Celebrity Couple Jay-Z & Beyonce Open Grammy's with 'Drunk in Love' Performance





By Louisa Gonzales

The 2014 Grammy's started off with a bang with a duet by Jay-Z and wife Beyonce on Sunday. Although Jay-Z was the one up for multiple awards this year for his *Holy Grail* album, the lovebirds both shared the glory up on stage. According to *UsMagazine.com*, the celebrity power couple performed a special track for the first time from Beyonce's late December surprise album, "Drunk in Love".

How can music help keep the spark alive in your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

When you first get together with your partner it feels new, fresh and exhilarating. However, after a while you can find yourselves falling into a rut in terms of your love life, especially when you have been dating for a long time. A couple needs passion and excitement to keep their love alive. How can one keep their relationship from becoming dull and boring? Cupid has some advice on how music can help keep the spark alive in your relationship:

1. Make each other mix-cd's: Music is inspirational and speaks to many people. A songs lyrics can also reflect on how you view life, yourself or someone else. It could be fun to make each other a mix-cd that reflects on how you feel about one another and about your relationship. You can also pick out songs you would love to introduce to your lover, it can be a fun way to learn more about each other and connect in new ways.

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2. Write each other a song or sing to each other: If you two are feeling more on the creative side, it might be exciting to write or sing each other a song. Many people love being sang to or having a song created just for them, as it makes them feel special and loved. It can also be good to express your feeling on paper and get them out by singing them out loud to one another. Karaoke is another option, you can even sing a duet together. Have some fun, let loose and don't take yourselves too seriously. Remember you are doing this to have a good time and try something new.

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3. Set the mood with music: Have you ever tried playing some music to help put you in the "mood" or spark up passion? Try playing some relaxing, sexy or up-beat tunes to lighten up the

atmosphere and put you both on the same wavelength, especially when you are hoping to spend some private and intamate time together. It can help with loosing you both up and setting the right mood. Pick a song that works for both you and go from there, music has the power to change your moods so pick wisely.

Do you think music can help keep your relationship's spark alive? Share your reasons on how below.

Teresa and Joe Giudice Ask Judge for Separate Trials





By Brittany Stubbs

The Real Housewives of New Jersey stars, Teresa and Joe Giudice, are facing up to 50 years in jail for 41 counts of fraud including loan and bankruptcy fraud. The couple recently filed motions to conduct separate trials in the federal indictment against them, People reports. According to the court document: "Should the trails be severed, Mr. Giudice has affirmed his willingness to testify as to Teresa's involvement in the alleged criminal activity. He would be unable to do so in a joint trial wherein his Fifth Amendment rights are invoked." Simplified, Joe's declaration states that he will testify that his wife had no knowledge or involvement in the fraud. Although there is currently no word as to whether or not their request for separate trials was approved, the couple will return to court on April 9.

How do you support your partner through legal troubles?

Cupid's Advice:

While marriage by itself has many challenges, adding a court room and lawsuits definitely taxes on some issues. It is during these times you must remain supportive and remind yourself of those vows: for richer or poorer, for better or worse:

1. Keep communicating: You most likely have many other voices in your ear right now, whether it be lawyers, family members, or friends. Remember your partner's voice at this time and the importance of your communication. Whether you feel unstable, scared, or emotionally drained, it's important that you and your partner can both discuss these feelings with one another.

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2. Keep your life as normal as possible: Although there are

obvious changes that occur with legal troubles, you can show your support by continuing to be there for your partner just like you always have been. Whether that means cooking them dinner, leaving sweet notes, or simply asking about their day, it's important during unstable times to make life at home feel as secure as possible.

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3. Don't talk to the media: Maybe you don't have photographers and reporters following you around like the Giudice family, but you still have your own "media" you must choose your words carefully around. Sharing personal information about legal troubles in a marriage can often result in tension in your relationship. There's always the possibility of repeated information or rumors that will only harm an already difficult situation. So turn your attention away from others and focus on supporting your partner.

How do you support your partner through legal troubles? Share your thoughts below.

Former 'Bachelorette' Trista Sutter Says Struggles Made Her Grateful





By Brittany Stubbs

It has been ten years and two kids since we watched Trista Rehn and Ryan Sutter fall in love on *The Bachelorette*. Although the wife and mother is living her happy ending, she has been through hard times that changed her life and ultimately made her a more grateful person. After struggling with infertility, and later, a difficult pregnancy and scary delivery, Trista began to embrace gratitude in a whole new way, *People* shares. She has not only opened up about how thankful she is for her struggles, her children, and little moments in her everyday life, but she is especially thankful for meeting Ryan. "It's an understatement to say I hit the jackpot," she says. "I want to be a better person because he is sucha a good person. He is the top of my list of things I'm grateful for."

How do disagreements and arguments make your relationship stronger?

