandages on both hands from hitting them, cutting them on glass, pinching them in doors, and so forth! He looks like a one-man wrecking crew! Everytime I ask how I can help, he sort of wraps his mouth



# LIVING WITH DAVID

By Dave's best friend and flat-mate, Sam Hyman.

around the nails and says something like, "Mpphtrzz donchers!"

When the house is our version of spotless — that means there's nothing laying about to fall over in the dark — David begins to look round discontentedly, and I know there's a project brewing. And this is one of them!

But David's really done a lot to the house. He's painted and carpeted and found a lot of fantastic funky furniture that looks pretty nice. The couch is something you can actually look at without getting an upset stomach! The tables are nice looking, but the stuff they're made of is hard enough to let you put your feet up, even if you do forget to take your boots off!

David's got this really . . .

individual . . . colour sense, and for a while I was afraid that it was going to look like a peacock's nightmare! But the most remarkable thing is what's happening outside! David, who is not normally one of those people who goes looking for hard physical work, had suddenly this crazy notion that the biggest fun was to spend a complete day talking to a shovel! He's completely changed the way our yard looks, for example, he put in a new lawn. That doesn't sound like much, but it really is an incredible amount of work, especially for someone who likes to do nothing as much as David does! By the time he'd done all the preparation-work and planted the seeds, he was in the best physical shape he's been in years!

And after all that work,

just guess what happened? We woke up the next morning to discover that the dogs had dug some fabulous holes in his new lawn, and it took most of that day to repair the damage! David's the kind of person who can't just sit around and think. If he hasn't something to do, he'll work on his music, but in a way that's still business . . . and the work he's done around here doesn't have anything to do with the Partridge Family or being a star, or anything — except getting our house into shape!

And right now the house looks absolutely great, thanks to David! And to think, I didn't have to do hardly anything!

Take care of yourselves and stay in the Pink!

*Sam Hyman*

DAVID'S PRIVATE THOUGHTS



LONELY thoughts . . . "late at night, every once in a while, I get so lonely and sad that I wish I could be surrounded by a wife and family — being single is great most of the time — but sometimes. . ."

But . . . "I'm always aware of the great amount of love my fans give to me. I wish that I had arms long enough, and strong enough, so that I could give each of them a big hug to show them how much I care."

David loves animals and the countryside. "All animals, from tiny bees to large horses, recognise when someone cares about them — guess that's why every pet or animal I've ever had loved me as much as I loved them."

"The great outdoors and I are good friends — we always have been! — I love to camp in the mountains, hike in forests, get some sun on the beaches or just sit quietly in a field of clover and wild flowers!"

# LOVES ♥

I love . . . my fans — they mean more to me than anything else in the world, especially my Pink Fans! . . . girls with minds of their own — a pretty face isn't enough for me . . . my house. It gives me a chance to get away from it all as I sometimes need to.

And I dig looking after the place with my friend, Sam . . . my stereo equipment.

It's fantastically good, and I don't play my own records! I absolutely love the Beatles . . . Sam's "Backyard Blend" — a sort of fruit juice Sam makes from the fruits in our backyard . . . and of course I love recording, and filming . . . clothes — I bought some great velvet gear when I was in England . . . what else? I love my fantastic fans!



# & HATES

I hate . . . people who don't say what they mean. I wish people would tell the truth more often . . . my own impatience! I can't seem to master this bad habit of mine . . . not having as much privacy as I'd like . . . having to cancel a concert if I'm sick. When this happens I have nightmares! I so hate to disappoint my fans . . .

being lonely — you probably won't believe it's possible — but with the life I lead it's difficult to form lasting relationships with people . . . saying I hate things. Nothing's THAT bad after all. Don't you agree? . . . People saying horrible, untrue things about me, especially the press. I'm only human after all!