

# NY Restaurants with the Most Celebrity Sightings



By [Melissa Lee](#)

While most celebrities across the board call Hollywood their home, New York is the runner-up. Known for its busy streets, bustling nightlife, and resilient aura, New York is constantly hosting celebs, whether it be for work or play. Regardless of the intentions of their stay, at the end of the day, who doesn't want to dine luxuriously at some of the city's best restaurants? Celebrities are always eating at the most lavish spots, and when you hear that your fave star was spotted eating somewhere... well, you know it *has* to be good.

# If you're making a trip to the concrete jungle you have to head to these restaurants with the most celebrity sightings!

**1. Carmine's:** Never mind the fact that celebrities are constantly being spotted at this restaurant – Carmine's serves family style Italian food that is absolutely to-die for! Due to its popularity, the owners have opened several locations throughout the city, but that doesn't mean stars have been going any less. For over 25 years, Carmine's has hosted numerous celebs including Drew Barrymore, Tina Fey, and Tim Gunn. Can we make our reservation now?!

**2. Bagatelle:** Located in the Greenwich Village area, this classic French Mediterranean restaurant is a celebrity hotspot. Beyonce and husband [Jay Z](#), Mariah Carey, and [Sofia Vergara](#) are only some of the stars that have dined at this five-star spot. Bagatelle has also revealed that Jamie Foxx even stepped into the DJ booth at one of their notorious parties, too!

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**3. The Polo Bar:** This All-American spot is extremely luxurious, and has seen Hillary Clinton, Andy Cohen, and [Gwyneth Paltrow](#). The restaurant, which is very exclusive, honors fashion designer Ralph Lauren by showcasing his brand with artwork of horses, polo matches, and sports. The Polo Bar serves incredible American dishes, including their signature Polo Bar Burger.

**4. Beautique:** While an intimate, low-key place to dine in Midtown, Beautique is also a high-energy club and lounge.

Stars like [Kendall Jenner](#), A\$AP Rocky and [Leonardo DiCaprio](#) have all partied here, partially because the spot is known for hosting internationally acclaimed DJs.

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**5. Rao's:** The second Italian hotspot on this list is nearly impossible to get into – reservations are booked for months in advanced! However, if you manage to snag a table at this East Harlem spot, you're guaranteed to see a celeb. Rao's has served Leonardo DiCaprio, Bill Clinton and wife Hillary Clinton, and baseball star Hank Aaron – just to name a few.

**What are your favorite places to spot a celebrity? Leave your thoughts below.**

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## **Celebrity Photo Gallery: Stars Who Stood By Their Unfaithful Partners**







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David Boreanaz and Jaime Bergman

The 'Bones' star admitted that he cheated on his model wife

after the woman he had a fling with attempted to extort him. The famous couple are still together today. Photo: FPA/FAMEFLYNET PICTURES

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## Top 5 Most Shocking Celebrity Couple Affairs



By Molly Jacob

Celebrity scandals. Cheating. Infidelity. These plaster the headlines every day when [celebrity couples](#) are concerned. The most famous and beautiful people in the world sadly aren't always satisfied in their own Hollywood couples and often go

outside these relationships and love to find more lovers.

**Sometimes, our favorite celebs cheat on their partners and we really can take it personally, even though we're not involved at all. See which celebrity affairs really shocked us!**

### **1. Kristen Stewart and Rupert Sanders**

*Twilight* fans were distraught in 2012 when their favorite celebrity couple, costars Kristen Stewart and Robert Pattinson, seemed to be in trouble. *Us Weekly* published a photo of Stewart kissing "Snow White and the Huntsman" director, married Rupert Sanders. Sanders' wife, model Liberty Ross, filed for divorce in 2013, while Pattinson dumped Stewart shortly after.

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### **2. Jesse James and Michelle McGee**

A week after Bullock won an Oscar for best actress in 2010, news broke that her husband of six years, Jesse James, had been unfaithful. The motorcycle star's celebrity affair with tattooed stripper Michelle McGee came out when she sold her story to a tabloid. Bullock and James divorced shortly after even more women came forward and admitted that they had affairs with him as well. But this cheating celeb didn't stop there. He dated tattoo artist Kat von D shortly after his break-up with Bullock. She would go on to admit in a blog post after their relationship ended that he cheated on her with at least 19 women.