Cupid's Advice:

It's hard to see the benefits of hard times while you're in

the middle of them, but it's important to remember that these are the moments that allow us to grow and ultimately benefit in the end:

1. They show a relationship's strength: Nobody likes to fight with their partner, but when you overcome conflicts, big or small, you show what your relationship is made of and prove you can get through anything.

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2. They result in communication: Although it may be through yelling or snide comments in the case of an argument, communication is communication. Arguments are hard, but they often force you and your partner to express how you truly feel, and in the end, that communication is key to making your relationship stronger.

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3. They prove you have something worth keeping: If you've been through difficult times as a couple, by sticking around and continuing to work on your relationship, you're proving that you both believe you have something worth the struggle. When disagreements or arguments arise in the future, you can look back on what you've already overcome and remind yourself there's a reason you haven't let go.

How has a disagreement or argument made a relationship in your life stronger? Share your experiences below.

Pete Wentz Hints at Marrying Model Girlfriend Meagan Camper





By Brittany Stubbs

Just because love went wrong the first time doesn't mean there isn't hope for the future. This comes to mind as <u>UsMagazine.com</u> reports that Pete Wentz, ex-husband of Ashlee Simpson and father of her 5-year-old son, is possibly taking the next step with his current model girlfriend, Maegan Camper. Wentz and Simpson were married for three years before finalizing their divorce in November of 2011, and have both found new relationships since. When asked whether he plans to get married again, Wentz replied, "I think so. I mean, we talk about it a lot. I feel really lucky. It's, like, really

interesting [to be] in a relationship with someone who is truly my best friend. Like, I talk to her about everything. She will tell me when I'm being not so insane, and sometimes she's like, 'You're being a little bit insane.' It's very helpful."

How do you know the right time to pop the question?

Cupid's Advice:

Just because you found the right person, doesn't mean it's the perfect time for a marriage proposal. Consider these situations when determining if it's the right time for your relationship to take that next step:

1. Financially secure: Granted, money isn't everything, but when planning to begin a life with someone (and planning the celebration of it), it's important to be at a place where you feel both comfortable and financially stable. Money problems can not only have influence on the future wedding details, but it's also an extremely stressful time, which is not the state of mind one should be in when getting excited about an engagement.

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2. Your relationship is stable: Many couples will try and get engaged to fix their problems when they're going through a rough patch, but their conflicts will still be there at the end of the day. If you've been going strong for a significant amount of time without any serious fights or having to "take a break," this is a sign your relationship might be ready to take the next step. You and your partner should feel strong and secure as a couple before popping the question.

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3. You lack hesitation: If thinking about getting engaged

fills you with excitement and confidence versus questions and anxieties, this alone might be a sign it's the right time to pop the question. It sounds silly to describe it as "feeling," but sometimes that's what love comes down to. If you've looked at both sides of the situation—taking that next step in your relationship or staying where you are—and you feel confident the timing will work, that just might tell you enough.

How do you know the right time to pop the question? Share your thoughts below.

Emma Watson's Boyfriend's 'Second Family' Is 'Thrilled' They're Dating





By Louisa Gonzales

New couple Emma Watson and Oxford rugby star, Matthew Janney may not have hit the "meet the parents" milestone of their relationship yet, but Janney's 'second family' already offers warm welcomes and congratulations for his new girlfriend. Janney adopted into husband and wife James and Coralie Day's family unofficially after the passing of his biological mother Jill, who died of breast cancer in 2008, when Janney was 16. His father passed away long before that when he was just a toddler. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, the Days reportedly shared their thoughts about the new item, recently spotted at the beginning of January in the Caribbean looking sweet and chummy on the beach. They said they're "thrilled" the two are dating, and a source also revealed that Janney was "excited" when telling them about him and Emma.

What do you do if your partner's family doesn't approve of you?

Cupid's Advice:

"Meeting the parents" is a stressful part of your relationship

as you want to make a good impression and get your romantic mate's guardians to like you. What do you do if you or fail to make a great first impression or don't succeed in getting them to like you? Cupid has some advice on what you can do if your partner's family doesn't approve of you being in relationship with their child:

1.See what your partner has to say: What does your other half think about their family not approving? Share your concern with them. Maybe they have the answers or can give you some insight about why their family didn't approve of you, after all no one knows their family better than them. Finding out what went wrong or what the problem was together can help with the two of you finding a solution or understanding.

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2. Ask your lover to talk with their family: Maybe the first time meeting your partners parents didn't go as planned or as smoothly as you had both hoped. Ask your sweetie if they could talk with their family and see why they don't think you are a good fit for their child. Give your significant other a chance to talk with their family to explain and defend you as well as your relationship. It might be easier to find out why the family doesn't approve or convince them to give you a second chance by letting your honey talk to them alone.

