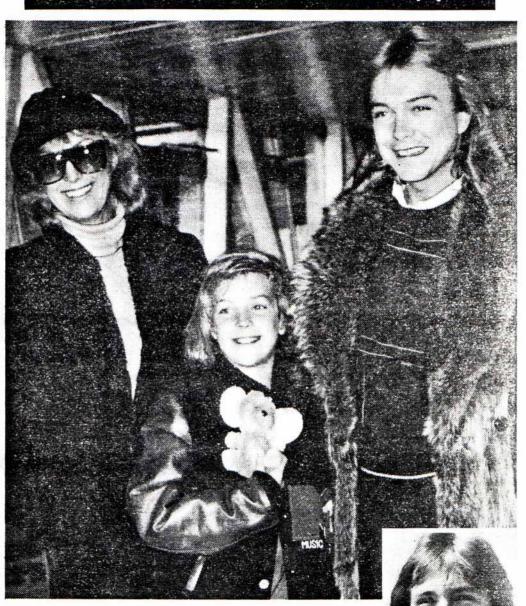
The sound of silence

No fans, no fuss for a one-time pop idol



HOW times change. Former teenybopper pop idol David Gassidy flew into Heathrow Airport yesterday on his honeymoon and hardly turned a head.

Twelve years ago he caused a sensation wherever he went, greeted by thousands of hysterical fans battling to glimpse him.

But as David, 34, arrived from

Miami with his new wife Meryl Tanz and her nine-year-old daughter Caroline he asked: 'I wonder if my old fans will remember me?'

David, who quit the pop world ten years ago to breed horses is now hoping to make a come-back. He said: 'I've got my appetite back for music.'

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Teen idol . . . David in heady days of 1972.