

# Cassidy sheds Partridge image for comeback

LOS ANGELES (AP) — David Cassidy still sports the long, shaggy hairdo of Keith Partridge — plus a few gray hairs — but wants to shed his old teeny-bopper image with a comeback album.

The former star of television's *The Partridge Family* would just as soon forget such early-'70s pop hits as *I Think I*

*Love You*. He said he hopes listeners will see his serious side with his new album, *David Cassidy*.

"I was really naive enough to think people won't assume the music I'm playing on the show and that light, fluffy sort of airhead character was really me," he said Wednesday.