SUPERMAN

Good evening. Miss Lane. . . .(Notices her gown) I'm sorry. Were you just about to go out?

LOIS

Ah. . . . .no. . . .no! Whyever would you. . .

(looks at gown) Oh. This old thing....

> SUPERMAN It's no trouble for me to come back later. I mean I don't have to park or anything.

> LOIS You just stay right where you are! Please! Don't move! Or move, if you want, but don't fly away.

LOIS rushes inside. SUPERMAN smiles to himself, hops down onto the terrace, speaks in

the direction of the open doorway.

SUPERMAN Sorry to just...drop in on you like this, Miss Lane, I realize there must be many questions about me the world would like the answers to. . .

LOIS emerges with reporter's pad and pencil, takes a seat at the terrace table.

SUPERMAN So it's become important for me to have very close relations with the press.

LOIS smiles, hiding her nervousness, lights a cigarette from a box on the table.

SUPERMAN You really shouldn't smoke, you know.

LOIS Don't tell me. Lung cancer, right?

217 INSERT SHOT - LOIS' LUNGS

Seen through SUPERMAN'S X-RAY vision: A flashing medical X-Ray type shot of LOIS' lungs.

SUPERMAN Not yet, thank goodness.

LOIS blinks, puts out her cigarette, picks up her pad.

LOIS Let's...ah...start with your vital statistics, okay? Age?

SUPERMAN.

Thirty.

LOIS A glass of wine?

SUPERMAN I never drink when I fly.

LOIS blinks, realizes he's serious, returns to her pad.

LOIS Is it true you can see through anything?

SUPERMAN Pretty much.

LOIS And you're totally impervious to pain?

SUPERMAN

So far.

LOIS (not looking up)

What Color underwear am I wearing?

219 ANGLE ON LOIS - SUPERMAN ' S POV

A quick flash of LOIS sitting in the chair, dressed only in her bra and panties.

SUPERMAN

Pink.

LOIS writes it down, all business in spite of her blush.

LOIS Ah....do you have a first name?

SUPERMAN You mean like Ralph, or something?

LOIS I mean what's your background?

SUPERMAN I was born on another planet. A place called Krypton.

LOIS (writing ) Uh-huh. And do you....

(looks up)

Like pink?

SUPERMAN

(nice smile)

I like pink very much, Lois.

LOIS puts down her pad, flustered in spite of herself.