

# FOUR JACKS & A JILL NEWS MAG



CLIVE

BRUCE

GLENYS

TONY

TILL

# Newsletter

Dear Fans and Friends,

So many of you have asked me for autographed photos of the group and of Clive and Glenys on their wedding day, that I found it impossible to oblige without resorting to their inclusion in this issue of "NEWS MAG", I do trust you will like these photos and accept them in place of originals.

The wedding was a great success and Glenys, as you can imagine, looked more beautiful than ever. Clive too was a real "Prince Charming" and everyone lucky enough to attend the service and reception had to admit that it was one of the loveliest weddings of the year.

After a short honeymoon at Beverley Hills Hotel, Umhlanga Rocks, Glenys and Clive were back at the Studios recording several new numbers with the Group - for release whilst they are overseas.

On Friday, June 21, they all flew to Hamburg - West Germany - where they were rushed from the Airport to the T.V. Studios for a live show, in colour, on Saturday evening - 22nd June. This show was such a success that they were immediately booked for two more shows during the following week. Needless to say Glenys made a very favourable impression on the folks in that country - especially as she sang "Master Jack" in German.

Their stay in Europe was cut short by having to fly across to the U.S.A. a bit sooner than expected and they are - at time of writing this - in New York, busily engaged in recording at the RCA VICTOR Studios.

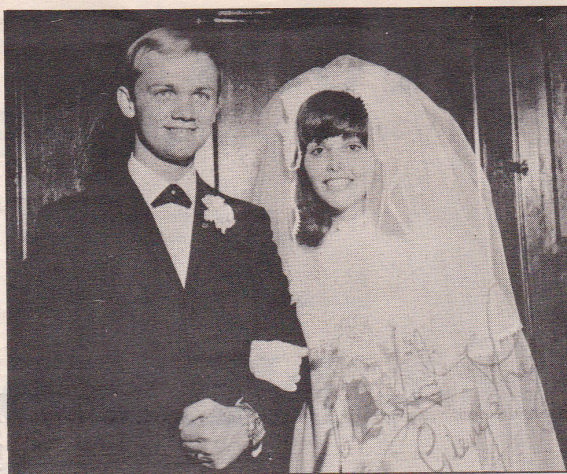
Further news on the Group's movements will appear in successive issues of this News Mag, but I would suggest that you also watch out for special articles which are due to appear regularly in a popular Teenage fortnightly Magazine.

Best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Wilbur Forsyth.

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Johannesburg.



Meet Mr. and Mrs. Harding.

Glenys and Clive wish to thank those who sent their good wishes on the happy occasion of their wedding.

Competition

WHAT ARE THE NAMES OF THE COMPOSER OF "TIMOTHY" (Nickname & Surname preferably).

2 L.P.'s. to first two correct entries. CLOSING DATE 20th AUGUST.

WINNERS OF PREVIOUS COMPETITION :-  
Ingrid Nicol, Box 457, White River and Louise van Nieuwenhuizen, Huis Mare, Pte. Bag, Nelspruit.

Correct Answer : "Master Jack", "Timothy" and "I Looked Back".

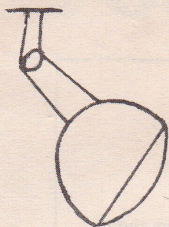
## Disc Parade

### Latest L.P.

"The Sunnyside of 4 Jacks & A Jill" - RCA Victor (Stereo 37-017) includes "Master Jack" sung in German by Glenys - "Freckle Face" (a delightful and catchy number by John Edmond of "The New Trend") several new numbers by Dave Marks i.e. "Penny Paper", "Mr. Nico", "Sunnyside of Somewhere" and a Marks/Morris composition "Lonely Desert Boy".

Clive's arrangement of Miriam Makeba's "Phata Phata" is another number on this L.P. to prove the versatility of our "Jill", the Nancy Sinatra dialogue "Jackson" is also a pleasing feature of this record, with drummer Tony Hughes effectively providing the "big talk" to Jill's cynical comments.

## Spotlight On



BRUCE BARK - real names Edward Brian Boome - plays Lead Guitar (12 string) and Harmonica - also male vocalist.

