Product Review: Smell As Good As You Look





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By Mallory McDonald

Attraction can come from lots of things, but smell is certainty one of the most enticing beauty tips. Stop your next date in their tracks by spicing up your perfume, and start smelling as great as you look!

Check out My Burberry Black, a new and sultry fragrance on the market.

There are hundreds of fragrances released every year, but one brand seems to always stands out. The Burberry brand never fails to deliver, and their recent launch of My Burberry Black is no different.

This new perfume for women is inspired by the black heritage trench coat and features British actress Lily James. The fragrance fuses the scent of sun-drenched jasmine flower and peach nectar, with a touch of rose.

Customers are able to physically personalize their My Burberry Black bottle with up to three initials through a monogramming service available on burberry.com and selected Burberry and wholesale stores.

If you always feel like there is a missing element when it comes to your overall look on <u>date nights</u> in your relationship, use this product as an opportunity for change! Be prepared for your date to fawn all over you and ask about your new scent!

Don't miss the opportunity to smell as good as you feel! Check out our other product reviews here.

Good For You and Good For The Planet Products





By Nicole Caico

Too many products on the market utilize harsh chemicals, which are not good for your health or for the environment. Luckily all-natural products are gaining popularity, because good for you and good for the plant should be the same thing.

Show your body, and the environment some love with these all natural products.



Doubling as your soap and loofa, Pura Naturals brings you their line of <u>Soap Infused Active Sponges</u> in citrus zest, peppermint volcano, and unscented 3-packs (\$8.99). Each plantbased sponge is all natural, and biodegradable. The sponges also repel water which makes them mold-repellent and travel friendly.



There are plenty of body lotions out there, but not many like this one. Surya Brazil sells their <u>Amazonia Preciosa Leg & Foot Lotion</u> to give you a one of a kind, all-natural, hydrating experience (\$34). The lotion is vegan and cruelty-

free. With natural oils, aloe, shea butter, and more Surya Brazil promises "intense revitalizing action" from this lotion.



For a fungi-fighting clean, Art Naturals offers their Antifungal Soap with Tea Tree Oil for body and feet (\$18). This wash is kind to delicate skin while alleviating itchiness associated with common conditions, like athletes foot and psoriasis. Like other all-natural products, its ingredients are refreshingly easy to read.



Face masks are great for relaxation, and even better when they're reusable. The <u>TheraPearl Face Mask</u> (\$19.99) is an oversized round mask with openings for eyes, nose and mouth. With a fully adjustable Velcro strap, and the choice of heating or chilling it is extremely versatile. Heat it to open clogged sinuses, chill it to soothe tender skin, or make it a part of your facial routine.



You've never had a cleansing wipe so natural. Pre- or post-sweat, EmerginC Scientific Organics Facial Cleansing Wipes (\$19) 100% natural wipes are ideal for cleansing and removing makeup, packaged for use while at-home or on-the-go. The wipes are made from a sustainable, biodegradable, non-woven wood fiber, and are formulated with organic aloe vera, a proprietary fruit extract blend, witch hazel extract, lactofermented radish root and honeysuckle.



Can't skip a day without washing your hair? Now you can. <u>Farmaesthetics Powdered Silk Dry Shampoo</u> (\$30) all-natural herbal dry shampoo absorbs oil, lifts roots and freshens hair to extend time in-between washes. Made of just silk powder, cornstarch, lavender buds, and sea salt.

Stay natural this summer with these awesome products!

Last Picks on Summer Beauty Products





By Nicole Caico

The summer is winding down, but there is no reason not to make the most of what's left. If the summer products you stocked up on in June are running low right about now, there are still some great products to help you get though the rest of the summer.

You won't want to miss out on these pivotal summer products!



For Lips: Nothing says summer better than a bright, bold lip. The Black Up Cosmetics <u>Neon Kiss Lip Sets</u> (\$29) includes three bold shades, as well as jumbo lip pencil and pencil sharpener. It's great for everyday wear or date night makeup.



For Eyes: Another summer makeup essential? Anything waterproof. Black Up Cosmetics <u>Waterproof Smoky Kohl Pencil</u> (\$19) comes in 10 waterproof shades, to help you maintain your summer eye look in the harshest of humidity or on the beach.



For Face: Summer is almost over, but there are plenty more hot days to come. Outsmart your climate and keep your face looking matte and flawless with Black Up Cosmetics <u>Anti-Shine Loose Powder</u> (\$32), which comes in five different shades. Mattifying powder is one of the best summer beauty tricks.



For Skin: The scent of coconut is a signature summer smell. To keep your skin from peeling or drying out after long days in the sun, there is Fruit Fusion Coconut Water Energizing Body Lotion (\$9.99). The added perk of the product is that, like all Shea Moisture products, it is organic and not tested on

animals.



For Skin: Summer clothes mean showing skin, skin, and more skin. When moisturizing alone doesn't do enough, get baby soft skin with Shea Moisture's Superfruit Complex Hand & Body Scrub (\$9.99). This organic exfoliating scrub will give you shiny, smooth, summer legs.



For Body: Whoever said water isn't a summer beauty product was way off. Keeping yourself hydrated will benefit your body and

keep your skin glowing from the inside out. Looking to help yourself and the planet? <u>Just Water</u> retails for \$0.99 in most stores and is one of the most sustainable water bottle designs on the market. Calvin Harris, Will Smith, Jada Pinkett Smith, and their son Jaden Smith are some celebs who back the company.

Get rid of the summer blues, and get ready to use some of these great products!

'Botched' Star Dr. Paul Nassif Launches New Anti-Aging Skincare Line





For those of us who are feeling aged, don't get enough sleep or are constantly stressed, a good skincare product always helps us look and feel better. But, with so many beauty products on the market, how can a girl even choose. That's why we were thrilled to find out that our trusted TV doc, plastic surgeon and former Real Housewives of Beverly Hills reality TV star, Dr. Paul Nassif launched a new anti-aging collection, Bio-Clock Dermaceuticals earlier this year. This skincare line is no joke. It fills your pores with love.

During an exclusive celebrity interview with CupidsPulse.com, the star of E!'s reality TV show Botched spoke about his new collection and shared details surrounding how his amazing beauty products will cleanse and hydrate your skin just in time for your next date night. You can even check out the famous doctor's summer beauty tips and learn how these products can cleanse, exfoliate, hydrate, and protect your skin in our product review below.

Dr. Paul Nassif's Summer Beauty Tips

As a facial plastic surgeon, it comes as no surprise that Dr. Nassif looks at skin differently than a dermatologist would. Even when he's doing a facelift, the reality TV star says he can see the loss of elasticity, collagen, and hydration. That's why his goal was to have active ingredients in his new beauty products, such as ElastaDermC, a potent form of vitamin C, and retinol which will really make your skin glow. Dr. Nassif's skincare line features all of the essential ingredients for a proactive summer, such as the gentle cleanser, detox pads, hydro-screen hydrating serum, and night beauty serum. Like the doctor says, these products will "wipe away the signs of aging." The surgeon explains how to use

these products effectively this summer with his beauty tips below.