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3.Give yourself a second chance: Maybe during your first meting you were trying to be someone you weren't or you acted how you thought your partner and his family wanted you to be, which may have resulted in you coming off as fake or awkward. Your best bet is to arrange a second meeting and let them see your true personality and give them a glimpse of the positive side of you and your lovebirds union. It doesn't have to be extreme, but showing affection to your significant other and

his family can go a long way. If in the end they still don't like you, don't let them phase you as the only opinions that truly matter are yours and your better half, there could be a number of reasons about why they don't approve, none of them necessarily having to do with you.

What's your advice on what to do when your lover's family doesn't approve of you? Share your tips below.

Brad Pitt Flies to Australia to Reunite with His Celebrity Love Angelina Jolie and Kids





By Brittany Stubbs

It's a busy life for the handsome <u>Brad Pitt</u>. Right after the Producers Guild Awards, he hopped on a flight to Australia's Gold Coast Airport and then onto a waiting helicopter, presumably to reunite with celebrity love <u>Angelina Jolie</u> and their six children, as <u>UsMagazine.com</u> reported. Although Jolie has been filming <u>Unbroken</u> in Australia and Pitt has had a busy few months with projects of his own, they always make time for their <u>celebrity relationship</u> and family.

Following Pitt's example with his celebrity love, what are some ways to put your relationship and love before a busy work schedule?

Cupid's Advice:

In an ideal world, we would have the perfect amount of time to devote to all our priorities, but that's not the way it is;

instead, life is often a constant balancing act. No matter what you or your partner have going on, even if you two are in different countries like Pitt and his celebrity love Jolie, it's always important to make sure your relationship and love never takes a backseat to your business:

1. Designate weekly "us" time: Make time to put down the cell phones or the kids' projects and just be together. Whether this means that you have a weekly date night or you spend 30 minutes chatting at the end of the day, if you are both committed to it, your relationship and love will benefit.

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2. Set boundaries: Every busy couple needs to set boundaries to keep their work life from getting in the way of their relationship. It may mean ignoring business calls and e-mails once you get home each evening or only traveling for two weeks out of every month. Whatever your rules might be, set them as a couple, reminding one another that they are meant to improve your partnership as a whole.

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3. Continue to work at it: No matter how long you've been together, love is something you constantly must tend to and work at. Be open to additional opportunities to put your partnership before your busy work schedule. Even if you already have a weekly date night or nightly pillow talk, look for new ways to make the most of your time together.

What are some ways you put your relationship and love before your busy work schedule? Share your experiences below.

Josh Duhamel Says He's Not Trying to Break Up the Black Eyed Peas





By Brittany Stubbs

Rumors were swirling that Fergie's husband, Josh Duhamel, was urging his wife to break away from the Black Eyed Peas. But the Safe Haven star is making it clear that these allegations are completely false. "Don't believe this bulls—t. Not true," he wrote, along with a hyperlink to the offending report, USMagazine.com confirms. Although Fergie confirmed her plans of doing a solo album with Ryan Seacrest back in November, the

new mom is still signed under Will.i.am's imprint for Interscope, I am Music.

How do you keep jealousy about your partner's career at bay?

Cupid's Advice:

No matter how happy you are for your partner's success, jealousy is in human nature and can occur in any relationship, no matter how stable or healthy it may be. Knowing how to handle jealousy is what will keep the green-eyed monster from harming both your relationship and your partner's career:

1. Show support: Even if you wish you had gotten the raise or promotion over your partner, at the end of the day, you must congratulate and support your partner on everything they achieve. Supporting one another is what keeps relationships both positive and strong.

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2. Share their success: Remind yourself that as a couple, you are a unit, meaning their achievements are also your achievements. When they score the big promotion or get rewarded for their hard work on a project, remind yourself that by supporting them, you contributed to their ultimate success, and they may not have been able to accomplish it without you. This can replace feelings of jealousy with pride.

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3. See the positives in their career: While you may feel envious about certain parts of your partner's job, whether that comes from their role of working closely with the opposite sex, or accomplishing more than you have in your own career, try to focus on the positives it brings to your relationship. This could be anything from their paychecks that support your family, or the personal growth and happiness the

specific career provides your partner. Never overlook the positives.

How do you keep jealousy about your partner's career from harming your relationship? Share your thoughts below.

Kaley Cuoco's 'Big Bang' Co-Stars Says Ryan Sweeting Will 'Take Great Care' of Her





By Louisa Gonzales

Kaley Cuco's relationship with Ryan Sweetings bloomed fast and

has received skepticism from some, but not from her *Big Bang Theory* co-star. Co-star Kunal Nayyar, 32, only has positive things to say about their relationship. Nayyar tells *People* at the 2014 Golden Globes that he thinks they're great for each other and expresses only his full support. He went on to explain how they are 'family'. The newly wed couple married on New Year's Eve.

What do you do if your friends are not supportive of your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

When you at a good place in your relationship with your partner and think you may have found 'the one' it is a major buzz kill when your friends don't think so and tell you things such as 'you can do better' and 'they're not right for you'. Support from your friends is something you need and want. Cupid has some advice on how to handle friends disapproving of your relationship:

1. Try to change their minds: Try to get your friends to see the positive sides of your relationship and see your 'love' the way you do. Explain to them how and why your honey makes you happy. Maybe arrange a time for you, your lovebird, and friends to get together and hangout to get to know each other better. Ask them to give your lover a chance to win their approval.

