LOST IN SPACE

CBS - TV - COLOR WEDNESDAY NIGHT Angela Cartwright

Angela Cartwright, the little girl who grew up before the eyes of the American television public as Danny Thomas' daughter on his long-run video venture, is still growing up — as the countless viewers who look in regularly on the second season of producer Irwin Allen's top-rated "Lost In Space" series seen each Wednesday night in spectacular color over CBS-TV.

Angela, who co-stars with Guy Williams, June Lockhart, Jonathan Harris, Mark Goddard, Marta Kristen and Billy Mumy in the exciting 20th Century-Fox Television series, portrays Penny, the daughter of a brilliant professor who takes his family to live in far-off space.

Angela, who turns 14 on September 9, was born in Altrincham, Cheshire, England, but did not see much of the land of her birth because her family emigrated to Toronto, Canada, when Angela was only one year old. Two years later, in 1955, the family moved to Los Angeles.

Angela's professional career started shortly after arriving in California when a neighbor encouraged Mrs. Cartwright to put Angela and her sister Veronica into children's fashion modeling. When she was three-and-a-half years old, Angela was chosen for a role in "Somebody Up There Likes Me" becase her long dark hair and huge hazel eyes made her an ideal choice as the daughter for Pier Angeli and Paul Newman. Another small part followed in "Something of Value."

By the time she was four, Angela was well known by the top photographers and appeared on McCall's magazine cover and in many advertiesments. It was this exosure that led to her selection for the part of Linda on the Danny Thomas show.

Angela sings, dances and is the official inspirational leader of "child power," an organization devoted to spreading peace throughout the world. She loves riding horses, swimming and skating and is an avid collector of model horses and dolls from different countries.

Vital Statistics

Birthplace:

Altrincham, Cheshire, England

Birthdate:

September 9, 1952

Height:

4'9"

Weight:

75 lbs.

Hair:

Brown

Eyes:

Hazel

CREDITS

TELEVISION:

"LOST IN SPACE"

"THE DANNY THOMAS SHOW" (7 years)

"THE LUCY BALL-DESI ARNAZ SPECIAL"

"RED SKELTON"

"ALFRED HITCHCOCK"

FEATURES:

"WHIRLY BIRDS"

"THE SOUND OF MUSIC"

"CHEVROLET SPECIAL" (2)

"SOMEBODY UP THERE LIKES ME"

"SECRET WORLD OF KIDS"

"SOMETHING OF VALUE"

"SHIRLEY TEMPLE STORYBOOK"

"LAD, A DOG"