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- 1. Cleanse. This is especially important during the summer because of the hot and humid weather which leads to sweat that takes longer to evaporate off your skin. The *Pure Hydration Gentle Cleanser* is gentle enough to remove eye makeup but tough enough to remove pore-clogging debris. Don't let that humid weather ruin your skin's glow.
- 2. Exfoliate. Make sure you exfoliate at the right times. Not only will it help you maintain a fresh fake tan, but gentle facial exfoliation will help create a better canvas for makeup application allowing your skin to wear less on those warm, summer evenings. The Detox Pads in Dr. Nassif's new anti-aging skincare line are shown to remove 108% more makeup and dirt than soap and water because of ingredients like retinol, glycolic acid, and salicylic acid (see image above). You will love how amazing your skin feels after a 30-second detox session with this age defying product. Remember to exfoliate the morning after a swim in the pool or ocean, not prior.

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3. Hydrate. Stay hydrated. You may have let up on this a little since winter left the premises, but don't give it up for good. A solid moisturizing routine can do many beneficial things for your complexion. Dry skin is unhappy, damage-prone skin, so apply a product to protect it from summertime drying agents like sunburns, salt, and chlorine. The new *Hydro-Screen Hydrating Serum* is a lightweight moisturizer that plumps as it hydrates. "Your skin drinks this product," the surgeon said in an exclusive celebrity interview with CupidsPulse.com. "This is one of the only products that hydrates your skin. Our

goal is to increase hydration, luminosity, and help the appearance of discoloration."

4. Protect. Your skin is a barrier that protects you from environmental aggressors like pollution, bacteria, and moisture loss. Keeping your skin healthy helps that barrier continue to work properly. Protect your skin with products that contain antioxidants which will help repair damaged skin and prevent free radicals from doing undesirable work. The *Day Therapy Energizing Creme* and *Night Therapy Antioxidant Night Serum* will revitalize your skin, increase the effectiveness of your sunscreens, and boost your skin's defense against UV exposure. Dr. Nassif says these products work for your entire face.

These beauty products are proven to reduce dry lines, wrinkles, age spots, sun spots, and discoloration. Many of Nassif's patients have noticed that their skin returned to its natural tone after using the product line. Don't believe us? The reality star and doctor uses his own products, and at 54 years old, he looks 10 years younger.

Whether you're getting ready for your next date night or just keeping up with the latest beauty tricks, Dr. Nassif's antiaging beauty products have you covered. Be prepared to feel the difference of the active ingredients working to help you through the aging process.

To learn more about or purchase Dr. Nassif's beauty products, visit the <u>HSN site</u>.

Product Review: Get Ready for Date Night Faster with the BeachWaver S1 Curling Iron





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By Mackenzie Scibetta

Spending hours doing your hair and make-up for <u>date night</u> is not only a hassle but a complete waste of time and energy too. The last thing you want to do is lock yourself in the bathroom after a long day at work! Thanks to the BeachWaver S1, you can spend less time creating those celebrity curls and more time cuddling with your honey. Check out our product review below for more details about this innovative curling iron.

Product Review: Prep for Your Next Date Night with the BeachWaver S1

Offering a unique spin on the traditional curling iron, the BeachWaver S1 has a ceramic barrel that rotates on its own. Created by acclaimed celebrity hairstylist Sarah Potempa, the curling iron performs at two different speeds (slow or fast) and also has a temperature range from 290 to 410 degrees. Faster speeds and hotter temperatures mean you can be out the door and ready for date night quicker than ever before!

Potempa developed this product specifically for women who have difficulty styling their hair. While the iron will do a majority of the work for you, it also gives you the feeling of being completely in control with an arrow button that provides rotation control as well as a home button that resets the clamp to the start position. No matter what type of hair you have, the BeachWaver S1 will leave you feeling glamorous and ready to take on the world!

With this styling tool, resembling your favorite celebrity's hair is no longer an unachievable goal. Whether you opt for loose and beauty waves like <u>Lauren Conrad</u> or defined, cascading curls like <u>Blake Lively</u>, you'll feel like a star on your next date night.

You can purchase the BeachWaver S1 curling iron and other BeachWaver products at <u>beachwaver.com</u>.

Celebrity Interview: 'The Real' Co-Host Jeannie Mai Shares Recycling Tips and Beauty Advice





Interviewed by Lori Bizzoco. Written by Meranda Yslas.

We all know that, when we take care of ourselves, it not only makes us look good, but it makes us feel good too. And if you're single and looking for that special someone, that positive attitude and glow will project in everything you do. In our celebrity interview with *The Real* co-host, fashion expert, and reality TV star Jeannie Mai, she explains the importance of taking care of our planet by recycling and shares her best beauty advice for summer date nights.

Reality TV Star Jeannie Mai Talks About the Importance of Recycling

Mai isn't just promoting recycling for the sake of it; she's married to hunter and conservationist Freddie Harteis, who stars in the reality TV show, The Hollywood Hunter. Giving back by recycling and helping to keep our land beautiful and healthy for generations to come is something that is very dear to the celebrity couple. This beauty guru says that, for many, recycling means just throwing their cans in a separate garbage bin, but there's actually so much more to it. She explains that recycling isn't only limited to the kitchen, saying, "Most people do know that you can recycle that's fair bones. But other people don't realize you can recycle many things that happen to be in your bathroom. Today, most Americans have at least eight bottles of plastic in their bathroom." All that plastic could be used and recycled in many different ways, but unfortunately, it's ending up in the trash.

The reality TV star goes on to say, "I think that, once people are educated about it [recycling] and when they see the difference it makes, when they see what it does to relieve the amount of waste in the landfills, it will make people feel differently," she shares. Mai goes on to explain that "there are 29 million tons of plastic that end up in landfills every single year, just because we're not aware."

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Beauty Advice for Summer Date Nights

As host of the Style Network's *How Do I Look?* and digital correspondent for NBC's *Fashion Star*, Mai not only knows how beautiful it is to recycle, but she knows what women can do

to look their best when it comes to date night too. Here, she gives us her best three tips:

- 1. Take care of your skin: "When it comes to the way that you feel and the way that you look, your skin is everything," she says. "It's what your guy feels; it's what he's looking at; and it's the way that your expression glows on top of the beautiful skin on your face."
- 2. Consider the lighting: The daytime host warns, "God knows what kind of lighting you're going to walk into in that coffee shop or restaurant or wherever you're going to meet your guy! So I always focus on having a good highlighter. I love a good powder that's a little pigmented, like either a gold or a tawny bronze, just to highlight the planes of your face so that your skin shines and has that luminescent glow."
- 3. Create angel eyes: "Take a quarter-lash and just stick it on the very ends of your eye lashes so that your eyes project a beautiful, soft bedroom eye," the beauty expert explains. "It's super easy, and you don't need much makeup at all to apply them."

Exclusive Celebrity Interview: Behind-the-Scenes with *The Real*

When Mai isn't out recycling or working on her fashion segments, she is one of the five hosts on the talk show *The Real*. "Every single day before the show, we pray that the women who are watching feel like we are their girlfriends," she reveals in our celebrity interview. "It's loud; it's exciting; it's energizing; and it's funny."

