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Dear David,

I just wanted to say how really fantastic you are! I saw you in concert in Columbus, Ohio and wow! I also think your roommate Sam is the greatest too! I'll bet you're proud to know each other! Please tell me where I can write to Sam. Again, the concert really turned me on!

> Good luck, Glenda Writesel Gahanna, Oh.

Dear Glenda,

I'm glad to hear you enjoyed the show! I really like Ohio and was glad I had the opportunity to perform there. I know Sam will dig hearing from you, so drop him a line in care of Tiger Beat, 1800 No. Highland, Hollywood, Ca. 90028.

After all, if he didn't, he wouldn't be talking and joking around with you as much as he did. I guess summer vacation did kind of throw a crimp into things... but there's no reason why you can't pick up where you left off next year! Be friendly when you see him once again (but don't come on too strong) and I'm sure everything will go well. Good luck!

Dear Susan,

I've wanted to be an actor since I was five, and now I'm ten and still feel the same. Since Danny and Suzanne are young, maybe you can help me find out how I can become an actor.

Cory Windsor, Ont., Can.



ON HIS LUNCH HOUR for several weeks, David did some sparing with famed boxing coach Al Silvani, who operates a gym very near the Columbia Ranch in Burbank. David found his work outs to be really fun!

Dear Susan,

I was wondering which you like better -your modeling or your acting?

Anne Haw Kalamazoo, Mi.

Dear Anne,

Oooh, that's really a tough question! I really like both of them a lot, but I'd say acting has the edge. See, modeling is fun, but sometimes the clothes you're wearing don't suit the weather! For instance, the temperature outside may be blistering hot—and there you are—showing off a long-sleeved knit pants suit for several hours! Or sometimes it's the reverse—the day may be freezing and you're modeling a swim suit or lightweight dress! But with acting you're always changing clothes, working on a new scene, and doing things that offer variety. So probably acting is a little more fun!

Dear David,

I hope you'll be able to help me with my problem since you're a guy. There was this fellow in my Spanish class who I really liked a lot. We cut-up all the time! But now that summer's here I probably won't be seeing him anymore. What can I do? Do you think he might like me a little?

Donna Teal

Dear Donna,

It sounds to me as though he likes you!

Dear Cory,

I think I've got the answer for you! What you may like to do is inquire about the nearest little theater to your home, then start going there weekly or whenever they have their meetings. Maybe one of your friends would even like to join you. That's where you will pick the knowledge of performing, memorizing lines, and everything that's involved to make you an actor. Probably with a little practice, they'll cast you in some of their plays! And then if you want to pursue it even further they could direct you to the proper people in your area. Write again and let me know how everything turns out!

Dear David

You always manage to stay so slim that I was wondering if you ever had a weight problem? Do you have to watch your eating habits?

Lois Stone Newburyport, Ma.

Dear Lois,

I've never been too big an eater, so I guess that's always been to my advantage! But by the same token, I never let my sweet tooth get the best of me either! I try to stay away from rich foods and desserts that are high in calories, and as for regular meals I like food that's high in protein. So usually I have no problem in maintaining the same weight.



NEVER OPPOSED TO HAVING fun, David and Danny spend some of their free time swinging near Partridge set.

Dear Susan,

I think it's great that you and David have your very own column in Tiger Beat. Can you give me some information on Danny Bonaduce? His age, if he has any brothers or sisters, and things like that. I think your show is really great and I think you're beautiful!

Danny W. New London, Ct.

Dear Danny,

Thanks for the very nice compliment! I'll be glad to give you some information on Danny. He's really a wild little character and everybody loves him! Danny just turned 11 on August 13 and he was born in Birchrunville, Penn. He has two older brothers named John and Anthony, and a 17-year-old sister, Cecelia, who writes a monthly column for both TiGER BEAT and FaVE. Danny likes all kinds of sports and he enjoys singing, and in his spare time he can easily be found riding around on his Vespa motorbike!

Dear David,

I decided to write to you in this column and ask a couple of questions. I sent you a card, letter and green doily that I crocheted for your birthday and was wondering if you had gotten them? Also, I was curious as to what you think of the hot pants fashions? I really love your show. It's one of my favorites!

Peace & love, Glenda Smith San Antonio, Tex.

Dear Glenda,

I'm glad you wrote, and thanks for including your picture! Yes, I did receive everything you sent for my birthday and really thought it was very nice. I just haven't gotten around to sending out all the personal "thank you's" yet since the show's been in production and now that I'm touring. But eventually I'll get caught up—I hope! As for the hot pants, I think they're great! Of course, they're not made for everybody, but there's so many different styles to choose from these days, you don't really have to wear one particular style to be "in". I like them all!

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FOR SUSAN OR ME?
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