Celebrity Couples With The Biggest Age Differences





By Molly Jacob

They say love knows no age, and celebs seem to agree. The hottest and most famous couples out there have surprisingly large age gaps.

See what celebrity couples Cupid has selected with the biggest age differences!

1. Harrison Ford and Calista Flockhart:

With an age gap of 23 years, Harrison Ford (73) and Calista Flockhart (50) have one of the biggest age differences in Hollywood. The famous couple wed in 2010 and have a teenaged son named Liam.

2. Sam Taylor-Johnson and Aaron Taylor-Johnson:

British actor Aaron Taylor-Johnson and director Sam Taylor-Johnson married in 2012 and have a 23-year age gap. They started dating when Aaron was only 19 and Sam was 42, but according to an interview with *The Times* magazine, he's an "old soul" and she's a "young soul."

3. Olivier Sarkozy and Mary-Kate Olsen:

Mary Kate Olsen, 29, and fiancé Olivier Sarkozy, 46, met in 2012. The former Full House star and the half-brother of a French president have a 17-year age difference.

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4. Billy Joel and Alexis Roderick:

The 66-year-old "Piano Man" musician wed his pregnant 33-year-old girlfriend, Alexis Roderick, this past July 4th. This famous couple has been dating since 2009, and this is Joel's fourth marriage!

5. Bennett Miller and Ashley Olsen:

The other half of the famous Olsen pair is also dating a man much older than her, *Moneyball* director Bennett Miller. He is 48 and Ashley is 29.

6. Michael Douglas and Catherine Zeta-Jones:

70-year-old Michael Douglas and 45-year-old Catherine Zeta Jones have been married since 2000 and have two children. This celebrity couple had a brief split in August 2013 but they are back together and stronger than ever.

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7. Hugh Hefner and Crystal Harris:

There's no way that Playboy founder Hefner WOULDN'T make it on this list! The 89-year-old celeb has always had a slew of young girlfriends and wives. He married model Crystal Harris in 2012 and bought a multi-million dollar estate for the two of them in Hollywood Hills.

What other celebrity couples have huge age gaps? Let us know in the comments section below!

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Stephen Moyer and Anna Paquin

These sexy stars of 'True Blood' wed in 2010, paying no

attention to their 12-year age gap. Moyer is 45 years old, and Paquin is 33 years old. Photo: Juan Rico/FAMEFLYNET PICTURES

5 Valentine's Day Celebrity Engagements





By Maria Darbenzio and Molly Jacob

Valentine's Day is the holiday of relationships and love, so what better way to celebrate than getting down on one knee, popping open the ring box, and asking your partner to spend a lifetime with you? While some may find proposing on VDay to be cheesy, these celebrity couples do not agree.

Check out these five Valentine's Day celebrity engagements:

1. Christina Aguilera and Matthew Rutler: On Valentine's Day last year, the singer revealed her celebrity engagement to her film producer boyfriend by tweeting a photo of a massive diamond on her left hand. This celebrity couple met on the set of *Burlesque* in 2010, as she was going through a divorce from Jordan Bratman (a divorce that, ironically enough, was finalized on Valentine's Day in 2011). Looks like Rutler "Ain't No Other Man" in Aguilera's eyes!

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- 2. Dave Annable and Odette Yustman: In 2010, Annable, most known for his role on *Brothers and Sisters*, proposed to his co-star girlfriend of two years. He proposed at the place they first fell in love and had their parents waiting for them at the hotel restaurant. The actress was surprised by the proposal and excited that she got to share it immediately with her parents and future in-laws. This celebrity engagement did not last long the twosome got married eight months later!
- 3. Vince Vaugn and Kyla Weber: For this couple, the engagement had been discussed months before it actually happened. Little did Weber know, her comedian boyfriend did not want to pass up the opportunity of proposing on Valentine's Day. Not only was it a romantic holiday, but it was also a date that he said he would always remember. In 2009, Vaughn got down on one knee and proposed to the Canadian real estate agent. She said yes, and this celebrity couple is now married with two children.

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4. Harrison Ford and Calista Flockhart: Actor and producer Ford decided to take his relationship with Flockhart to the

next level in 2009. Prior to that Valentine's Day, this celebrity couple had been together for seven year. When Ford asked her to marry him, it's reported that she was taken by complete surprise.

5. Christina Applegate and Martyn LeNoble: The *Anchorman* star and her Dutch bassist beau got engaged on Valentine's Day in 2010. This celebrity love story gets sweeter. According to the *Daily Mail*, Christina gives credit to LeNoble for saving her life after she had a double mastectomy in 2008. The celebrity couple wed three years later in February 2013.

What are your thoughts on a Valentine's Day proposal? Share in the comments below!

Fame, Fortune and Love: The World's Wealthiest Celebrity Couples





By Whitney Baker

Hollywood's It Couples outshine us regular folks in more ways than one: they're happily in love; they live extravagant and fame-filled lives; and they have more money than they can possibly spend. With a total of over \$535 million divided among them, the celebrity couples on our list better have some shopping to do — or they're going to be carrying around quite a few hefty wallets. Here they are:

1. Beyoncé and Jay-Z: This celebrity couple is not only the wealthiest couple on our list — raking in nearly double the next-richest duo — but perhaps the busiest as well. Pocketing nearly \$124 million, they earned their paychecks from music sales and singing gigs, as well as endorsement deals and clothing lines.

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2. Harrison Ford and Calista Flockhart: Ford owes Indiana Jones a big thank you: the most recent installment, *Indiana*

Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull, earned the action star over \$66 million. Flockhart starred in the ABC drama Brothers & Sisters (cancelled earlier this year after five seasons), bringing their collective income to over \$70 million.