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2. Take their thoughts into consideration: It is always best to listen to what your friends have to say. Tell your friends you will think about what they have told you. Who knows maybe they have valid points that you just didn't want to see. However, ultimately let them know the decision to remain a couple or not are entirely your choice as it is your life.

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3. Agree to disagree or find new supportive friends: If in the end you can't change their opinions than either ignore them or find new friends to surround yourself with. Maybe they are not the right friends for you and you need to find pals who do respect your choices in partners. Your friends might have biased opinions. Don't let it affect your relationship as only you can decide what is right for you.

What do you think you should do when your friends disapprove of your relationship? Share your tips below.

Matthew McConaughey Thanks Wife Camila Alves for Motivation





By April Littleton

According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Matthew McConaughey thanked his wife Camila Alves during his acceptance speech for Best Performance by an Actor in a Motion Picture Drama. The actor also thanked his mom during the Golden Globes Sun, Jan. 12. McConaughey lost 40-plus pounds for his role in *Dallas Buyers Club*. He shared a similar speech when accepting an award at the Palm Springs International Film Festival.

How do you support your partner's career aspirations?

Cupid's Advice:

Being supportive of your significant other's aspirations and goals is important if you want to have a successful relationship. Regardless of how hard it will be at times to understand your partner's motivation, it's your job to show them you're there for them through it all. Cupid has some tips:

1. Act interested: When your partner wants to discuss his/her career goals, listen to them with an eager ear. Be encouraging

and add some useful advice when it's necessarily. Your significant other doesn't want to hear negativity coming from the person they love. Suggest new ideas, but never appear as if you don't believe in their dreams.

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2. Help them make it: What better way to show your support by acting helping your partner make their dreams come true? Instead of just listening, go a step farther and take an active role in their aspirations. Do whatever it is they ask of you. They'll be more than appreciative and when they do finally make it to where they want to be, they'll remember who got them there in the first place.

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3. Be understanding: Sometimes you'll have to make a few sacrifices in your relationship if you want your significant other to be successful in pursuing their dreams. If they're late coming home for dinner a couple of times a week or if they can't call you every second of the day like they used, just realize what they're trying to achieve and try to understand that the lack of communication won't last forever.

How did you support your partner's career aspirations? Share your experience below.

Former 'TLC' Member Rozanda

'Chilli' Thomas Denies Dating Wayne Brady





By Brittany Stubbs

Despite the rumors, Rozanda "Chilli" Thomas and Wayne Brady are not a couple; Chilli denies that they are dating. Although the pair were spotted together in Las Vegas last weekend at the MGM Grand allegedly holding hands, the Whose Line Is It Anyway? comic and R&B singer want to make it clear they're not romantically involved. "They are not dating, they've never dated, they've only ever been friends, that's it," a rep for Thomas shares with People. "They had dinner together after New Year's because they were on the same show. They are old friends."

How do you keep rumors about your dating life from

escalating?

Cupid's Pulse:

So we're not all celebrities who feel the need to publicly announce and clarify who we are and are not romantically involved with, but there are still times it's important to avoid rumors starting regarding your personal life. From a professional stand point, for example, you don't want anything flying around about your dating life, especially if it involves someone in the same workplace. So avoid anything getting escalated:

1. Be cautious of body language: It's normal for the opposite sex to be affectionate to one another, even if they're just good friends. But an innocent hug, arm wrap behind the chair, or kiss on the cheek between you and your friend, can be seen as flirting and foreplay to someone else. So be both cautious and mindful of how your body language can be perceived by an outside party. If you are seeing someone but are not ready to share your new relationship with the rest of your social circle, keep the hand-holding, hand-on-knee, and any other body language that might reveal l-o-v-e, behind closed doors.

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2. Be careful on social media: So you may think the picture you uploaded of you and [insert name] grabbing dinner and drinks one night is totally harmless; everyone knows you and him are just friends, you believe. But this is false and can actually be used as proof to confirm someone's suspicions. So if there's already some possible whispers about you and someone being more than just work pals, avoid posting anything that might add fuel to the fire.

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3. Confront the rumors: At the end of the day, the easiest way

to dissolve rumors or gossip is by facing them head on. If you know there is someone spreading around something about your personal life, approach them about it and lay out the facts. Approaching them while other people are around is a way to publicly confront the rumors and set the record straight.

How do you keep rumors about your dating life from escalating? Share your thoughts below.

Back Together? Justin Bieber and Selena Gomez Reunite in Instagram Photo





By Louisa Gonzales

Selena Gomez gazes at Justin Bieber longingly in one of the singers latest Instagram photo posted on Friday January 3. The Instagram photo posted a day after the pair pictured riding segways together on January 2, near Bieber's home in Calabasas, California. It was the first time in months the on and off again couple spotted out together according to UsMagazine.com.

