



ON HIS 21ST birthday, Tiger Beat gave David this portrait of himself taken at his very first concert!



A PRESENT David always remembered was the gift he got on his 12th birthday—a beautiful set of drums!



TO CELEBRATE turning 21—a super drink of his favorite beverage, 7-Up! It was some party TB gave!



OUTDOOR PARTIES were great for David when he was a toddler! FUN!



GIFTS FROM fans were the things that really made David the happiest!



ON HIS 14th birthday a perfect gift—a fishing trip with his dad!



AND AT 22—more love from YOU! Coming soon in TB—David's 23rd!

had planted on his cheek. He knew it was love!

Then, the day a few years after his parents had divorced, his father, Jack Cassidy, had presented him with the one gift he would treasure the rest of his life. His father had called him days before his birthday and said that he wanted to be sure David would be home on his birthday. Then, moments later, his father had knocked on his door. Moments between father and son are always touching and tender. And David had listened quietly as his father spoke of the love and pride he had for him. When he handed

David the small box, David's hand was trembling. In it was the ring that had been in the Cassidy family for years—handed down between father and son through generations. David couldn't speak. And he has never taken that ring off since.

Leafing through the album, David felt sad knowing that he'd lost contact with many of these people who had shared his birthdays with him. But then, they were his friends, and they, too, carried those memories of those special days with them.

The games with the boys against the girls. And the girls howling

with glee when they won the prize and the boys shrugging it off saying they let them win. The first times dancing became part of the parties. The shy, scary fact that they would be touching each other while dancing!

The first daring kisses during the "Kissing" games. All memories that would never leave him. David turned to the last blank page. But he wasn't sad. He had a whole free day ahead of him—and many more birthday memories to share with special friends and golden moments!

