

Dear Susan,

I think your series is great! What I'd like to know is, what other shows did you appear on before you got the part of Laurie on the "Partridge Family"?

Charlotte Horne
Strafford, N.H.

Dear Charlotte,

Before I was Laurie Partridge I was just plain old Susan Dey! That's right. "The Partridge Family" is my very first real acting role! I've done a few commercials during the past few years where I didn't speak any lines, but that's about it! That's the reason I was so shocked and thrilled when I found out I got the part! I couldn't believe that little old me, with only one year of high school drama to back me up was going to be on television! I'm happy you like the series because we all do our best to make the show enjoyable!

Dear David,

The "Partridge Family" is my favorite show and I just love your Number One Hit song "I Think I Love You." What would you rather be, a singer or an actor? Do you ever date any of your fans? What is your middle name? Do you have a favorite after-shave lotion?

Barbara Wellman
Wauconda, Ill.

Dear Barbara,

First of all let me thank you for writing and also for the beautiful Christmas card you sent me! I love both singing and acting, but I suppose if I could only do one for the rest of my life I would choose singing. I love music and experimenting with new sounds and I hope to eventually do an album someday like George Harrison's "All Things Must Pass." I do date fans, and in fact when I was in Hawaii just before Christmas I met a very nice girl who said she was a fan of mine and we had some fun together! Of course I don't have the opportunity to date anyone very much, but fans are definitely on my list! My middle name is Bruce and I don't really have a favorite after-shaving lotion because I don't shave too much! Hope that takes care of your questions, and write me again, ok?

Dear Susan,

My friend and I were looking through a magazine and we saw a picture of you. It said that you don't like your nose! My friend and I think it's cute on you. So don't say you hate it, ok?

Lisa Forcier and
Judy Hurtado

Dear Lisa and Judy,

Ok, I won't say I hate it—after all, what would we do without a nose? But, I don't particularly like its shape that much, but thanks for saying it's cute and for taking the time to let me know!

Dear David,

What do you think about the midi and women's liberation?

Karen Becker
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Karen,

I'd rather not think about the midi. I don't particularly like them because I like legs! I'll take the mini any day! Of course there are times and occasions when

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midi's and maxis are fine and once in a while maybe fun—but I'd rather see a girl in a mini. As for women's liberation, I definitely think women should be equal to men—I mean they should have the same rights and things, but I like my girls to be girls and I like them to enjoy being girls too!



IT ISN'T OFTEN that David has time to talk on the telephone while filming "The Partridge Family." Sometimes a lucky fan will get through!

Dear Susan,

Is there a book out by you on beauty and things like that? My friend says she ordered one and just loved it. I'd like one too—can you help?

Chris Stomper
Anaheim, Calif.

Dear Chris,

I think I can help you! Just turn to page 36 and you'll find out all about the book! I hope you'll enjoy it—let me know, all right?

Dear David,

I really like your show. I think it's so cool! The other day my girlfriend said that she read in a magazine that you were secretly married and had two kids! Is this true? I hope not. If so, how come it was never written in Tiger Beat?

Laurie Cassin
Sea Cliff, N.Y.

Dear Laurie,

The reason it was never written in Tiger Beat is simply because Tiger Beat prints only the truth! I've never been married and I'm not married now and I certainly don't have any children. Aren't rumors terrible? I hope this clears things up, and, by the way, thanks for liking the show. It means a lot to all of us!