What are some things to consider before getting back together with an ex?

Cupid's Advice:

Couples break up and get back together all the time. There are many causes for breakups. For example, maybe the relationship wasn't healthy or maybe you just weren't ready for one. Sometimes partners break up because they drift apart, but what happens when you find yourselves drifting closer together once again? Cupid has some advice on the subject:

1. Have you talked and resolved all the issues behind your

break up? Any conflicts or issues you may have had should be worked out. As partners you need to be on the same page and know the direction of where you want your relationship to go.

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2. Is the romantic connection still there? If both parties still have feelings for one another it might be good to give your relationship another shot. Especially, when you can't stop thinking about each other and the love is still there.

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3. Are your intentions good? If you just want to get back together with your ex lover because you can't stand the sight of seeing them with someone else it probably isn't a good idea to reconcile. Make sure you are getting back together for the right reasons. Remember trust your gut, be honest with yourself and follow your heart.

Do you have advice on if you should get back together with an ex or not? Share your tips below.

Source Says 'An Engagement Is Coming' for Ashton Kutcher and Mila Kunis





By Brittany Stubbs

Could there be wedding bells in the future for Ashton Kutcher and Mila Kunis? Multiple sources tell <u>UsMagazine.com</u> yes! The couple has been dating for nearly two years, and now that Kutcher and Demi Moore have finalized their divorce, Kutcher is most-likely getting ready to pop the question. "They talk about getting married and having kids. An engagement is imminent," says a source.

How do you determine the right time for a marriage proposal?

Cupid's Advice:

Getting engaged is not only about finding the right person, but the right timing:

1. Financially stable: Money isn't everything, but if you or your partner are currently going through a hard time financially, it's probably not the right time to start planning a wedding. Not only could money problems have influence on the wedding details, but it's also an extremely stressful time, which is not the state of mind one should be

in when getting excited about an engagement.

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2. Family approves: If you've talked to both your family and their family about an engagement in the near future and they're supportive, this is a great sign it's the right time to propose.

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3. It's a stable time in your relationship: Sure, couples will have their fights every now and then, but if you've been going strong for a while without any serious fights or having to "take a break," this is a sign your relationship might be ready to take the next step. Many couples will try and get engaged to fix their problems when they're going through a rough patch, but their conflicts will still be there at the end of the day. Wait till you feel you and your partner are strong and secure as a couple before popping the question.

What are some others ways to determine the right time for your engagement? Share your thoughts below.

Rumor Alert: Are Miley Cyrus & Kellan Lutz An Item?





By Kerri Sheehan

Rumored fling Miley Cyrus and Kellan Lutz were spotted together on Friday night at the grand opening of Beacher's Madhouse in Las Vegas. Although they arrived to the event separately, they were seen partying together later on in the night. Is it possible that the two are secretly an item? Could be. According to one onlooker who reported to <u>People</u>, "They talked a very close range for a long time while Cyrus was laughing and rubbing his back. At one point she kissed Lutz's ear."

How do you keep your new relationship on the down-low?

Cupid's Advice:

Navigating a new romance can be tough. Let Cupid help you out:

1. Don't go wild: A new fling may not turn out to be your next boyfriend, so don't be too over the top in the beginning. Take things slow and feel out if he's really the right guy for you.

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2. Social Media: Everyone knows that the best sign of a healthy and mature relationship is very little sign of it on Facebook. Keep things low key at the beginning, if you're really happy about it the whole world doesn't need to know.

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3. Have date night at home: For a famous couple like Cyrus and Lutz, it's obvious why they wouldn't want to go out to a restaurant on a date. Staying in for date night can be just as fun as long as you have movies and popcorn to keep you both company.

How would you keep your new relationship on the down-low? Share below.

Robin Roberts Publicly Thanks Longtime Girlfriend After Cancer Battle





By April Littleton

<u>People</u> revealed that Robin Roberts publicly thanked loved ones, along with partner Amber Laign, for sticking by her side through her battle with cancer. "I am grateful for my entire family, my long time girlfriend, Amber, and friends as we prepare to celebrate a glorious new year together," Roberts wrote on her Facebook. The couple have been together for 10 years ever since meeting through mutual friends.

How do you support your partner through a serious illness?

Cupid's Advice:

A partner's illness can put a strain on the relationship, especially if you've never had to go through something like this before. But there are plenty of ways to help your love through a rough moment in their live without losing them romantically in the process. Cupid has some tips:

1. Communicate: When it comes to a serious illness, both of you need to help each other come to terms with what's going on. Your partner will have good days and some bad ones as

well. All you really need to do is just be there for them — through it all. Maintain an open line of communication. When you're feeling down, let your significant other know and vice versa. You'll only have each other during this difficult time and the illness will surely test the strength of your relationship.