### **3. Tiger Woods and Rachel Uchitel**

In 2009, it was revealed that the golf pro had been cheating on wife Elin Nordegren with not just Rachel Uchitel, a club hostess, but at least a dozen other women. Woods even confessed having 120 affairs during his five-year marriage with Nordegren. The celebrity couple ended up splitting in 2010, with Nordegren receiving custody of their two children and a \$110 million divorce settlement.

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### **4. Hugh Grant and Estella Marie Thompson**

English actor Hugh Grant is known for a lot of things in Hollywood and his affair with a prostitute, a huge celebrity scandal, is unfortunately one of them. In 1995, Grant and prostitute Estella Marie Thompson (also known as Divine Brown) were arrested after a policeman caught them in Grant's car on Sunset Boulevard. Grant was dating actress Elizabeth Hurley at the time. To her credit, this celeb stood by him for another five years, but this Hollywood relationship ended in 2000.

### **5. Bill Clinton and Monica Lewinsky**

Who could ever forget the infamous blue dress? For those who need a refresher, President Bill Clinton cheated on his wife, 2016 presidential candidate Hillary Clinton, with 22-year-old White House intern Monica Lewinsky. Although this happened in the late '90s, we still can't get over this scandalous political celebrity scandal that resulted in the president's impeachment.

**What other celebrity couple affairs and celebrity cheating scandals shocked you? Let us know in the comments section below!**

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# Chelsea Clinton Discusses Plans to Have Children



After two years of marriage, former First Daughter Chelsea Clinton is finally talking babies with Marc Mezvinsky. [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com) reports that in the September issue of *Vogue* Clinton shares that starting a family is “certainly something that Marc and I talk a lot about.” But the couple is in no rush. “Marc and I are both working really hard right now, but I think in a couple of years, hopefully . . . literally, God willing. And I hope my mom can wait that long.” Clinton is coincidentally the same age as her mother, Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton, was when she gave birth.

**How do you know when it’s the right time to have kids?**



## **Cupid's Advice:**

After marriage the idea of having kids can be exciting, but you have to make sure you are settled in your life before taking on a whole new adventure. Here's how to make sure the timing is right:

**1. Financially secure:** You want your kids to have the best life possible, and if you're having money problems your child will be negatively affected. Having children is all about love but don't forget that you also need to be able to support them.

**2. You've spent enough alone time in your marriage:** After your big wedding day, spend at least a couple of months in the honeymoon phase of your marriage. Get to know each other as a married couple and enjoy your intimate alone time before you add a plus one.

**3. You know what you're getting into:** The thought of having children can conjure up images of love, playfulness and happiness, but you need to be prepared for all of the difficulties behind the positives. You need to read up on what to expect during pregnancy, how to care for newborns and then some. It would even help to get advice from other families. No one knows exactly what to expect when starting a family, but it's good to be knowledgeable about the basics.

**How would you know when it's the right time to have kids? Tell us below.**

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# Alec Baldwin Skips Emmy's for Night Out with New Girlfriend



30 Rock's Alec Baldwin skipped Sunday's Emmy's for a night out with his new girlfriend Hilaria Thomas. According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), the actor attended Tony Bennett's 85<sup>th</sup> Birthday Gala benefiting Exploring the Arts in New York City. The bash, which was held at Lincoln Center's Metropolitan Opera House, included Whoopi Goldberg, Bill and Hilary Clinton, Robert DeNiro, and of course Baldwin and Thomas were spotted packing on the PDA. "He had his hands all over [her] the entire night," an eyewitness said. Another insider stated that Baldwin is committed to staying single, but his being so public with Thomas "makes me think it might be a little more serious."

**How do you prioritize when it comes to a relationship?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

It may be challenging to make time for your loved ones, but it's important to do so. If you aren't sure how to prioritize when it comes to your relationship, here are some tips:

**1. Schedule one day:** Your job is important to you, but so is your significant other. By spending at least a day or several hours in a week solely with your honey, it'll show them how much they mean to you.

**2. Lunch or dinner:** If it's difficult to spend a day or more than a few hours with your partner in a week, try to schedule a time that's suitable for both of you to have lunch or dinner together.

**3. Family:** Spending quality time with your family is equally important as spending it with your mate. Find time to have several get-togethers with all of your loved ones.

