Celebrity Photo Gallery: Breast Cancer Survivors





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Amy Robach

'Good Morning America' anchor Amy Robach was diagnosed with breast cancer in October 2013 when she received a mammogram on air. She recently opened up about how trying the disease was on her celebrity marriage. Photo: Janet Mayer / PR Photos

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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Matt Rutler

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!

Christina Applegate Ties the Knot with Longtime Boyfriend



By Andrea Surujnauth

Christina Applegate tied the knot with her longtime boyfriend, Martyn LeNoble. According to <u>People</u>, the two had a a private ceremony at their home in Los Angeles. Applegate, 41, and LeNoble, 43, have been together since 2008. These lovebirds got engaged in 2010 on Valentine's Day. The couple have a 2year-old daughter together, Sadie Grace. This is both Applegate's and LeNoble's second marriage.

How do you know when you're ready to marry your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

You have been dating for a while and now you are think marriage. Are you and your partner ready to tie the knot? Cupid is here to help you decide:

1. You enjoy every moment: A major sign that you are ready for marriage is if you enjoy every moment with your sweetheart, no matter how small or how boring. If you even enjoy doing chores together or just sitting together in the car, that's love.

2. You're both ready to burn the little black book: If you are both ready to give up all old flames and give up dating, then wedding bells are definitly in the air for you two lovebirds.

3. You have long term plans together: If you two have long term plans together then your relationship is ready for marriage. Planning your life years down the road together shows that marriage is on both of your minds and you are already planning for it.

How do you when your relationship is ready for marriage? Comment below and let us know.

Christina Applegate Opens Up About Motherhood





By Carolyn Robertson for Celebrity Baby Scoop

A mom on the small screen and in real life as well, Christina Applegate knows well the joys and challenges of parenting. The *Up All Night* star, who has 1-year-old daughter Sadie Grace with her fiance Martyn LeNoble, chatted about motherhood in a recent interview with the Television Critics Association.

On surviving sleep-deprivation: "Oh, when I'm in my tired phase? In the morning when I'm holding her and we're reading. She snuggles up really nicely in the morning. She doesn't snuggle the rest of the day but in the morning she gets really snuggly. Those are those moments, or when she just out of nowhere leans over and kisses you. It's heartbreaking."

On tell-tale mommy moments: "When there's breast milk on the floor? I don't know, I'm not really sure."

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On saying goodbye to baby gear: "We don't use any gear anymore. She's a toddler. You know what was great for a while

was those saucers for her to jump around. She really liked those when she was younger. Now she's too old for that but that was a great thing for her. You could go do something for a minute, you could cook some food."

Christina Applegate Says It's Been Rough to Work Post-Baby





Christina Applegate's new sitcom on NBC, Up All Night, mirrors that of her own life these days. The show centers around a couple with a new baby trying to balance parenting with their careers. Being a new mom herself, Applegate gave her thoughts on the topic to <u>People</u>. "It's a really hard thing to do because you miss them. But I'm doing well," said the 39 year old new mother, admitting that its "been so rough" since giving birth to her daughter Sadie Grace. Though her career is important to her, Applegate admits, "Parenthood just changed me in the sense that nothing really matters but [Sadie]. None of it really matters. The importance I placed on things prior to this moment, they don't matter anymore. All that matters is I get to go in there in the morning and see her face. She smiles at me and my life is better."

How do you know when it's time to go back to work after having a baby?

Cupids Advice:

 Evaluate: Giving birth doesn't mean that you have to throw away all other dreams and goals when it comes to your career. Weigh the pros and cons of staying home and make an educated decision when deciding whether or not to go back to work.

2. Think about your happiness: Realize that being a stay-athome mom may not be for you. While some women are natural housewives, giving up the career you worked so hard for may cause resentment toward your child or spouse.

3. Finances: Be realistic. Babies are expensive. If you can't afford to take years off to stay at home with your child, then don't do it. You'll be doing your baby a favor by having the money to give him or her a secure life.

How did you know you were ready to head back to work after giving birth? Share your experiences with a comment below.