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2. Space: Sometimes, you and your honey will want some time alone and that's OK. Plan one day out of the week where you and your partner (as long as they're feeling up to it) can go out and do things on your own. Even if it's just a short visit to the nail salon or to see a matinee movie, the space will do you both some good.

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3. Distractions: Don't avoid the illness altogether, but it is a good idea to work on some other activities that kind of distract from the bad situation. Spend some time with mutual friends or maybe go for a few walks every once in a while. Whatever makes your partner happy will also make them feel better physically.

What are some other ways to support your partner through a serious illness? Comment below.

Are Ashley Benson and Ex-

Boyfriend Ryan Good Dating Again?





By April Littleton

According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Ashley Benson and former flame Ryan Good might be dating again. The pair were seen together Friday, Dec. 20. at the Boom Boom Room in New York City. "Ryan and Ashley were kissing each other all night," an insider said.

How do you know whether to get back with your ex or not?

Cupid's Advice:

You and your ex might have mixed feelings about each other, especially if the two of you are still in each other's lives.

Should you try to rekindle the flame? Would giving love a second chance hurt the friendship the two of you managed to develop? Cupid has some tips:

1. Still on good terms: The breakup between you and your ex wasn't too bad. In fact, you and your former flame are still really good friends. If things ended on a good note, there is still a chance the two of you can make things work. You know where it went wrong, so you should be able to fix it.

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2. Can't get over it: When you think about the love lost between you and your ex, you're filled with regret. Sometimes, you don't realize what you have until it's gone. If your ex spends a lot of time with you, then he/she is obviously not over you either.

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3. You're still in love: If you're still in love with your ex and believe you can fix the mistakes in your relationship, then give it another chance. The heart wants what it wants and you ignoring your real feelings will only make the situation worse.

How did you know whether to get back with your ex or not? Share your experience below.

'The Bachelorette' Stars

Trista and Ryan Sutter Renew Vows in Vail





By Kerri Sheehan

Trista Rehn and Ryan Sutter met during the *Bachelorette*, and ever since the two have been happily married. This weekend, ten years after 26 million viewers tuned in to see the two get hitched, the couple renewed their vows. They said, "I do," once again in Vali, Colorado. Trista dished to *People*, "It's an understatement to say I hit the jackpot. He is such a good person. He gets better with age."

What are some compelling reasons to renew your wedding vows?

Cupid's Advice:

After a few years of marriage you and your significant other may want to declare your love for one another all over again.

1. To recreate the dream: Every little girl has an idea of what her dream wedding should be, however some couples may not get to fulfill this dream. Whether money, time, or faith kept them from having the perfect ceremony, a vow renewal will give them a second chance to have the perfect wedding.

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2. New you: Over the years people change so the person that you married may not be the same person in 15 years. After a big personality change it's nice to let your partner know that you still love the person that they are.

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Anniversary

3. To celebrate: Many couples choose to renew their wedding vows on their anniversary to celebrate another chapter in their marriage. This is the perfect way to show your partner, your friends, and your family how much you two care about each other.

Why would you renew your vows? Share below.

Hayden Panettiere and Fiance Wladimir Klitschko Join

Ukraine Protests





By Brittany Stubbs

Hayden Panettiere proves she's not just an actress, but an activist. The star has been lending her voice to support protesters in Ukraine, along with her fiance, Ukrainian boxer Wladimir Klitschko. *UsMagazine.com* confirms, the couple have a personal connection to the country's well-being, as Klitschko is the brother of the opposition leader, Vitali Klitschko. "Amazing watching #Wladimirklitschko personally connect with the Ukrainian demonstrators," Panettiere tweeted Sunday, Dec. 8, after her husband-to-be appeared in the Central square in Kiev, Ukraine, where a crowd was gathered to challenge the Russian-leaning government. The A-lister then shared a picture of her and Klitschko in Kiev with the caption: "#frontlines #Ukraine."

How do you unite with your partner for a special cause?

Cupid's Advice:

This is an excuse to spend time together while also making a difference in someone else's life. And after all, it is the season of giving! Cupid has some advice:

1. Personal connection: Whether it's supporting a family member involved, or a topic that's close to your heart, there is nothing more fulfilling than supporting a cause you feel connected to. This not only makes you more passionate about the work, but will bring you closer in your relationship.

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2. Make a trip out of it: It's easy to let the commitments of everyday life get in the way of what's important to you. Why not find a philanthropy or relief program that will get you two out of time? Remove yourselves from the routines, even if just for a weekend, to come together and make a difference.

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3. Commit: If you want want to support something as a couple, you both have to agree on what sacrifices you'll each make in order for it to happen. Whether this means a financial sacrifice that's necessary, or sacrificing your Sunday afternoons, make a commitment to one another and follow through.

Have you and a partner united for a special cause? Share your experiences below.