The other hosts are celebs Tamar Braxton, Tamera Mowry-Housley, Loni Love, and Adrienne Bailon. The *Fashion Star* correspondent shares, "I'm learning something new about the ladies everyday. These ladies are ladies I want to know and

learn more about. I want to become more like them in different ways. It's so cool to be a part of a group of women that are just awesome in every way."

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It's not surprising, then, that Mai has created strong relationships with her fellow co-hosts. "I'm close to all of them for different reasons. If I want to talk about spirituality and motherhood or if I have questions, Tamar and Tamara are really helpful to me. Tamar also helps me to stand up for myself. Sometimes, I have problems voicing my opinion if I'm afraid it's going to hurt someone's feelings. She helps me with that — to be able to just be real and know that it comes from a good place," she candidly says. "Lonnie helps me laugh; she makes everything brighter every day. Adrienne is that girl who teaches me to have fun and party and have a good time because she does that all the time."

To get people more conscious and excited about recycling, Mai is promoting a giveaway hosted by Unilever. To enter the giveaway, contestants just have to take their picture and post it on Instagram or Twitter with the hashtags #reimaginethat and #sweeps. "All they have to do is take a picture of how they recycle," she says. "It can be in their bathroom — that's where I took mine that I put up on Instagram. It can be anywhere — by your recycling bins or by your plastic containers."

To keep up with Jeannie Mai, you can follow her on Twitter @JeannieMai. For more information regarding the giveaway, check out Unilever's website, https://brightfuture.unilever.com/.

Product Review: Check Out Selfie Tan'n Go Instant Bronzers - Just in Time for Summer!





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By Emma L. Wells

Summer is around the corner, and Selfie Tan'n Go Instant Bronzers are just what you need to be ready for some fun in the sun with your honey! This amazing beauty product will give your skin that perfect golden glow without damaging UV rays or harsh chemicals. Check out our product review below!

Product Review: Use This Beauty Product for an Instant Glow!

Selfie Tan'n Go Instant Body Bronzer from Performance Brand is alcohol-, paraben-, DHA-, and fragrance-free, so it's moisturizing for your skin and doesn't have that weird smell that so many other body bronzers have. And unlike other fake tanners, Selfie Tan'n Go uses bursting bronzing beads to eliminate streaks and make application flawless. It even has skin firming and toning properties that help reduce the visibility of fine lines and wrinkles.

Just because the weather's warmer doesn't mean we all have time to relax and catch some rays. Thanks to this instant body bronzer, you can get that beautiful sun-kissed glow in just a few minutes. It's a perfect last-minute product to use while prepping for a dinner date with your man or a pool party with your pals. Not only does Selfie Tan'n Go dry instantly, but it washes off easily with just soap and water.

With this beauty product, you're in charge of your color. Use a thin layer to get a lightly bronzed look, or try multiple applications to get a darker tan.

You'll want to complete your look with Selfie Tan'n Go Instant Face Bronzer. It can be used alone or under makeup. Similar to the Body Bronzer, it's non-comedogenic and fragrance-free and uses revolutionary bronzing beads for a swift, streak-free glow. Plus, you can easily wash it off whenever you want. Use this set of bronzers to quickly get a perfect tan from head to toe!

of Selfie Tan'n Go Instant Bronzers to help them look instantly flawless for a summer date! To enter our giveaway, complete the form on our Contact Page BEFORE 5 p.m. EST on Monday, June 1st. Pick "Giveaways" in the dropdown box and

include your address as well as "Selfie Tan'n Go Instant Bronzers Giveaway" in the message field. You may enter the contest only once. Good luck!

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Reality TV Star Lea Black Says, "Once You Find the Right Person, You've Really Got to be Committed to Having Equal Power"





By <u>Sarah Batcheller</u>

The ever-glamorous Lea Black has appeared on *The Real Housewives of Miami* since season 1. Her charm and sass — not to mention her whirlwind lifestyle among Florida's elite — have drawn audiences in. With a steady celebrity marriage and beloved thirteen-year-old son, the reality TV star has also balanced a cherished domestic life with all the glitz. She hosts an annual charity gala to raise money for troubled teens and, in addition to her philanthropic efforts, is the president and CEO of The World of Lea Black, a multi-brand company that offers everything from jewelry and handbags to beauty products.

Now, in her upcoming novel *Red Carpets & White Lies*, Black has penned a fictional depiction of the scandalous, unpredictable lives of Miami's top socialites. In this <u>exclusive celebrity interview</u>, we had the chance to speak with the newly-minted author about her book, the *Housewives*, and her best love advice.

Reality TV Star Discusses Her Glamour-Filled Upcoming Novel

The spunky Texas native believes that the city of Miami is one of the best in the world, so it's no surprise that she wanted to capture its essence in her novel. "Miami is a very complex city, and it's very international — there's a very diverse crowd," she explains. "So I think it is one of the most exciting cities in the world because it really is a gateway to Central and South America. It's so multi-cultural; you get everything from the really serious intellectuals to the people who came here wanting to live the American Dream to the riff-raff who come and go and sort of reinvent who they are."

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Of course, the best people to inspire the characters in Black's novel were none other than herself and her intriguing social circle. So we had to ask: Are her characters based off of real people? "They all are in a way," she confirms. "But they're compositions of people. I would take the personality traits of one person along with the character of another and kind of camouflage them."

Whether or not we'll see the *The Real Housewives of Miami* stars, whom readers may be able to identify in *Red Carpets & White Lies*, grace the small screen again is still up for debate. The reality TV star says, "Bravo continues to say they haven't made any decisions, and I think that's totally true. Our ratings were certainly close to some of the other shows that were renewed, so they *could* justify bringing the show back."

The network may be rethinking the cast too. "I think that some of the personalities on the show weren't as well-received by the audience as they would've hoped...and that may include me!"

she adds. Having formed friendships with other *Housewives*, including Lisa Vanderpump, whom she did business with in Los Angeles, and Kathy Wakile, it's safe to conclude that Black won't be falling off the radar anytime soon.

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Despite her busy career, her number one focus is always her family. Not only do the jewelry designer and her husband Roy love to have date nights when they travel, but they work to raise their son to be a respectable young man. "It's funny; I've sent my son twice now to etiquette and charm school! As for my husband, he does good and bad, so I point it out to my son when he does something that's not acceptable!" she reveals with a laugh. "I put a big effort into teaching my son manners. I think if you don't have an ounce of manners, then later in life, people will view you differently." As for their summer vacation plans, the family of three are planning to travel to Los Angeles, something they do each year.

Lea Black Shares Best Love Advice

The reality TV star's happy celebrity marriage can be attributed to her commitment to working at her relationship every day. She believes that communication is key. "You should communicate before things escalate, not after," she insists. "And you need to be on the same page in life. If you focus on the 'me' instead of 'we', then that relationship is not going in the right direction."

The beauty guru believes that, after you find the right person, you need balance. "Once you find the right person, you've really got to be committed to having equal power, an equal balance," she asserts. "That's why I'm so against guys who make girls sign prenups — because it situates the guy to have more power through money. You have to go in expecting both people to have an equal say."