**How do you prioritize when it comes to a relationship? Share with us by commenting below.**

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# **Cupid Exclusive: The Double Life of Alfred Buber**





By **Vincent D. Scebbi**

Every man has a virtual life that he lives in his imagination. Much of it surrounds fantasies about women. However, most keep their deep dark desires in check. [\*The Double Life of Alfred Buber\*](#) by David Schmahmann tells the story of a man who acts out his repressed urges. It is the story of a successful lawyer who feels deeply dissatisfied with his life. In an effort to find consolation, he secretly ventures to the brothels and bars of Southeast Asia while telling people he is in Paris or London. “Of course it doesn’t end happily,” said Schmahmann. The double-life can’t end happily. But, some people do get away with it.” To write the story, Schmahmann admits he didn’t need to go far into his mind to get into the head of his character. Like Buber and many men, Schmahmann lives in a world of “what if” scenarios.

This scandalous novel was ironically released around the same time as the “sexting” controversy involving U.S. Representative, Anthony Weiner. Other notable scandals that have appeared in recent history include athletic figures such as Brett Farve and Rex Ryan, along with politicians such as



former California Governor, Arnold Schwarzenegger, and John Edwards. Schmahmann has been asked many times if there is a correlation between powerful figures and sex scandals and he believes there is. It's been something that has been with us forever. "Jimmy Carter lusted after women and then you see characters like Al Gore who admitted to hanging out with hookers," Schmahmann said. "I think men, by and large, are a boiling mess of unacquired desires when it comes to women." Politicians' desire for power and sense of feeling "bulletproof" carries over into their sex lives."

Though the Monica Lewinski scandal is cited as wrecking Clinton's political credibility, his marriage to current Secretary of State, Hillary Clinton, remains intact. Schmahmann's character isn't married, however, he believes there is no definite reason why a woman chooses to stay or leave her partner. "Clinton's wife stuck with him. Jefferson's wife stuck with him even though he was raising a second family with her half-sister. Weiner's wife stuck with him on the other hand, Schwarzenegger's wife has left," stated Schmahmann. The author suspects these urges that can cause a double life stem from youth and perhaps a solution can be found there. "These impulses are a residue of adolescence, I think, even if you look at popular culture references such as *American Pie*, boys spend their teenage years attempting to understand and get access to girls, and I think to some extent, healthier adolescences make healthier adults, but that's too much to ask," Schmahmann said. Schmahmann does offer some advice for anyone struggling in a double life, quoting the Dali Lama, "don't confuse pleasure with happiness. Happiness is a much more stable, long-term goal."

David Schmahmann was born in Durban, South Africa. He is a graduate of Dartmouth College and Cornell Law School, and has studied in India and Israel and worked in Burma. His first novel, *Empire Settings*, received the John Gardner Book Award, and his publications include a short story in The Yale

Review and articles on legal issues. He practices law in Boston, and lives in Weston, Massachusetts with his wife and two daughters. You can order his book online at Amazon or BarnesandNoble.com.

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## Election Day Celebrity Style



By Kaitlyn Monteiro

With this year's 2010 midterm elections coming to a close today, we aren't seeing the celebrity star power that we witnessed in 2008. Make no mistake; it's not the Presidential election but it's still an important time to vote. According to experts, Hollywood is staying home this

election period. Why the lack of star power now? Where's Brad and Angelina? Demi and Ashton? Whether we like it or not, these famous folks can influence public opinion. If you and your partner are ready to vote but don't see eye-to-eye when it comes to politics, there are still ways that you can make a stance while maintaining a healthy relationship:

1. One way to achieve neutral ground is by educating others. Instead of focusing your attention on who you're voting for, put the spotlight on the traditional lack of voter turn out instead and help increase the numbers.

2. Stand behind a group. While Jay-Z has made it clear in the past Presidential election who he was voting for, this time around he's working with the Vote Again 2010 campaign headed by HeadCount, a nonpartisan organization that works with musicians to promote participation in democracy. Find ways to get involved with groups that share the same political viewpoint as you.

3. Avoid trying to change your partner's opinion. You're with them because of the person they are, not the political candidate they support. Respect that they have the right to an opinion that differs from yours. Don't ridicule your significant other's views on certain issues – instead, listen and work to understand their stance.

Without becoming a political celebrity staple, celebrity couples are taking on a more open-minded and neutral stance when it comes to the midterm elections, and you and your significant other can try this out too. While issues dealt with during political elections can be the breaking point for some couples, that doesn't mean that Republicans, Democrats, and all parties alike cannot find mutual grounds in the dating world.