Ben Affleck Says Wife Jennifer Garner Is 'the Most Important Person to Me'





By April Littleton

According to <u>People</u>, Ben Affleck only has one person to thank for all of his success — his wife, Jennifer Garner. "She is by leaps and bounds the most important person to me in that respect," Affleck said in an interview with <u>Playboy</u> of Garner's resolute support. "Over the past 10 years she has allowed me to have a stable home life while accomplishing my professional goals." The couple married in 2005 and have three

children together, son, Samuel, 21 months and daughters Violet, 7 and Seraphina, 4.

What are some ways to show your appreciation for your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

After awhile, it can be hard to find different ways to show your partner you still love and care about them. Sometimes, the smallest gestures can make your loved one feel over the moon. Cupid has some tips:

1. Thank them: The simplest way to show your appreciation for your significant other is just by thanking them often. Does your partner take out the trash everyday? Does he/she cook and clean the most out of the two of you? Sure, a sweet "thank you" will do the trick, but think about giving your partner a nice gift. Surprise your love with a special meal or take them out for a night out.

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2. A day out: Plan out a day where you and your partner do everything he/she likes to do. Whether it be going swimming, seeing a movie or simply lounging at home all day — let them pick out the activities for the day. When the day is over, your honey will feel appreciated and know you care about their wants and desires.

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3. Physical contact: Make sure you shower your significant other with hugs and kisses. When your partner does something nice for you, show your love with a sweet kiss and a hug. A little physical contact can mean the world to your love and it will also keep the spark between you and him/her alive.

What are some other ways to show appreciation for your

Adele and Boyfriend Flaunt PDA at Lady Gaga Concert





By Kerri Sheehan

Crooning sensation Adele looks like she's happy in love! The British songbird was recently photographed looking completely smitten with boyfriend and baby daddy Simon Konecki. The two are rarely seen together, but they made a public appearance at a secret Lady Gaga concert in London. An insider recently dished to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, "Adele loves being a mom. Simon

helps her in every way and is a great dad. They are just incredibly happy."

Where are some appropriate places to indulge in PDA?

Cupids Advice:

PDA is a tricky subject. Cupid has some advice:

1. Depends on the couple: Some people are far more open to PDA than others are. If PDA makes your significant other uncomfortable than don't force them into it.

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2. At a wedding: Weddings are all about showing love, so some reception PDA is all right. Keep it classy though, this is a public affair.

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3. Just keep it PG: PDA can be acceptable anywhere as long as it isn't too intense. Hand holding and a kiss on the cheek is fine at any occasion, but anything past that is far too much.

Where do you engage in PDA? Share below.

Newlyweds Ace Young and Diana DeGarmo Start Holiday

Traditions





By April Littleton

American Idol finalists Ace Young and Diana DeGarmo, who have been married for six months are starting off the Christmas holidays together for the first in their relationship. "We've already been decorating, and it's been a lot of fun because we're creating our own traditions." Young told <u>People</u> at Sunday's annual Hollywood Christmas Parade. "We have a blank slate. It's kind of weird."

How do you compromise to start your own holiday traditions with your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

Is this your first holiday with your loved ones? Are you

curious about the ways to begin new traditions with your family? You don't have to start with a completely blank slate unless you choose to do so. You can always just build on some of the activities you already love. Cupid is here to help:

1. Talk about what's important: Sit down and have a talk with your significant other about the traditions you would like to introduce to your new family. You and your partner can incorporate some of the things you did during the holidays along with some of the activities he/she was raised to do. Building on the traditions you already have can make it easier for you and your honey to create new ones.

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2. Make a list: Create a list of some activities and ideas you want to bring into your family traditions this year. Have your companion make a list as well and then compare notes. Only pick the first couple of things you find important and save the rest for next time.

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3. Start fresh: Take a chance and do something complete different over the holidays. Bake a special pie or have your family think of a new game all of you can be together for years to come. Traditions start from new beginnings, so think of something your loved ones will enjoy doing time and time again.

How did you compromise to start your own holiday traditions with your partner? Comment below.

Justin Bieber's Music Video Crush Talks Selena Gomez's Diss, Kissing the Superstar





By Brittany Stubbs

Jealousy might be in the air for Justin Bieber's ex Selena Gomez. In the superstar's latest music video "All That Matters," Cailin Russo stars as the object of Bieber's obsession. He later posted a picture of the blonde babe kissing him on the cheek. According to UsMagazine.com, Gomez recently posted a picture of herself on Instagram with a caption that said, "I thought he only liked the Latina category. Smh... #nomakeup #hatewhengirlssaythat," and Bieber's latest crush is convinced this was directed towards her. "It was clearly directed at him with me in the video, but like I

said I was just doing my job," Russo shares in a recent interview with <u>Cosmopolitan</u>. "Selena is a superstar and I'm just a girl in a video. She's his ex, and I'm sure they still have feelings for each other."

How do you deal with your ex dating someone new?

