Dear Susan,

I've read your answers to letters written by girls who want to lose weight, and your advice is very good. However, my problem is just the opposite. I'm as skinny as a rail, and I'd give anything to gain a couple pounds! Please give me some tips.

Thank you, Caroline Stevens Sacramento, Ca.



DAVID'S DOUBLE and stand-in, Jan Freeman loves to joke and talk with David while they work together on the Partridge set. She's become a celebrity as a David look-alike.

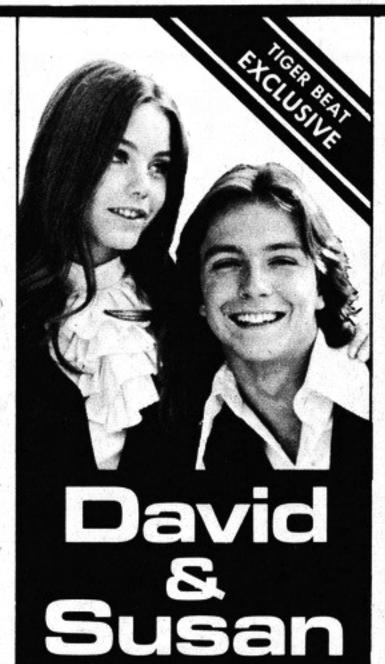
Dear Caroline,

Well, I'm not going to tell you to gorge yourself with ice cream and sweets 'cause that's probably the advice everyone else offers! Besides, I don't really beileve in that, because sweets just are not good for you. However, some more beneficial foods — like avacados and potatoes—are high in calories, so try adding those to your diet. Bread and butter's good, as well as a tall glass of milk. There's really not a whole lot you can do if you have difficulty putting on weight, but I wouldn't worry too much. I know lots of girls who'd like to have your "problem!"

Dear David,

Now that summer's coming up, please tell me some of your plans. Do you have many concerts lined up?

Love, Tammi Dixon Cleveland, Oh.





The whole truth and nothing but the truth on all the questions you've been asking! Do you have a question for David or Susan? If so, you can write to them personally by writing to Tell It Like It Is, c/o Tiger Beat, 7060 Hollywood Blvd., Suite 800, Hollywood, Calif. 90028.

Dear Tammi,

It's hard to say what might be coming up in the months ahead 'cause I don't work too much on schedule. I just know that "Partridge" will be in production so I'll be involved with that, and I'm planning an extensive concert tour. Hopefully I'll cover more cities on this tour than I have in the past, and if all goes as planned, I may even be in your town! I hope I'll see you there!

Dear Susan,

I love reading everything about you and the "Partridge Family" in all of my favorite magazines, and I'd like to know if it's possible to subscribe to the Partridge Family Magazine?

Lori Eickemeyer Sunland, Ca.

Dear Lori,

Yes, the Partridge Family Magazine is now available through subscription, and you can place your order by sending \$5.00 (in check or money order, preferably) to Partridge Family Magazine Subscriptions, 7060 Hollywood Blvd., Suite 800, Hollywood, Ca. 90028.



THE FRIENDSHIPS that were very casual two years ago when the Partridges first started are now much deeper. When not working, many of the members of the cast visit socially.

Dear David,

I want to know if you really are going to get married? That's the rumor going around my school, and if it's true, I'm very happy for you. Who is the lucky girl?

Nico Swanson

Dear Nico,

I don't know how all these rumors get started, but once again that's all it is—a rumor—and a false one too! I have no intentions of getting married at the present time, or even in the near future. But when I finally do decide, you'll hear about it first in TiGER BEAT!

Dear David,

I'm hoping you can help me with something that's been troubling me for a long time! Can you tell me what a girl is supposed to do when she knows a boy likes her, but he won't admit it? I'd love to hear some of your ideas!

Patrice Yates Bisbee, Ariz.

Santa Maria, Ca.