

LOVE LETTERS!

his heart were the first ones he'd ever gotten—the letters he now held in a precious bundle in his hands!

DELICATE FABRIC

David carefully untied the string that held his letters together. Then, as if the papers were delicate fabric, he gently unfolded the top letter and smoothed out its creases. His eyes moved slowly over the words. Then he thoughtfully unfolded two more letters and laid them all flat and side-by-side on the desk in front of him.

David's lips curled into a bashful grin as he re-read the three letters in front of him:

Dearest David,

I love you. You mean everything to me!

Holly

David,

I wish you were my boyfriend! It would be great fun to go on picnics, movies, and walks with you. You're so cute and I can tell from your eyes and smile that you're full of kindness & understanding!

All my love, Dawn

Hi David!

Has anyone ever told you that you're easy to love? Your voice, your hair, your eyes... YOU! David, I want ya to know that no matter what, I'll care about what happens to you because YOU are all I care about!

I love only you, Marie

SWEETNESS AND LOVE

David stared at the three letters. They were so full of sweetness and love! His eyes fell upon the remaining letters from his precious bundle of memories. He knew he didn't have to reopen each letter—each one carried the same and all-important message of love!

He reached out and gently touched the letters with his fingertips. These letters showed David that he was loved, and for the rest of his life he could depend on them to brighten his world!

The rainstorm outside gathered energy and bigger raindrops fell upon the roof—but inside David Cassidy's house—and in David's heart—there was peacefulness, happiness, and contentment.

As lightning crashed in the skies outside, David laughed softly and reached for more of his letters of love! His "love letters" would drown out his rainy days and all other rainy days from now on!

