



## THE SET WITH "THE PARTRIDGE FAMILY!"

### CONFUSING NAMES

Confusion reigns on this set with all the different names. No one seems to be able to say Danny or Jeremy's last names right and Susan's and Suzanne's aren't pronounced like they look. To set the record straight—it's Susan Dey (pronounced like Day), Suzanne Crough (like Crow), Jeremy Gelbwaks (like Gelb-wacks) and Danny Bonaduce (like Bonn-a-doo-che). Got that? And Shirley Jones and David Cassidy are simple enough.

Susan takes advantage of her free minutes to step outside and sit on a bench outside. She's still reading the book she's been working on for a while—"The Singular Man" by J. P. Donleavy.

Susan introduces her closest girlfriend here, Jane, who is her roommate and also her stand-in. When Susan moved out here from New York she knew she wouldn't know anyone out here, so she brought Jane with her and they've been

having a good time getting to know California.

"Jane is just wonderful," she says, embarrassing Jane to no end. "She keeps me sane. She always knows when I want to talk and when I want to be left alone. And it's so nice to come home from a hard day at the studio and be able to talk to someone about something besides the studio," she explains as she lights up another of the cigarettes she's trying to give up.

Susan is an extremely natural girl—in looks and nature. She wears little makeup and doesn't get upset if her hair is messed up.

### RUMORS ABOUT DAVID

Naturally the rumors will soon be flying about David and Susan, but for now they are just very good friends. They often sit next to each other on the set and laugh and discuss books they've read, the script they're working on or just how they feel about things in general. Neither David nor Susan have

a steady now and their friendship means a lot to both of them.

David is a very physical person and you'll often see him reach out to touch people. In scenes he often reaches out to touch Susan on the arm or brush some hair out of her face. Of all of the cast, he seems closest to her, but they are still just friends—nothing more.

David stops for a minute to tell us that his first single is out and that it's titled "I Think I Love You" and it's from "The Partridge Family" album. Then he zips into his dressing room, changes into his own clothes and heads for his blue Mustang, after thanking us all for coming by and inviting us to drop by again.

Danny and Jeremy wave goodbye as they race by on their bikes and shy little Suzanne manages a quiet "bye." Susan says farewell.

It was a great day, getting to know a great bunch of people and we'll certainly be looking forward to seeing them all on TV every week.