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C'mon, Get Happy & Feel the Love with David Cassidy
Valentine's Weekend with the Omaha Symphony!

WHAT: David Cassidy in Concert

WHEN: February 11-13, Friday & Saturday at 8 PM, Sunday at 2 PM

WHERE: Holland Performing Arts Center 1200 Douglas Street

TICKETS: Starting at \$15 402.342.3560 www.omahasymphony.org

Omaha, Neb – Spend Valentine's weekend with one of the most famous heartthrobs of all time! **David Cassidy** will join the Omaha Symphony in three special performances February 11-13 at the Holland Performing Arts Center. Cassidy will perform familiar favorites, backed by his band and the full orchestra.

The son of two actors, Evelyn Ward and Jack Cassidy, Cassidy skyrocketed to stardom on *The Partridge Family*. Before the end of 1970, the year the show premiered, David had the #1 selling single of the year and record of the year, garnered multiple Grammy nominations, and won a Golden Apple Award. Over the next five years, membership in his official fan club exceeded that of Elvis Presley and the Beatles. Those were only the first of many records David has broken in his long and constantly evolving career.

Cassidy became the first personality to be merchandised globally. His likeness appeared on everything from posters to lunch boxes, comic books, toys, cereal boxes, and almost anything else imaginable. His concerts sold out in the largest arenas and stadiums in the world, which led

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David Cassidy performs catchy hits, love songs at 3 Valentine's Weekend shows

him to being the world's highest paid performer by the age of 21. To date, his records have sold well over 30 million copies worldwide and have been recognized with more than 24 gold and platinum recordings including four consecutive multi-platinum LPs.

Cassidy was responsible for seven chart-topping Partridge Family singles, including "Doesn't Somebody Want To Be Wanted," "I Woke Up In Love This Morning," "Breaking Up Is Hard To Do," and, of course, "I Think I Love You," the best selling record of 1971. As a solo artist, David has had hit singles such as "Cherish," "Could It Be Forever," "How Can I Be Sure," "Rock Me Baby," and "Lyin' to Myself." His 2004 CD *Then and Now* was in the Top Five and reached platinum status.

Despite the fame he has enjoyed as a singer, songwriter, and producer, David still thinks of himself as an actor. His credits include the television film *A Chance to Live* and the highest rated *Police Story* in its seven-year history, which earned him an Emmy nomination as Best Dramatic Actor. On Broadway, he starred in the original *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*. He performed with Sir Laurence Olivier at London's West End in *Time*. In 1994, he broke box office records in the stunning and highly lauded production of *Blood Brothers* on Broadway. The subsequent tour resulted in standing room only shows across the United States and Canada.

David Cassidy with the Omaha Symphony is presented by The Nebraska Medical Center and The University of Nebraska Medical Center, both sponsors of the orchestra's entire Symphony Pops Series. Tickets start at just \$15. For tickets and more information, call 342-3560 or visit www.omahasymphony.org.

The Omaha Symphony is a non-profit organization that presents more than 200 live orchestral performances from September through June. In addition to MasterWorks, Symphony Pops, Symphony Rocks, Chamber, Sights and Sounds, and Family series concerts, the Omaha Symphony's nationally recognized education programs touch the lives of more than 37,000 schoolchildren each year. For tickets or information regarding the Omaha Symphony, call 402.342.3560 or visit www.omahasymphony.org

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