Cupid's Advice:

It's always difficult seeing your ex move on with someone else, even if you had an amicable breakup. But unfortunately this is inevitable when any relationship ends. The best thing you can do is handle your situation with maturity and class:

1. Avoid contact: Nothing good ever comes from sending your ex a snarky text message about their new significant other or posting a passive aggressive comment online. So hide them from your social networks, even delete or block their number if necessary. We're all guilty of doing a little Facebook stalking to find out who our ex has moved on to, but honestly, when has this ever helped or made us feel better?

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2. Remind yourself why you broke up: Sometimes seeing your ex with someone new can stir up old feelings, but remembering why things didn't work out between you two can often help you avoid feeling jealous. It might even make you happy your ex has met someone else.

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3. Focus on you: Remember that break ups mean moving on for the both of you. Use this as your motivation to do something for yourself. Whether that's getting back into the dating scene, or just devoting some time and energy to a new hobby, project, etc. While break ups signify endings, they also hold

potential for bright, new beginnings.

How have you handled an ex moving on? Share your experiences below.

Katy Perry and John Mayer Pose for First Portrait Together





By April Littleton

According to <u>People</u>, John Mayer and Katy Perry posed for professional photos to accompany the release of Mayer's latest

album, Paradise Valley. Debuting the cover shot on his Instagram, Mayer captioned the image, "Proud of this song, proud of this artwork, proud of this girl." The couple have been in an on-and-off again relationship since the summer of 2012.

What are some ways to showcase your love?

Cupid's Advice:

You're in love and you want everyone to know it! Showing your love someone doesn't necessarily mean spending all of your money or displaying too much public affection. You can just as easily show your partner you care for them with subtle gestures. Cupid has some tips:

1. Quality time: Show your significant other that they're a priortiy in your life by spending some much needed time together. You don't ignore the person you love, or make excuses to why you can't see them on a regular basis. If that special someone in your life is important to you, show them by making time for them no matter how busy your schedule is.

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2. Say it: You don't need any fancy gimmicks to show your partner you care. All you really have to do is say those three magic words. Some couples forget how good it feels to hear and say "I love you." All the gifts in the world couldn't replace hearing your loved one actually tell you how they feel. So, tell your honey you love and them and do so often.

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3. Commit to the relationship: Your significant other should be the only special someone in your life. Appreciate them and accept them for all that they are. Nothing shows true love than by staying invested in the relationship you chose to be a

part of in the first place.

How do you showcase your love for your partner? Comment below.

Maria Bello Reveals She Has a Long-Term Girlfriend





By Kerri Sheehan

Actress Maria Bello revealed that she has been dating her best female friend. When the *Grown-ups* actress decided to read through her old journals she learned that she often pinned people as her soul mate and when they broke her heart that made the fall all the worse. That's when she decided to give a

relationship with her best friend, Clare a try. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Bello said, "It didn't occur to me, until that soul-searching moment in my garden, that we could perhaps choose to love each other romantically." Her family and friends have been supportive of the relationship so far.

How do you come clean about a long relationship to family and friends?

Cupid's Advice:

It can be hard to share a long-term relationship with those who you don't think will approve. Let Cupid help you come clean.

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- 1. Explain yourself: If you've been hiding the relationship for some time then there is bound to be a specific reason. Explain fully to friends and family why you didn't want to tell them at first and they are likely to be more understanding.
- 2. Remember that it's your life: In the end those close to you may not approve of your lifestyle choice, but it's important to remember that it's your life, not theirs. Ultimately the relationships that you choose to be in affect you the most so if you're happy then that's all that matters.

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3. Listen to their perspective: Sometimes friends and family will disapprove of whom you are dating. Although this is no reason to call off the relationship, it is okay to hear out your loved ones' concerns.

How would you tell your family and friends about a long-term

Miranda Kerr and Orlando Bloom Reunite in NYC with Son Flynn





By April Littleton

According to <u>People</u>, Miranda Kerr and Orlando Bloom seem to be getting along just fine despite the fact that they're separated. The pair were spotted in N.Y.C. Saturday with their son, Flynn, who turns 3 in Jan. The couple announced their

split in October after three years of marriage. "We love each other. We're a family," Bloom said about Kerr days after their announcement.

What are some ways to keep your post-breakup relationship civil for your children?

Cupid's Advice:

1. Let the relationship go: Many couples try to stay in a dying relationship for the sake of their children not realizing that they're actions are actually making it harder on the family. Put your kids first. Naturally, they would love to see the you and your former partner together, but they also want to see you both happy too — even if that means the two of you aren't an item anymore.

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2. Communicate: Your children shouldn't be treated as messengers. If you have anything to say to or about your ex, tell them directly. Your kids don't need to be put in a situation that's already hard for them to understand.

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3. Establish a schedule: Set up a schedule that works for both you and your ex. When it comes to visitations, try to be consistent on who gets to see the kids on what days. It's OK if you need to switch it up every now and then as long as your ex agrees on the terms.

What are some other ways to keep your post-breakup relationship civil for your children? Comment below.