- **3. Gisele Bundchen and Tom Brady**: These pretty faces earned a combined \$63 million last year. *Forbes* ranked Bundchen the world's highest-paid model for the third-consecutive year, stating that her runway work and cover photos earned her \$45 million. During football season, Brady receives his \$18-million-a-year paycheck.
- **4. Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie**: Reports from *The Sun* reveal that this famous couple spends \$10 million a year on their six children alone, accounting for only a fraction of their combined yearly salary of \$55 million. Another big chunk of their paycheck? They are currently renovating the \$56 million French Chateau that they call home.
- **5. Will and Jada Pinkett Smith**: With wife Pinkett Smith focusing her efforts on behind-the-scenes work (both writing and producing), there's no doubt that Smith makes his mark on the big screen. Grossing over \$5.8 billion at worldwide box offices and commanding \$20 million per film, Smith is the primary contributor to the couple's joint \$50 million a year income. With a paycheck like that, it's no wonder the couple is raising their family in a 25,000 square foot mega-mansion in Calabasas, Calif.

And now for the runner-ups:

6. David and Victoria Beckham: It looks like their 2007 move from London to Los Angeles is paying off, with the couple earning \$46.5 million in 2010. David's soccer career is supplemented with a few highly lucrative product endorsements, such as Armani and the after-shave and fragrance line called David Beckham Instinct, and Victoria has found chic success

through her self-titled fashion line.

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- 7. Ellen DeGeneres and Portia de Rossi: With Oprah running her own television network instead of hosting her show, DeGeneres is sitting pretty as the queen of daytime talk shows. De Rossi has been busy with her recent acting on Better Off Ted and sales from her memoir, Unbearable Lightness: A Story of Loss and Gain, making the couple's combined income \$36 million.
- 8. Gwyneth Paltrow and Chris Martin: Currently raising their two children in London, this overseas couple brings in a joint paycheck of \$33.5 million per year. While Martin depends on the worldwide success of Coldplay, the Oscar-winning actress's recent accomplishments include her performance in *Country Strong* and her guest appearances on *Glee*, as well as her family-focused cookbook, *My Father's Daughter: Delicious, Easy Recipes Celebrating Family & Togetherness*.
- **9. Sarah Jessica Parker and Matthew Broderick**: The New York City-based couple brings in over \$29 million a year, with Parker as the unequivocal breadwinner. She recently left her position as chief creative officer of Halston Heritage, but has plenty of other lucrative projects to fall back on, including that of movie star, perfumer and spokeswomen, not to mention her starring and producing roles in the Sex & the City television series and movies. Broderick has switched gears since his teen heartthrob days (circa Ferris Bueller's Day Off) and now focuses his acting efforts on Broadway.
- 10. Tim McGraw and Faith Hill: Thanks to the talents of these two country superstars, they brought in a combined income of nearly \$28.5 million. McGraw has enjoyed 21 number one singles on the Billboard Hot Country 100 charts and recently ventured into acting, appearing in hit movies such as *The*

Blind Side and Country Strong. Meanwhile, Hill's musical prowess has earned her a Grammy Award, American Music Award and the People's Choice Award.

Who is your favorite wealthy celebrity couple? Share your thoughts with us below.

Jane Krakowski Won't Elope





30 Rock star Jane Krakowski told <u>People</u> magazine last week that she and her designer fiancé, Robert Godley, will not elope à la Calista Flockheart, her *Ally McBeal* costar. Krakowski and Godley became engaged over the holidays

this past year, but have no wedding plans as of yet. The actress *did* reveal, however, that though elopement is not for her, she does think it fits Flockheart and husband Harrison Ford.

How do you know if elopement is for you?

Cupid's Advice:

Eloping is a personal decision that can only be made between you and your partner. Before you jump on a plane to Vegas, read Cupid's advice to see if it's right for you:

- 1. Family: Though the wedding is ultimately about you, you may want to first consider the thoughts of your family before making the decision. Bring up the idea of eloping and see how mom reacts.
- 2. Serendipity: Are you a spontaneous couple? Do you believe in the fates and flying by the seat of your pants? If not, a spur of the moment commitment may not be in your best interest. Planners and list-makers beware.
- 3. Money matters: For couples that are tight on cash, an elopement is often cheaper than a full-blown wedding. Depending on where you go, it can double as a honeymoon, thus saving even more time, planning, and even your wallet.

Harrison Ford and Calista

Flockhart Tie the Knot





It's official! Harrison Ford from *Indiana Jones* has married long-time love, Calista Flockhart, star of *Ally McBeal*, after a seven-year courtship. The Governor of New Mexico, Bill Richardson, officiated the ceremony.

Why do some couples wait years before making the leap to marriage?

Cupid's Advice:

Only you and your partner know when the time for marriage is right. Don't feel pressured to rush the big day. Here are a few reasons why couples wait:

1. You're comfortable: Many couples become comfortable in their relationship, and may be too lazy to bother taking it to

the next level. Communicate with each other to make sure you're both on the same page.

- 2. Security: It's possible that one or both of you have grown comfortable with the relationship and the thought of marriage would take you out of your comfort zone. If you and your partner do want to eventually marry, talk about fears that may be holding you back.
- 3. Peer Pressure: You feel pressure from friends and family to take your pairing to the next level, but you know that you aren't ready. Don't get married for the sake of others. Eventually, you will realize whether or not you want to spend the rest of your lives as one.