

YOUR LETTERS

THE OTHER SIDE

Dear Ed,

In one of your magazines, which my sister buys, I came across a letter from a girl whose boyfriend had finished with her because she was such a keen David Cassidy fan. Well, how about hearing a guy's side of the story? (It's only fair!)

My girlfriend is also mad about David and the first time he came over to England I was dragged out of the disco up to Heathrow Airport to see him. Of course, we saw nothing, so from there I was dragged to the Dorchester hotel at 3 a.m.!!! Madam decides that we won't be able to see him there either, so at long last we go home.

On his second visit she dragged me all the way to the Thames, where I sat for two days watching girls jumping in and out of the river. I also got offered bribes to go and get his autograph!

At one of his concerts I was half killed going into the hall and nearly massacred coming out. Well, David, I must admit I have detested you at times over the past couple of years, and I've had the bruises to prove it. But now I thoroughly admire you. I feel as if I've got a date with death when I'm just carrying one of your posters. But being you must be like having one foot in the grave! Good luck.

MICKIE,
CORNWALL.

We do sympathise with you, Mickie. Your girlfriend is very lucky to have such a tolerant, understanding boyfriend. But you'd expect her to do the same, though, if you were mad on Olivia Newton John, or Eve and Lyn of the New Seekers! ED

FALSE RUMOUR

Dear Ed,

I am terribly upset at the moment because I have heard rumours that David's latest dog, Bullseye, is dead. Please tell me if this is true or not. I can't stand the thought of poor David having to go through all the heartache he suffered over Sam and Kula.

JANE HOPKINS,
SOUTHEND.

Don't worry, Jane. The last we heard, Bullseye was romping round David's grounds in the Californian sunshine, quite well and happy. ED

LYRICS OF LOVE

—TO DAVID—

Could it be forever that I will cherish you,
And how can I be sure that you will love me too?
I hope you'll need me, baby even though I am a clown,
And warm my soul with all your love, from the day
that you hit town!

JUNE ANDERSON,
CO. DURHAM.



TWO QUERIES

Dear Ed,

There was one song I particularly liked which David sang at his concert on March 19th. It was called, 'I'm a Man'. Please could you tell me if David has ever released this as a single? Also, I read in an American magazine recently that David is having a strong romance with Jan Freeman, his stand-in, and may even be engaged to her. Naturally, I'd feel terribly upset that David could get engaged without telling us, but all I want is for him to be happy.

JEAN FREBERG,
NEWCASTLE.

Let's deal with the second question first, Jean, because I'm sure everybody wants to know, judging by the number of letters we've had! David assures us that he and Jan aren't engaged, or even going steady. He says he is very fond of her and they often go out together, but he also dates quite a few other girls. He says that the press have just exaggerated their friendship. We know who we prefer to believe! As far as the song is concerned, David has not so far recorded 'I Am a Man', but it may appear on a future album. ED

STETSON

Dear Ed,

A couple of months ago I read a letter in the magazine regarding the colour of David's stetson. You said it was blue but I am sure I have seen photos of him wearing a brown one as well. Has he, in fact, got two?

NORMA TOOL,
MANCHESTER.

You're right, Norma. In fact, we'll take our hats (or stetsons) off to you for noticing. We were so busy gazing at the poster in our office of David in his blue stetson that we forgot that he had a brown one as well, and by the time we remembered, the mag had already been printed. Apologies, folks! ED

