

becomes an endless party, you're wrong! Being a giant success can be a lot like sitting alone on top of the highest mountain around... you're the only person who's climbed that high, and it feels great to have done it— but it sure would be nice if there was somebody else up there, too!

GIANT STAR

Right after "Partridge" went on television and it became obvious that David was the next giant star, he found himself knee-deep in friends he'd never even seen before! People who barely knew him called him up and invited him out to parties and premieres, and he loved it! He felt he'd never had so many friends in his life!

But after a while, it just didn't feel right to him. He began to suspect that a lot of these "good friends" were hanging around only because he was "David Cassidy," the big star! He learned that Hollywood is full of people who are warm to you when you're a hit, who love you as long as you're on top, but as soon as it looks like you might be slipping—watch out!

After that terrible article on David appeared in that underground rock and roll paper, a lot of those people stopped answering David's phone calls! They thought he was through, and their friendship evaporated like water! Some of them said terrible things behind David's back—and he was already too upset by the article to stand it! One real friend says that he was close to tears for weeks—worried that his fans wouldn't love him any more, and sick at heart over the true nature of his "friends!"

TWO-FACED

Of course, when the real strength of the love David's fans feel for him became known, and when it became apparent that David was still a star, those very same two-faced people started calling again, started dropping by—but David had learned his lesson, and he cleaned each and every one of them out of his life.

But what about girls? Surely, he must have a cloud of pretty girls swarming around, eager to go out with him, waiting for his phone calls?

Well, let's look at one of David's average days. At 5:30 in the morning he gets up to shower and wash

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