Bruce started with the group in it's "ZOMBIE" days in April, 1964. Composed "IF I TOLD YOU", "INDIGO BAY", "I WANT" and, more recently, "LIKE ME" (There's A River), one of the cuts on their last L.P.

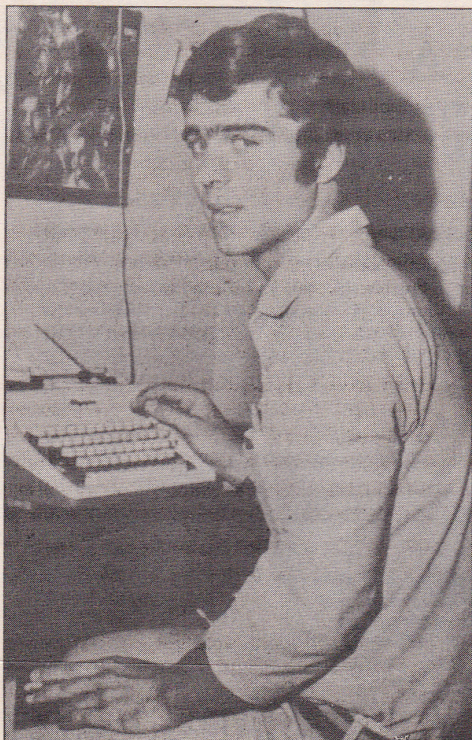
Differs from the other members of the group in that he spends most of his leisure time composing new numbers, and playing his guitar.

Bruce was born on 12th September, 1945 in Devon, England, is married to Sharron Keats of P.E. and has a bonny baby daughter named Nicole.

### **Bruce**



## Guest Column



David Marks, born Spiros David Markantonatos, son of a Greek father, Irish mother, and one of seven children, started composing whilst working underground on the gold mines at the age of 22. "Master Jack" was one of several numbers he composed initially, but despite having offered it to Des Lindberg and a number of other popular groups, nearly a year passed before it was popularised by 4 Jacks & a Jill on their 7 single which shot onto the Hit Parades in L.M., South Africa and eventually the U.S.A., Germany, Australia, etc.



Here's to the continued success of this remarkable young man. May his "Mr. Nico", also by 4 Jacks & a Jill and recently released by RCA Victor in the United States, prove as popular and successful as "Master Jack".

**Dave Marks, composer of the Hit Parader 'Master Jack'**

## MISTER NICO

Words and Music : Dave Marks, (RCA)  
Victor "Four Jacks and a Jill"

Broken windows, bolted doors  
Dust lies thick upon the floors.  
Soon machines and men will be  
Breaking down what's part of me.

Through the concrete, through the steel,  
He sees things no others will,  
Not just wealth but heartbreak too,  
And I wonder what old Nic will do.

(Refrain)

Close up shop, Mister Nico,  
That's what the big man said,  
Make way for concrete and steel,  
And no-one even cared.

Now times will change, times can choose  
Who's to win and who's to lose  
Progress can for many men  
Be the start or mean the end.

(Again refrain)

★ It's just a memory, just a thought  
Of some things sold and some things bought.  
★ Poor old Nic, he never sold,  
He wouldn't leave till he was told.

(Again refrain)

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# 4 JACKS & A JILL COMPLETE DISCOGRAPHY

### L.P.'s:

32-094 Jimmy come lately; 32-191 Listen Listen;  
32-249 The House with the White Washed  
Gables; 32-310 Timothy and Other Hits; 32-335  
Master Jack.

### 7" SINGLES:

41-830 Jimmy come lately/Can't help lovin' you;

41-853 No other baby/Blue; 41-874 Flowers never  
bend/Mark Condor Theme; 41-914 Listen Listen/  
Don't start me talking 'bout my baby; 41-941  
The House with the White Washed Gables/  
Walk the World; 41-987 Timothy/Leaves are  
falling; 42-004 Master Jack/I looked back;  
42-008 Summer Avenue/All I have to do is dream;  
42-021 Mister Nice/Sunny side of Somewhere.

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Action is'

THE 4 JACKS

WEAR

WEEKENDERS

FROM THE HOUSE OF GREYS