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Black also thinks that, if you're facing disapproval from your friends and family, you need to make a decision about who's worth keeping in your life. "You have to tell your friends to support you unconditionally. If not, you can be friends with them at a distance and be amicable, but they can't be in your daily life," she believes. "If they're judging your relationship, then it'll just cause problems. If they're going to be in your life, they need to be supportive. They don't get to criticize your spouse unless it's something very serious that requires an intervention."

Keep up with Lea on Twitter_@leablackmiami and www.facebook.com/LeaBlackMiami. Don't forget to pick up a copy of Red Carpets & White Lies on May 5th!

Product Review: Smell Good on Your Next Date Night, Thanks to Sen7 Fizz!





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By Meranda Yslas

If you want to smell good while you're out on a date, on the way to a meeting, or catching up with friends for drinks, this product review of Sen7 Fizz is for you! It's not easy to carry around a big bottle of perfume, and that's where the Sen7 Fizz comes in handy.

Product Review: Carry Your Favorite Scent With You

The Sen7 Fizz is a refillable perfume atomizer — perfect for people who are always on the go but still want to smell their best. It's small enough to fit in your purse or pocket, and it can carry whatever powerful scent you like best. With its easy-to-fill system, all you need to do is twist off the spray head from any perfume that you already own, place the Sen7 Fizz on the bottle, and pump it to fill. Just like that, your favorite perfume is now ready to be used whenever and wherever!

Did your man make a last-minute reservations and you don't have time to freshen up? No problem — you can take your go-to scent with you! Pay attention to our product review and consider this dating advice. After all, the Sen7 Fizz is perfect to throw in your favorite clutch on your next date night. It's even small enough to be placed in your carry-on luggage for a flight without any hassle from security. So if you and your beau plan a fun date idea out your home state, you can be sure that you smell nice while you're gone.

The product comes in four different colors. The pink 'Sparkling Diva' atomizer is great when you're feeling flirty and fun, and your hubby can use the sleek, black 'Mr. & Mrs. Bond' holder. Find the case that matches your personality!

GIVEAWAY ALERT: One lucky reader will receive a ProductJunkies.com gift basket that includes: a Sen 7 Fizz atomizer (\$25), a variety of Maskeraide masks (\$72), and a Frais gift set (\$30). To enter our giveaway, complete the form on our Contact Page BEFORE 5 p.m. EST on Monday, May 18th. Pick "Giveaways" in the dropdown box and include your address as well as "Sen 7 Fizz Giveaway" in the message field. You may enter the contest only once. Good luck!

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Product Review: Find Out How

My Amazing Blow Dry Secret Will Save You Time





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By Emma L. Wells

Do you want a beautiful blow out without the time and hassle? Then, our product review of My Amazing Blow Dry Secret is for you! This line of haircare products from Performance Brands makes blow drying your hair easier and faster than ever, giving you more time to spend with your honey.

My Amazing Blow Dry Secret Product

Review

Prep your hair with the My Amazing Blow Dry Secret Shampoo and Conditioner. This beauty product pair uses coconut oil to lock in moisture, and as a bonus, it smells amazing. Not only does this shampoo and conditioner allow for stress-free styling, but they're color-safe too. They'll leave your hair looking shiny and feeling silky for your next date night.

The concentrated antioxidants and acai fruit extracts protect your hair from the damage and breakage often caused by heat. Sunflower seed extract stays in your hair to keep repairing it all day long. Plus, it stops hair color from fading. The My Amazing Blow Dry Secret line also uses hydrolyzed vegetable proteins to leave even the most damaged hair looking healthy and naturally voluminous.

The next step to get a salon style blowout is to use the Quick Dry Shake'n Spray. This works as a heat protector, leave-in-conditioner, and anti-static spray. It cuts blow dry time *in half* and can be used on wet, damp, or even dry hair.

Users agree that this beauty product is perfection. People love the smell and texture and attest that it really does cut down your blow dry time. That's great news for when you're rushing out the door for a date! You'll have more time to try a new lipstick color or plan the perfect outfit, and you won't have to worry about leaving your man waiting while you get ready. Happy primping!

GIVEAWAY ALERT: One lucky reader will receive a prize package of My Amazing Blow Dry Secret beauty products to help them look instantly flawless for a summer date! To enter our giveaway, complete the form on our Contact Page BEFORE 5 p.m. EST on Monday, May 4th. Pick "Giveaways" in the dropdown box and include your address as well as "My Amazing Blow Dry Secret Giveaway" in the message field. You may enter the contest only once. Good luck!

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Product Review: Get Beautiful Hair Like Your Favorite Stars with MACVOIL and Cure.Ology!





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By Jenna Bagcal and Shirley Leung

Whether you're preparing for a hot dinner date or just need a quick pick-me-up for your frizzy tresses, you'll definitely want to check out these hair care essentials from MACVOIL and Cure.Ology. If you want to emulate that shiny and thick hair that you see on all your favorite stars in celebrity photos, read more in our product review and discover why you should try the MACVOIL anti-aging products and the Cure.Ology voluminous hair care line.

Product Review: Get Healthy Hair with MACVOIL and Cure.Ology!

Healthy, beautiful hair is an important thing to maintain, but hair care needs are unique to each individual. This product review targets two of the biggest problems that women have when dealing their hair: frizzy texture and a lack of volume. With these products from MACVOIL and Cure.Ology, you can increase your confidence and say "goodbye" to your hair woes. Think about how great you'll look and feel on your next date too!

When you're browsing your favorite celebrity gossip websites, they are filled with images of A-listers who have shiny and silky tresses. If your hair is looking dull and lackluster, check out the anti-aging hair care line from MACVOIL that works to reverse the damaging effects of the environment and excessive heat styling. These products have everything that you'll need to restore the healthy oils and nutrients that you hair loses over time. Plus, they encourage healthy hair growth from the root. When used in tandem, these items will ensure your hair is in its healthiest state possible.

If you find that you hair is a bit limp and lifeless, then the Cure.Ology voluminous set can put the desired bounce back into your tired locks, thanks to their special "keratin nanotechnology." This three-piece set from Cure.Ology includes the voluminous shampoo, conditioner, and spray and is

recommended for women with normal or fine hair textures. The products are made from a range of beneficial ingredients, such as oats, whole wheat, quinoa, vitamins, and Omega-3. They will give you the boost of volume and texture that you are looking for!

The hair care lines from MACVOIL and Cure.Ology are safe for use on color-treated hair and are never tested on animals. All products are also paraben free and contain only natural ingredients.

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Katie Maloney of 'Vanderpump Rules' Opens Up About Her Relationship and Love Life:

"I'm Confident Now That a Proposal is Coming"





Interview by Lori Bizzoco. Written by Emma L. Wells.

After an emotional ride on season three of the popular Bravo reality TV series *Vanderpump Rules*, <u>Katie Maloney</u> seems better than ever! She took some time to talk with CupidsPulse.com about the biggest moments of last season, her relationship with Tom Schwartz and what's next for them as a <u>celebrity couple</u>.

