

whatever happened to: DAVE COULIER?

Widely rumoured to be the rat bastard "you" addressed in Alanis Morissette's ranty chart-topper "You Oughta Know," Dave ("Cool-yay") Coulier got his start in stand-up and went on to loan his pipes to a long line of animated hits, including *The Jetsons* and *Muppet Babies*. Fame came calling in 1987 when he was cast as *Full House* goofball Joey Gladstone, beloved for the catchphrase "Cut it out" and its rad scissory hand signal.

As if he wasn't busy enough, during the run of the show Coulier also married, divorced, became father to a son, and hosted home-video programme *America's Funniest People*. When *Full House* ended in 1995, he

maintained his profile with acting and voice roles, as well as appearances on reality shows, notably *Skating with Celebrities* on which he was paired with Olympian Nancy Kerrigan. He also released several CDs, including a kids' compilation entitled *Songs in the Key of Beaver*.

In 2008, Coulier became commissioner of wrestling organisation Chikara, and fought in a tag-team match alongside the world's smallest man, the late He Pingping. Today he resides in LA, tours with family-friendly act The Clean Guys of Comedy, and supplements his income by hocking "Cut it out"-related merchandise online. PHILIPPA PRENTICE

lookalikes



Nurse Jackie's **Edie Falco** and talk-show host **Ellen DeGeneres** Sent in by reader Hayden Smith

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going up going down

up

TV3's Rachel Smalley

She's classy and non-simpering. She can stay.



Real lemon, real honey, really good yoghurt.

I Think I Love You by Allison Pearson Chick lit with smarts – and soul.

Argan oil

Cheap, natural, and it does great things for hair and skin.



The demise of the traditional keffiyeh

Popularised by fashion victims and manufactured cheaply in China, the only remaining factory in Palestine is now on its last loom.

TV reporters filming themselves making phone calls

Spare us the performance.

Sleep envy

Resentfully tossing and turning while your partner snores. It's no picnic.

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Things suggested by modern music that are difficult to replicate:

- 1 Dancing on the ceiling.
- 2 Building a city on rock and roll.
- 3 Rocking and rolling all night, then continuing to party every day.
- 4 Raising your hands in the air, then waving them in a way that suggests indifference.

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