

David Cries:

"Why Do They Say Those Terrible Things?"



David Cassidy has feelings just like everybody else. When people say things about him that are cruel or unfair, he gets hurt, just the way you would. But why do people say things to hurt others, and why to hurt David?

It happens to lots of people in the public eye—television stars, movie actors, recording artists, and it's happened to David, too!

Rumors are terrible things, and it seems that whenever somebody becomes a superstar, the rumors start pouring in faster. It happened to others before David, like Bobby Sherman and Davy Jones, and it's even happened to the Osmond Brothers.

David is a very sensitive person and though he doesn't always succeed, he tries himself not to hurt anybody intentionally. He knows how much being hurt hurts, because it's happened to him so many times and it still keeps happening!

David's gone through the marriage rumors, the break-up rumors, the hate and love rumors. He's gone through the talk about his leaving the Partridges—all the rumors and guessing connected with it, when all along he's told the truth about it from the beginning!

He never denied wanting to leave the show, and he's always

given a reason. He's simply outgrown his role as Keith and it's time to move on.

LATEST RUMOR

The latest rumor David's heard about is that he had his voice electronically altered to sound younger, which simply means that's not his real voice you're hearing!

Now, this one definitely isn't true because David sang for the editors of Tiger Beat way before he was ever a star! Right after he did his very first guest appearance on television over three years ago, he came up to the Laufer Company offices for his very first ever magazine interview and it

was with Tiger Beat's sister magazine FAVE!

He sounded then, just the way he sounds now! Why do people start rumors like this and why does it seem **they** always single out one person to talk about? Why do **they** want to say such terrible things to hurt people?

Are **they** jealous of David's talent? Do they want to destroy him? Only **they** know for sure why they do! Since we don't know who **they** are, there's nothing we can do to stop them from spreading rumors and lies, except one thing and that's simply to ignore them. To put our trust in David and to believe. Can you do that for David? He'd do it for you.