Katie Maloney Discusses Her

Relationship and Love Life and Reality TV Show

There were many points during last season where the fate of Maloney's relationship and love life with Schwartz was unclear. Viewers had watched the reality star give her boyfriend a six-month proposal ultimatum on the show. "When that came about, I was fed up and really frustrated," the reality TV star explains. After the complete story of his infidelity finally came out, Maloney admits that she was at the end of her rope: "I was like, 'Okay, well, how many blows can I take and still be patient and understanding and work at this with you?' There were all these bombs coming out of left field!"

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Confirms That She and Tom Schwartz Are Still Together!

In January, the beauty guru wrote about her celebrity romance in her Bravo blog: "I had to completely turn my attention and priorities towards our relationship and assess everything. Rebuilding my relationship was the most important thing to me. So in order to move forward, both in head and heart, I had to forgive everyone. Not for them but for me... For me, I cannot move forward and grow and learn if I do not swallow my pride and forgive and accept. I did this for myself and for my relationship. Tom on his own was making moves to preserve our relationship, and this was my contribution to our growth."

And while her deadline has come and gone without an engagement ring, she seems optimistic about her future with Schwartz. "I'm confident now that a proposal is coming," she shares. "We're in the best place that we've been in. We went through hell, and we decided that our relationship is important to us both. We're committed equally to it, and I think we're more in love than we have been."

Fans of *Vanderpump Rules* know that the famous couple have, of course, talked about their eventual engagement. Maloney says that she is a sucker for watching the crazy flash mob proposals on YouTube, but she has a different idea for her own special day. "I want him to do something that's representative of us and that he wants to do," she admits.

When it comes to their wedding day, she'd like it to be "completely stress-free. We get married, and then we party!" The pair hasn't completely ruled out getting married on reality TV though. "We'll see," she cryptically responds when asked if her walk down the aisle will be seen on *Vanderpump Rules*.

She also reveals that they have talked about having a family. "I definitely want us to enjoy being married for a bit before we start having kids. And that's why I want to get the ball moving — I'm young, but I'm not getting younger!" she says with a laugh.

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<u>About Oscar Picks and Wedding Plans</u>

It's no surprise that Maloney feels that the issues she faced last year, both in her romantic relationship and in her friendships, have allowed her to grow as a person. She cites the difficulties with Schwartz as the turning point and shares, "Instead of letting it destroy me or devastate me, I'd rather use it to empower me. I want to focus on my strength and happiness and really begin to let go of the petty drama. I realize now that life is short."

That new mindset is one of the reasons why she decided to bury the hatchet with Scheana Marie and go to Miami, even though it ended her friendship with Stassi Schroeder. "At the end of the day, if it's going to be something that dumb that causes Stassi to toss out an amazing friend, then you know what? Sorry I'm not sorry," she comments.

Vanderpump Rules Star Katie Maloney Has Big Plans for the Future

It's not just Maloney's romantic life that's coming together. "I'm at a point right now where I'm thinking, 'What are you going to do next?'" she shares of her career path. Outside of working at Sur, she's still focusing on her beauty blog Pucker & Pout, which offers makeup and fashion advice and might soon be broadening into health-conscious content like meditation, yoga, and exercise. "I've been brainstorming other ideas, little ventures I can do," she adds. "It would be so much fun to a do a line of cosmetics or hair care products, but it's a huge undertaking." While the blog is definitely her passion, she doesn't know much about the business side of things. "I just like to put makeup on and be creative," she confesses.

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Her work on Pucker & Pout is something that viewers of the show don't really get to see. "That stuff would be fun to have on *Vanderpump Rules*, but there's not a lot of drama in it," she explains. "Sometimes, I wish we could show more of the personal endeavors and things outside of the show. I think it's important because we all are people who are creative, talented, and smart and work at a restaurant to supplement our income."

Speaking of the hit reality TV show, fans of *Vanderpump Rules* are dying to know if there will be another season. The most recent season received such high ratings and viewership that many would be surprised if it Bravo didn't renew it. When asked if she'd sign on for season four, she enthusiastically responds, "Of course!"

Keep up with Katie on Twitter @MusicKillsKate, and don't

Achieve Flawless Skin this Holiday Season with Jergens and Make Your Man Fall Even More in Love with You!





This post is presented by Jergens.

By <u>Sarah Batcheller</u>

What is beautiful about the holidays is that it gives everyone in love a lot of moments in the spotlight with their beau — moments ranging from office parties to family gatherings to alone time by the tree. This can be a problem, though, if you haven't prepared your skin for all of that attention. Luckily, <u>Jergens</u> is here to help you achieve flawless skin with just one perfect product.

Picture this: You're standing under the mistletoe, and your man comes and wraps his arms around you. You've been waiting for that perfect holiday kiss, but now, all you can think of are those dry spots right around your elbows. Or maybe, you've finally pulled out the sparkly mini-dress that you've been anticipating wearing to your honey's holiday gettogether, but the open back exposes dark spots on your skin that don't match your outfit. Your old BB cream didn't go on sheer, so you were afraid to use it on these noticeable areas of your body. Ladies, put down that product (better yet, toss it in the trash) and pick up Jergens® BB Body Perfecting Skin Cream instead!



Jergens® BB Body Perfecting Skin Cream

Jergens® BB Body Perfecting Skin Cream will not only hydrate and illuminate your skin as soon as you put it on, but it will firm, even, and correct it after only five days of use. Plus, it dries quickly, so there's no need to adjust your usual morning routine to avoid staining your clothes. Better yet, this BB cream goes on sheer and adjusts to your skin tone, so you won't look like you just tried to rub pudding on

yourself before that holiday party. Instead, the combination of shea butter, skin-smoothing emollients, and Jergens Firm Perfecting Complex combine to give you luminous, smooth, and firm skin.

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	2. ILLUMINATE	Provides subtle sheen to illuminate all skin tones	
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BB Cream Color Chart for Skin Tones.

Celebrity makeup artist Pati Dubroff swears by this product, so much so that she uses it on her own clients in order to prepare them for the red carpet. Celebrities, including Dakota Johnson, the star of 50 Shades of Grey, have been turned on to this product by Dubroff. At an InStyle event on October 28th, the beauty guru discussed this fabulous product with the guests.



Pati Dubroff speaks to guests at recent InStyle event. Photo courtesy of Single Edition Media.

Jergens® BB Body Perfecting Skin Cream can be found at your local Target or CVS. You can Like Jergens on Facebook and discover even more information about these fabulous products!

Get Five Visible Skin Perfecting Benefits in Just Five Days





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By Ann Luther

Nothing sparks this girl's confidence like flawless, beautiful skin can. When my skin is at its best from face to feet, I feel like a stunner, and I am ready to take on the world. When I want that coveted, effortlessly perfect look, I have always been a worshiper of the BB cream, but, until now, I have only been able to find it for my face. Now, for the very first time in the United States, I can enjoy skin that's deeply hydrated, illuminated, visibly firm, even, and virtually flawless by

using this all-in-one moisturizer for my face *and* body! It's <u>Jergens BB Body Perfecting Skin Cream</u>, and it is fabulous.

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I love it because it is so easy to get and use. I pick it up at my local grocery store, but you can get it at any mass retailer or drugstore nationwide for only \$12.99. It is a total steal for what you're getting out of it: five visible skin perfecting benefits in just five days. You can literally start using it on Monday and begin showing yourself off by Friday night. Also, it smells delicious. It's made with shea butter and coconut water and it makes my man go wild. What more could a girl ask for? Nothing!

