

WITH THE TALENT SHOW FAST APPROACHING, SUPERBOY AND LANA DECIDE TO FORM A BAND ALONG WITH LANA'S CITY FRIEND, JOSIE.

I CAN'T WAIT TO MEET JOSIE. YOU'VE TOLD ME SO MUCH ABOUT HER.

JUST PROMISE ME YOU WON'T BE JEALOUS.





AS THE BAND REHEARSES, CLARK CRINGES EVERYTIME HE MESSES UP A CHORD.

I'VE NEVER PLAYED IN FRONT OF A CROWD! WHAT IF I'M TERRIBLE AND EVERYONE LAUGHS AT ME?



STACK IS COUNTING ON ME!

EVERY ONE IS COUNTING ON ME!

CLANG
CLANG



CLARK SUFFERS AN ANXIETY ATTACK! HE THINKS ABOUT QUITTING.

I CAN'T DO THIS. IT'S TOO HARD. TOO MUCH. I'M NOT GOOD ENOUGH!



THEN, CLARK THINKS OF HIS MA, AND HER ADVICE...

I CAN DO THIS!

CLAIRE, WHEN YOU ACT OUT OF LOVE, YOU CAN'T FAIL. LOVE NEVER FAILS.



THE CROWD GOES WILD AS THE GIRLS HIT THE STAGE!
SUPERBOY FEELS A RUSH OF ADRENALINE LIKE HE'S ONLY
FELT BEFORE WHEN SAVING THE UNIVERSE.

WOW!

ARE YOU
READY TO
ROCK!?

YEAH!



THE PUSSYCATS TEAR INTO THEIR SONG. LANA HAMMERS THE DRUMS.



SUPERBOY RIFFS.



THE NERVES FADE. THE PUSSYCATS THUNDER AND THE KIDS GO WILD. THEY ALL LOVE THE PUSSYCATS!



ALL BUT ONE THAT IS.





CEASE
YOUR
HORRIFIC
MUSICAL
TORMENT!

SCREAM!

SCREAM!





A WHOOSH! AND, SUDDENLY,
SUPERBOY APPEARS! BUT,
HOW?

WHAT? BUT
CLAIRE IS
STANDING RIGHT
THERE!

THIS IS A JOB
FOR SUPERBOY!

SUPERBOY!









TO BE CONTINUED