SPEC SPEAK-IN

MEMO FROM GLORIA STAVERS

You may wonder what happens when you write and address a letter to me in care of SPEC. This memo is to assure you that I personally receive and read each and every letter you write to me. There isn't enough space in SPEC for me to publish every letter you send me and I'm sure you understand that I just don't have the time to personally answer each letter I receive but I do want you to know that I personally read (and I appreciate) all letters addressed to me. So please keep writing to me and look for your letter and my answer in SPEC Speak-In in each issue of SPEC!

Address all of your letters to: Miss Gloria Stavers, c/o SPEC Magazine, Business Office, 745 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022.

BROOK & DONNY

Dear Miss Stavers,

I was looking at a picture of BROOK FULLER and then at a picture of DON-NY OSMOND, and I decided that they look a lot alike! Could you run a picture of them side-by-side—and see if I'm right?

Vicki Jones

Denton, Tex.

· Dear Vicki.

Here's a pic of BROOK and one of DONNY—and there sure does seem to be a lot of resemblance. What do the rest of you SPEC readers think?

TOO YOUNG FOR LF?

Dear Miss Stavers,

I've just started to get SPEC and 16, and I just love them both. I've noticed your ads for your other magazine, Loving Fashions, and I want to get that too. Am I too young for Loving Fashions? I'm ten years old.

Dorie Wilbur

Bethlehem, Pa.

· Dear Dorie.

No, you're not in the least too, young to get the full benefits of reading Loving Fashions! You—and every other ten-year-old SPEC-er—will find plenty of features and advice in LF that are just right for you! Turn to Page 55 and read all about the latest issue of LP!

CHEE CHEE & PEPPY

Dear Miss Stavers,

Could you please run a picture of CHEE

CHEE & PEPPY and tell me where I can write to them?

Suzy Ann Lee

Atlanta, Ga.

· Dear Suzv.

Here's a cute pic of CHEE CHEE & PEPPY. Of course, you've already heard their first hit single I Know I'm In Love on Buddah Records. You can write to Chee Chee & Peppy at Buddah Records, 1650 Broadway, New York City.

BOYS & DATES

Dear Miss Stavers,

I'm dying to get a new special book called Secret World Of Boys and Personal Diary & Date Book. It's really two books in one—and I've heard a lot of kids at school talking about it. How can I get a copy?

Beth Muncie

Austin, Texas

· Dear Beth.

You're not alone! A lot of SPEC-ers and 16-ers are asking for this fabulous double-value book! Flip to Page 15 and it'll tell you exactly how to get a copy!

WHAT'S NEW WITH RICK?

Dear Miss Stavers.

Please tell me what's new with RICK ELY and also let me know where I can drop him a line.

Lucy Fields

scranton, Pa.

· Dear Lucy.

You'll be able to see RICK this fall in a featured role on a Marcus Welby segment, so be sure to stay tuned to that show. Meanwhile, you can write to Rick at the Rick Ely International Fan Club, 709 South Irolo Street, Apt. 1, Los Angeles, California 90005.

LIST OF PLEASURES

Dear Miss Stavers,

I just wanted you to know that I've added Loving Fashions to my list of pleasures that I just can't do without! First, I started getting 16, then SPEC—and now I'm hooked on Loving Fashions too! It's got the grooviest clothes I ever saw!

Pam Masters

St. Louis, Miss.

· Dear Pam.

You're in wonderful company, so stay hooked! And how about all of you other SPEC-ers who haven't bought Loving Fashions yet? You're missing lots of excitement! Turn to Page 55 and find out about the latest issue!

EVE PLUMB

Dear Miss Stavers,

I saw EVE PLUMB on a Biz detergent commercial. On the commercial, she was wearing glasses. Does she wear them just for fun—or does she need them?

Laura Magiera

Carmel, N.Y.

· Dear Laura.

EVE wears glasses because she's a little bit nearsighted. However, they look cute on her and she digs wearing them, so she sometimes wears them for "professional" reasons. Here's a pic of Eve wearing her glasses when she cut her single record for RCA-Victor called How Will It Be.

GORGEOUS & HANDY

Dear Miss Stavers,

I got the thrill of my life when I came home from school today and found the set of *Pocket Pin-Ups* of the stars you sent me! They're gorgeous—and they're so handy I take them with me everywhere I go!

Phyllis Cannister

Bangor, Maine

Dear Phyllis,

Thank you for your sweet note. If all other SPEC-ers want to have the same thrill, they oughta turn quickasaflash to Page 57 and find out how to get their own Pocket Pin-Ups!

MEETS DONNY O.!

Dear Miss Stavers.

Would you please run this picture of me with DONNY OSMOND? I met him and the rest of the Osmonds when they came to Cleveland for their first concert. I was a winner of WIXY-Radio's Osmond Back-stage Contest. All the Osmonds were very nice—and acted just like regular people! I really love them and hope to see them again one day.

Candy Hughes

Wickliffe, Ohio

Brook & — Donny! Look-alikes?

Chee Chee & Peppy

Rick Ely

Eve in glasses