I kept going on and on about my new radiant skin, so one of my co-workers April decided to go out and try it for herself. She called me about a week later and was raving, "You were so right! My skin has never looked or felt this good." Now, she's telling all of her friends about it. We are both obsessed and trying to bring everyone we know aboard the Jergens BB Body Perfecting Skin Cream train. Won't you join us?

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Enhances Skin's Radiance With New Jergens Shea Beauty Oil





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By April Littleton

With the heat of the summer quickly approaching, our skin is preparing to go to war. The harsh sunlight and the extended hours baking in the sun aren't exactly promoting healthy skincare. So what happens when you have a big date coming up, and your skin resembles a dried out jellyfish? Don't fear, we have found a true summer treasure for you!

A deeply-hydrating beauty oil for lustrous and visibly radiant skin is the answer to all of your dry-skin worries. The latest addition to the Jergens® Shea Butter Collection, new <u>Jergens Shea Beauty Oil</u> is guaranteed to indulge your skin in the sweetest of treats. Delivering an amplified radiance visibly noticeable moisturizing strength and coveted sheen, giving you younger-looking and better feeling skin.

This unique body luminizer quenches your skin's thirst with six times more radiance, sheen, and hydration. Thus giving your skin an irresistibly touchable feel that your man won't be able to keep his hands off of.

The best part is this lightweight, fast absorbing beauty oil for the body harnesses the nourishing and sheen enhancing ingredient, Argan Oil, and combining it with the conditioning and illuminating ingredient, Shea Butter. This dynamic duo is bound to keep your man's eyes locked on you all night long.

This summer's survival secret is available in all major retail and grocery stores nationwide, with skin's best defense again dry summer skin bottled up for a mere price of \$9.99.

Giveaway: Get a Fabulous Tan This Summer with Fake Bake





This post is sponsored by Fake Bake.

By Louisa Gonzales

If you're worried about looking fabulous enough this summer to catch the attention of your dream guy, look no further than Fake Bake! With the help of these products, you won't have to dread showing some skin in those cut-off shorts and new bikini. The line's main goal is to give you the richest looking tan without the sun.

Each of its products are crafted to work for all skin types with no streaking. Not only do their self-tanning lotions and sprays have botanically-extracted ingredients and absolutely no preservatives, they also moisturize, hydrate, and protect the body without clogging the pores or irritating the most sensitive skin. So, don't let negativity about your appearance prevent you from asking out your crush! Instead, invest in Fake Bake to look and feel your best.

First, protect yourself against the suns harmful UVA & UVB rays with the non-greasy, fast setting, SOL Survivor SPF-30 "Sun Block" — perfect for a beach date. The Gelee Daily Body

Wash is a full body cleanser designed to balance the skin's PH and maintain your tan for longer than ever. The Bamboo Buffing Polish, which can be used daily or only once a week and still be effective, renews your skin while getting rid of impurities to leave it smooth.

Additionally, the Flawless & Platinum Face and Application Mitt can be used together to help create a perfectly even tan, formulated with Fake Bake's very own triple fan formula for a better and longer tan. The Tanning Body Butter is designed with shea butter to "Butter-Your-Body-Bronze" and moisturize dry skin. Lastly, the Airbush Self-Tanning Spray is made with ingredients to bond with your skin's pigment so it can result in a tan that is more luxurious and natural-looking than you and your beau can imagine.

Lucky for you, one reader will have the chance to win a complete beach bundle from Fake Bake. Together, these products will ensure that your sweetheart can't look away!

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Interview: Beauty Expert Kym Douglas Says, "Fall in Love as Often as You Can"





Interview by Brittany Stubbs. Written by Laura Seaman.

Kym Douglas, known around the world for her beauty expertise, is a woman of many talents, as shown by her frequent television appearances, radio spots, and multiple books. Her motto "bliss happens" is an inspiration to people everywhere as she helps them find ways to be healthy, feel beautiful, and live their lives to the fullest. As she says in our exclusive celebrity interview, "It's not about trying to look younger; it's about trying to look your best."

Exclusive Celebrity Interview with Beauty Expert

The beauty guru started out on *The Ellen Degeneres Show* nine years ago on a one-time guest segment. "Ellen isn't interested in lipstick and rouge or beauty products. It's never going to work,' everyone kept telling me. But the moral of the story is similar to dating: You might count someone out because of your differences, but it may turn out to be something great." And now, Douglas is the show's only regular contributor and says that she and the host bring out the best in each other.

Fans may also recognize the beautiful blonde from *Home & Family* on the Hallmark Channel. "I think it's a wonderful show," she says. "It's just so real — real values, real issues. There's beauty, cooking, making your home reflective of who you are inside."

Kym Douglas Shares Beauty Tips and Dating Advice

Being the expert on beauty, we asked the TV personality to share some of her summer secrets for looking your best — and she drew from personal experience. Recently, Degeneres sent her to Hawaii for a segment, and her hair had trouble with the heat. However, a dab of deodorant along her hairline and on her neck kept the sweat from frizzing up her luscious locks.

Another seemingly odd beauty tip involves egg whites. "Before a date night with my husband, I'll wear a mask of whipped egg whites on my face. It helps tighten up my skin so I feel comfortable wearing less makeup." And we all know: The less makeup you pile on, the less chance that it will melt off in the heat. An easy and inexpensive way to conquer the summer weather!

When it comes to summer makeup trends, Douglas knows exactly what's in this season. "The biggest thing is dark, full brows," she says. Everything else on the face is muted and light to give your eyes a great pop without having to wear a lot of heavy makeup.

In terms of hairstyles, Douglas says it's all about the braids — "whether it's a braid wrapped around the crown of your hair or a small braid on the side." No surprise there, as we've already seen celebrities like Beyonce and Blake Lively rock this style.

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While these trends may come and go, Douglas notes one simple trend that's here to stay: "I really think that, if I had to sum it up in one word, I would say that 'fresh' is the goal for beauty. Try to look fresh!" she explains in our exclusive celebrity interview.

This summer look is bound to get a man's attention, and Douglas knows a thing or two about a summer relationship and love. In her experience, summer love was always the best type of love. "It was something about the free feeling and the happiness of summer. I always fell in love with a new guy, and he would be the love of my life at that time." Douglas still remembers the names of them all and encourages others to enjoy their summer flings: "Fall in love as often as you can!"

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Marriage: "Remember What Made You Fall in Love"

Since then, Douglas has found the real love of her life and started a family. She now "has it all" with her husband, her son, and her successful career. She had always wanted these things but didn't know how to make it happen. So when she first went on *The View*, she looked to Barbara Walters for life and relationship advice. "I asked her what it took, and she

told me, 'You can have it all; you really can. You just can't have it all at the same time.' I really took those words to heart."

You can see Kym Douglas regularly on Hallmark Channel's Home & Family weekdays at 10 am ET/PT.