Hall Pass with Owen Wilson, Jason Sudeikis, Jenna Fischer and Christina Applegate





Two married men (Owen Wilson and Jason Sudeikis) are given free week passes by their wives to do whatever their hearts desire with other women. The dream come true quickly turns into a nightmare when their wives (Jenna Fischer and Christina Applegate) start abiding by the rules of the *Hall Pass* as well. It doesn't take them long to discover that this agreement was more imperfect than ingenious as they realize that their marriages are put to the ultimate test.

Is it ever healthy to practice an open marriage?

Cupid's Advice:

Having consent to see other people while you're married doesn't neccecarily mean there aren't going to be any problems. Cupid had some things to consider:

1. Jealousy: Whether they admit it or not, some people get jealous in a relationship when their partner is even so much as talking to the opposite sex, let alone sleeping with them.

If you and your mate are considering having an open agreement, make absolutely sure that your consent isn't halfhearted or the jealously won't eat at you (and your marriage).

2. Attatchment: When you spend time with someone that makes you happy, there's a good chance you'll want to keep them around. Therefore, if you or your partner are having an affair with someone refreshing and new, you may just find yourself too attatched to say goodbye. In fact, you might have to say farewell to your marriage instead.

3. Children: Even if you and your partner don't have kids of your own, you probably have younger siblings, neices or nephews closely watching your choices. Being intimate with someone other than your spouse might confuse those looking to you for a role model.

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Movie Review: Going the

Distance





For a new twist on long-distance relationships, check out Warner Bros. new movie, *Going The Distance*. Garrett (Justin Long) and Erin (Drew Barrymore) fall in love one summer in New York City, but never meant for it to happen — especially knowing that Erin will be heading back to San Francisco in six weeks. The couple plans on staying casual, but it doesn't take long for their love to ignite a passion they can't escape. Follow these two real-life lovers on their coast-tocoast romance.

How can you make a long-distance relationship less challenging?

Cupid's Advice:

You can't control who you fall in love with, or where they live. If you unexpectedly find yourself in a long-distance relationship, Cupid offers a few ways to help shrink the distance:

1. Stay in touch: Technology has come a long way. Gone are the days when you could only use the postal service, or had to pay huge fees for phone conversations. Now you can text, email, Skype, and even talk on the phone for little to no money at all.

2. Old school: Although it's easy to spend hours chatting and texting, it can be much more romantic if you compose some old fashioned snail mail and send it to the one you love. The sentiment will not be missed.

3. Getaways: With the savings on communication, why not plan a romantic interlude with your sweetheart. Take a weekend getaway in your respective cities, or choose somewhere in between and meet halfway.

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Baby News for Christina Applegate





Christina Applegate and fiancé Martyn Lenoble are growing their own little orchard. Confirming exclusively to <u>People</u>, Applegate's rep says the actress is pregnant. The Samantha Who? star credits Lenoble for helping her recover after undergoing a double mastectomy. "I'm very grateful to Martyn for coming along at a time that he did because he's been my rock through all of this," Applegate told <u>People</u> last year. "He gave me something to really want to live for and something to smile about."

How can you best be there for your partner when he or she is sick?

Cupid's Advice:

In sickness and in health is a vow which is sometimes easier said than done. Cupid is here with some advice to get you through the rough times:

1. Have an open ear and mind: One of the best things you can do is listen. Let your partner tell you what he or she needs or wants to talk about. They may not want to focus on the illness, and would rather discuss everyday things. You'll

also want to educate yourself by reading and speaking to doctors, or to other people who have been in similar situations.

2. Stop any guilty feelings: Do not put guilt on your spouse for being sick. They probably feel guilty enough as it is for putting both emotional and physical pain on you. Also, you shouldn't feel guilty, and think there is something you could have done to prevent the sickness.

3. Don't take it personally: If your partner has sudden mood swings, or lashes out at you, do not for one moment think it is a reflection on you. Be there for your partner, but also make sure to take care of yourself. A study published a few years ago says having a sick spouse is bad for your health, too.