What's Your Sign? Get Gel Nails With NaiLuv At-Home Professional Gel Kit & Zodiac Collection





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By Liz Kim

Think that you can get fabulous gel nails only at the salon? Think again! CupidsPulse.com and NaiLuv have teamed up to bring you the ultimate gel nail giveaway. With their easy-to-use Gel Nail Polish 9-Piece Complete Kit and their Zodiac Collection of 12 colors, you'll have fabulous and long-lasting gel nails all year-round.

Gel polish has been a beauty buzzword for quite some time now — and for good reason. It's a safer alternative to acrylics because, even when the gel polish is removed, your nails are left stronger and harder than with acrylics, which can leave nails feeling thin and brittle. Gel polishes are created to stay on longer and don't wear off or dent as easily as regular manicures. You're also left with a shiny and smoother looking manicure.

But gel nails can be on the pricey end, especially if you regularly go to the salon. With NaiLuv's kit, you'll save money without having to sacrifice beautiful nails. If you're

the type that loves to have a new nail color with every outfit, these products give you the polished look of painted nails without the commitment to a color.

The Gel Nails Starter Kit includes all of the essentials to achieve a perfect manicure at home, including: a four-watt Battery Powered LED lamp, NaiLuv gel polish "Homebody Not" (15 mL), dual purpose base/top coat (15 mL), bonder (15 mL), cleanser (60 mL), remover (60 mL), cuticle stick, and nail file. The directions couldn't be simpler! Prep your nails with the cuticle stick and buffer. Then, apply a thin layer of the bonder, followed by the "Homebody Not" polish. Place your nails under the LED light. Add the topcoat and place your nails under the LED light again. You'll have a salon-worthy manicure that won't smudge or dull in just about 10 minutes.

If you're into astrology, you can share your sign with your nails! Along with the at-home gel kit, NaiLuv is also giving away their Zodiac Collection polish set. The 12 shades are heavily pigmented and guaranteed to satisfy even the most stubborn of Tauruses. NaiLuv's polishes last for up to two weeks, and with such smooth application, you won't have to worry about bubbling, inconsistent drying, or runniness.

After a long winter of gloves and hands stuffed into coat pockets, it's time for you to show off your nails and welcome summer with bright, beautiful gel manicures. With NaiLuv, achieving a professional look is as easy as 1-2-3!

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Congratulations to our winner Elisabeth Bender!!!

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Giveaway: Lipo-Lotion and Measurable Difference Will Get You Ready for Summer!





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By Liz Kim

If you aren't one of the lucky few who seem to have gorgeous tank top weather year-round, the prospect of summer can be a little intimidating. After a long hibernation, it's normal to feel self-conscious about the lumps and bumps Old Man Winter seems to bring with him each year. Worry no more! Thanks to Lipo-Lotion's Tummy Toning & Cellulite Smoothing System, you'll be able to get rid of those perky problem areas.

No matter how many lunges, squats, or dumbbell curls you do, cellulite always seems to rear its ugly head. With Lipo-Lotion's amazingly effective formula of amino acids, vitamins, natural marine extracts, and caffeine, in as little as two to four weeks, the look of dimpling will not only be reduced, but stretch marks will also be moisturized and smoothed. Most importantly, this body toning cream energizes the skin and helps to improve overall elasticity, texture, and tone. A massaging applicator is also included to enhance the cream's benefits.

Now that we've smoothed and firmed that body, let's move on to the windows to the soul: the eyes. Make-up artists and aficionados alike say that healthy thick brows and lashes not only frame the face but can also help you appear more youthful. This mega giveaway also includes four lash products and two brow products from Measurable Difference. With the complete line of brow and lash enhancing products, you'll be beach-date ready in no time!

The changing of seasons is the perfect time to revamp your beauty routine, so don't be afraid to try some new looks! To bring attention to your lashes, consider using the Lash & Brow Amplifying Serum, the Instant Lash Extensions, the Lash Enhancing Mascara & Primer, and Lash Amplifying Liquid Eyeliner —all with Regenalash. For bolder brows, use Brow Amplifying Tint & Lift, also with Regenalash. So what exactly is Regenelash? It's a peptide complex designed to nourish and condition lashes and brows for healthier, longer-looking lashes and fuller-looking brows in just four to six weeks.

This summer, Lipo-Lotion and Measurable Difference have got you covered from head to toe!

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Be Fun, Flirty, and Confident with Juicy Couture Malibu Collection!





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By Laura Seaman

Give everyone around you a taste of your free spirit with Juicy Couture's Malibu Collection fragrances. With your fresh and fruity smell, there'll be no doubt that you're a fun-loving girl ready to go out and seize the day. That's exactly who single guys are looking for this summer: someone who's flirty and ready for anything!

Be the confident star you always knew you could be with these two scents that will take you back to the California coast — even if you're in a tiny East Coast bar trying to catch that cutie's attention. Let his mind wander past the smell of beer and over the sound of the baseball game and into the image of you two sitting on a sunny Los Angeles beach with strawberry daiquiris in your hands.

Put on a spritz of Juicy Couture Malibu before you leave for your first date. He might be expecting to see you all dolled up, but what he *isn't* expecting is a blast of watermelon, pink

passion fruit, and jasmine flowers to announce your presence. When you walk over to greet him, he probably won't know how to react, so just be ready to pick his jaw up off the floor.

When he asks to see you again (which we know he will), keep him guessing with a completely new scent. Spray a little Couture La La Malibu to entice him with the smell of red currant, orange blossom, and pink sugar crystals. Don't be surprised when he sticks to your side all night — he just can't get enough of you!

Now, for the best part: CupidsPulse.com is giving away both of these fragrances, Juicy Couture Malibu and Couture La La Malibu, to one lucky reader! These perfumes are sure to bring out that confident and sexy California girl in anyone, and no man can resist that. Let yourself stand out and shine this summer!

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Bravo Reality TV Star Tabatha Coffey Says It's Important to

"Connect and Continue to Get to Know Your Partner"





By Brittany Stubbs

Celebrity hairstylist Tabatha Coffey is more than just an expert on bouncy curls and shiny locks. Known for her business expertise and tough-love approach while helping restore struggling salons on Bravo's reality TV show Tabatha Takes Over, it's no wonder the questions from viewers inspired the star to put her profitable advice on paper. In her new book Own It! Be the Boss of Your Life — Home and in the Workplace, she provides readers with the tools to be successful not only in their professional lives but in their personal lives as well.

Exclusive Celebrity Interview with Reality TV Star

"Living a successful and well-balanced life is, to me, what it's all about," she shares in our exclusive celebrity interview. With so many people today struggling with work-life balance, Coffey believes her book will empower readers of all kinds, whether they're looking to move up in a current career, they're fresh out of college, or they're stay-at-home mothers. More than just a catchy title, she shows readers how to "own it," teaching them how to take control and responsibility for their own lives.

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Night Looks

While her blunt honesty has often been perceived as bitchiness, she says that "it's always in the name of helping someone." Whether giving a new haircut to make a woman feel beautiful or guiding a failing business owner towards a fresh start, the author has always been passionate and motivated by any activity that can empower people.

But empowering people sometimes requires a harsh reality check. "It's just my tough love that comes from a place of wanting people to move forward," she admits. "I truly understand when people get upset by some of the things I say because change is hard. Sometimes, people who ask for my help don't really want to hear the truth, but they need to hear it in order to make changes and become successful."

Speaking of asking for help, we couldn't help but pick the hairstylist's brain for a few summer hair tips. After all, it is her expertise! When it comes to managing hair in the hot and humid months to come, "it's all about using the right product to protect your hair in the sun, especially if you have color in your hair. There are many products out there

that will help minimize the fading you're going to get from the sun." While it might seem like your hair is constantly in the water between pool parties and trips to the beach, she encourages you to rehydrate your hair with a great conditioner or treatment too.

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One thing Coffey loves about summer is embracing a more casual look. Whether you're letting your hair air-dry, rocking a messy ponytail, or just slicking back short hair, try using a leave-in conditioner to get a nice treatment in your hair and a smooth result without a bunch of mousse or gel. The reality TV star assures us that this hair trend will be spotted in Hollywood as well. "We'll definitely see waves, especially more casual, beachy waves that allow movement and more of a natural texture to the hair as opposed to being so formal and so done with a curling iron."

Another great, summer go-to style that she predicts celebrities will be wearing is ponytails. Whether high or low, with or without a part, "ponytails are a great summer trend and can look incredibly chic, even if you're wearing an evening gown."

Tabatha Coffey Shares Her Best Dating Advice

Although hair and business have been her main focus, Coffey stresses the importance of still making time for a relationship and love life. Being with the same partner for over a decade, she has learned that it's important to avoid routines. "The longer you've been in a relationship with someone, the easier it is to get in the habit of just doing your duties and going about your daily routine side-by-side," she explains of her best dating advice. "I think it's

important to make an effort to go to the movies or go out to dinner and spend time connecting and continuing to get to know your significant other better instead of just the daily updates that we all seem to do."

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While the Australian native believes in scheduling time for your partner, she encourages you to not forget about yourself too. "It's often easier to just focus on work or on putting other people first, but you can't put yourself on the back burner." Whether it's five minutes of meditating a day or just enjoying a cup of tea, you need to take time to reenergize and do something nice for yourself.

Still, she knows with today's constant connection to our phones and tablets that this is often easier said than done. You have to work to find out what works best for you. For Coffey, one of her activities of choice is playing Candy Crush. "I'm obsessed," she says with a laugh — but sometimes, that's all she needs.

To purchase Coffey's book Own It!, check it out on Amazon. You can keep up with the hairstylist on Twitter @tabathacoffey.

Giveaway: Get Your Best Skin with Savane Organic Skincare





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By Louisa Gonzales

It's no secret that you spend a lot of time outdoors in the summertime and are thus exposed to the harsh rays of the sun, which can be damaging to your skin. That's not what you want when you're hoping to get that sun-kissed tan that will have you looking hot for your beau. But don't worry! Savane Organic Skincare will rejuvenate your skin and give you a fresh look that's perfect for the warmer season.

The Savane Range collection blends together ancient and traditional knowledge with modern green science to give you Africa's unique botanicals in their most natural form. The products work hard to penetrate the skin to help restructure, regenerate, and revitalize it. The main goals of these items are to protect your skin, to help in the fight against premature aging, and to restore the skin to its natural balance.

There's no need to let unhealthy skin get in the way of your summer romance. Instead, invest in the Gentle Exfoliant,

Purifying Toner, and Protective Moisturizer from the Savane Range collection. First, the exfoliant, made with Rooibos flakes and sugar, will gently polish your skin without damaging it. It'll also stimulate cell rejuvenation and soften your skin, thanks to the Marula and Jojoba oils.

The toner, which is one hundred percent natural, will brighten up tired and dull skin. It's job is to refresh and even out your complexion. The product's powerful antioxidants — aspalathin and super-oxide dismutase — will help prevent premature aging and fight to protect your skin against all of the hazardous things that we face daily, like pollution, smoke, sun exposure, and stress.

Finally, lather up with the moisturizer. It will give your skin the deep hydration it needs to look radiant. The antioxidants from Rooibos and Baobab protect the skin against damaging free radicals, while the Manketti and Yangu oil protect it from the sun. Plus, the Kigelia tightens your skin and can repair the damages caused by the sun.

CupidsPulse.com will be giving away these three Savane products to one lucky reader. Before you know it, you'll have healthier and smoother skin. You'll also have the confidence you need to attract the attention of your crush and to feel comfortable in your own skin!

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Giveaway: Smell Great with Clique by Roblé Perfume





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By Louisa Gonzales

Looking for the right scent that will show off just how amazing you are? Accentuate your style with Clique by Roblé, the sweet perfume created by Chef Roblé. It's no surprise that the celebrity chef, caterer, and reality star added fragrance maker to his resume. His background makes him more than qualified to produce an alluring scent. So grab a bottle of

this new scent and catch the attention of your crush!

Roblé, who partnered with a top perfumer to create the fragrance, was heavily involved in the process and made sure that he had the perfect balance of scents from his favorite culinary creations. In fact, many of the ingredients in Clique by Roblé can also be found in his kitchen: citrus, herbs, spices and even flowers, to name a few.

The chef strove to develop an insatiable fragrance that has the freshness of a citrus cocktail with a captivating and sensual dessert base. This brilliant idea was derived from one of his favorite signature dessert recipes: French Toast Crunch. To finalize this winning combination, he didn't rely on so-called experts; instead, he invited over 100 female fans of all ages and lifestyles to preview the product before picking out the clear winner, Clique by Roblé. With this gourmet scent, you'll smell delicious to anyone you walk by and leave a lasting impression on the object of your affection.

Lucky for you, one reader will have the chance to win a bottle of Clique by Roblé. The intoxicating scent will ignite your senses as well as your beau's, no matter what your date night holds!

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Giveaway: Dress Up Your Nails for Date Night with OPI's Brazil Collection!





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By Louisa Gonzales

Winter is coming to a close, and spring is almost here. Soon, it will be time to put away those scarves and coats and bust out your tank tops and cut-off shorts. Your choice of clothes doesn't have to be the only thing that changes: Try spicing up your manicures and pedicures too! OPI's new Brazil collection will help brighten up your style and make your nails and toes stand out in a crowd. Best of all, CupidsPules.com is giving

away this amazing collection to one lucky reader.

<u>OPI</u> is the renowned world leader in professional nail care and provides only the best quality of products for their customers. Along with being affordable, the nail colors are luxuriously rich, chip resistant, and long-lasting. Once you try these polishes, you'll never go back to plain and dull nails again!

The OPI Brazil collection brings together a pallatte that reminds you of the colorful, tropical rain forests and sunny, sandy beaches of paradise. The box set includes 12 nail lacquers with fashionable colors ranging from bright hues of red, pink, coral, orange, and yellow to earthy tones of taupe, sienna, mocha, and jungle green. With so many choices, you'll be sure to find a polish that can work for any outfit and occasion.

When it comes to impressing your man on date night, this collection will add the extra pop of color to your little black dress or dark skinny jeans. Show your confident side with colors such as *Toucan Do It If You Try*, a bright orange that will grab your beau's attention. Or light up the room by using *Just Can't Cope-acabana*, a bright yellow that's fun and will make you shine. With these polishes, you'll look cute for whatever adventure comes your way.

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