

Relationship Advice: How and Where To Meet Men



On this week's [Single in Stilettos](#) video, matchmaker Suzanne Oshima and dating expert Marni Kinrys give [relationship advice](#) on how and where to meet the man of your dreams.

Relationship Advice On How To Meet 'The One'

Meeting 'the one' can seem like an impossible task, but this expert love advice will have you dating someone new in no time. To start, the experts say that you have to put yourself out there. Having a social life requires work and effort.

Delegate one day a week where you will do something that will put you in a position to meet a man. Whether that be having a dinner party for singles, going to a bar, going to a singles event, joining a running club for singles, or online dating, there are so many places to meet someone new.

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Remember, it's important to be active and do more than two things to meet someone. Men (and women) are everywhere, it's just a matter of opening your eyes and looking around. Women: Don't be afraid to approach a man and just say hi. If he's interested, he'll take the lead from there. The biggest confusion and misconception is that people don't want to be approached.

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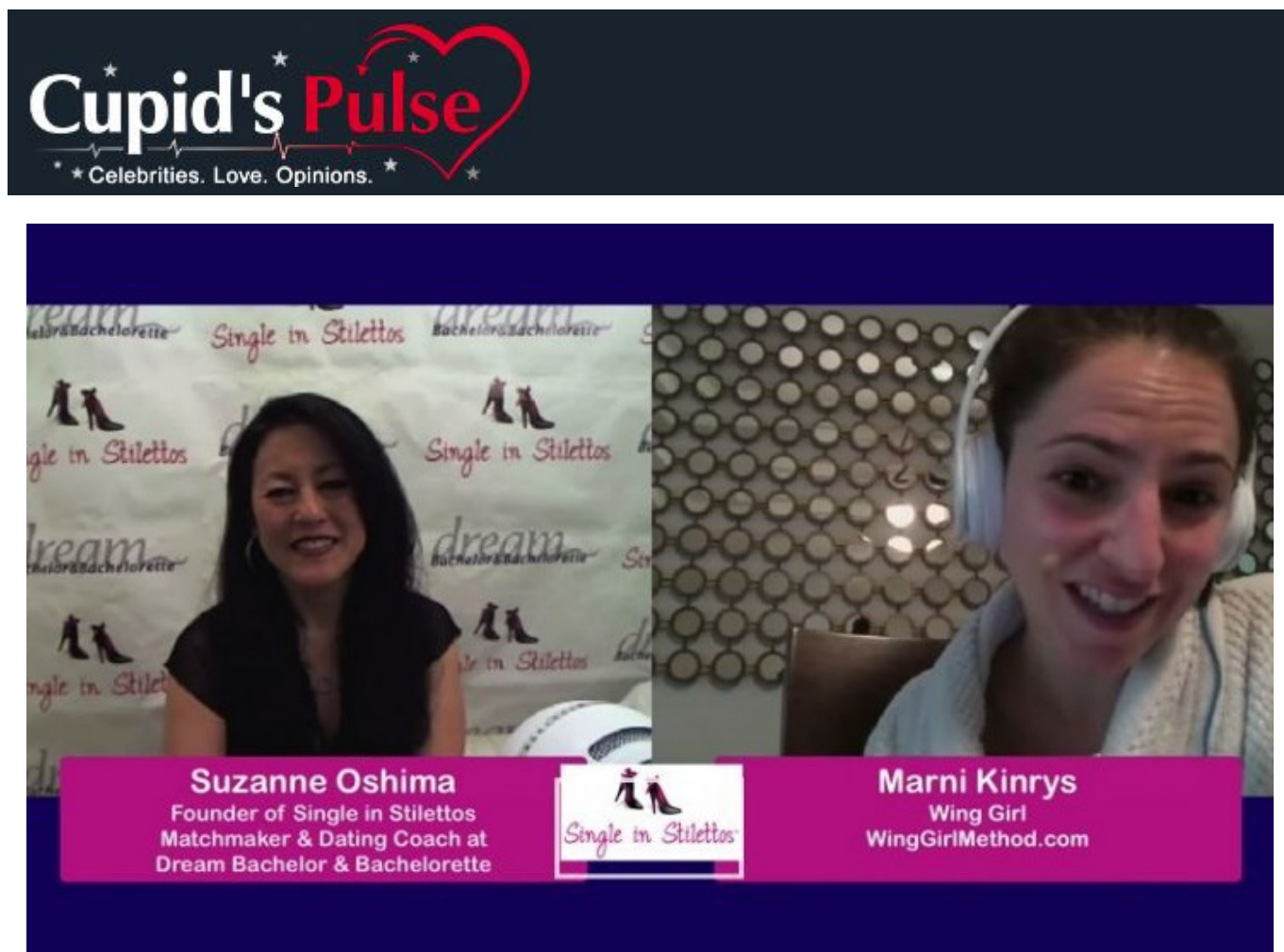
You can even start a conversation with someone on the subway or at the grocery store. Just opening yourself up to any and all opportunities will help you find the man of your dreams. Follow this relationship advice, because the only way you can have people in your life, is to be open to it.

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Dating Experts Say Your List Of Must-Haves Isn't That Important!



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Expert Love Advice About Your List of Must-Haves

Do you ever wonder why you can't find a relationship and love

to last a lifetime? The truth is, you probably have a long list of must-haves and ridiculous expectations. Dating experts agree that women put too much pressure on men. For instance, they expect them to be charismatic and witty, like the guys we see in movies; however, in real life, these type of men are usually the jerks.

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If you have a list of must-haves that is impossible to meet, listen to this expert love advice: Open your parameters and help a man out instead of waiting for him to fail! Add to the conversation and ask your date questions so he can feel more confident. Remember that you're looking for a life partner, and it just doesn't matter how tall he is or if he has a full head of hair. The more closed off you are and the more things you have on your list, the longer you'll be single. We all have a picture perfect man in our heads, but we need to let go of that idea in order to give the right guy a chance.

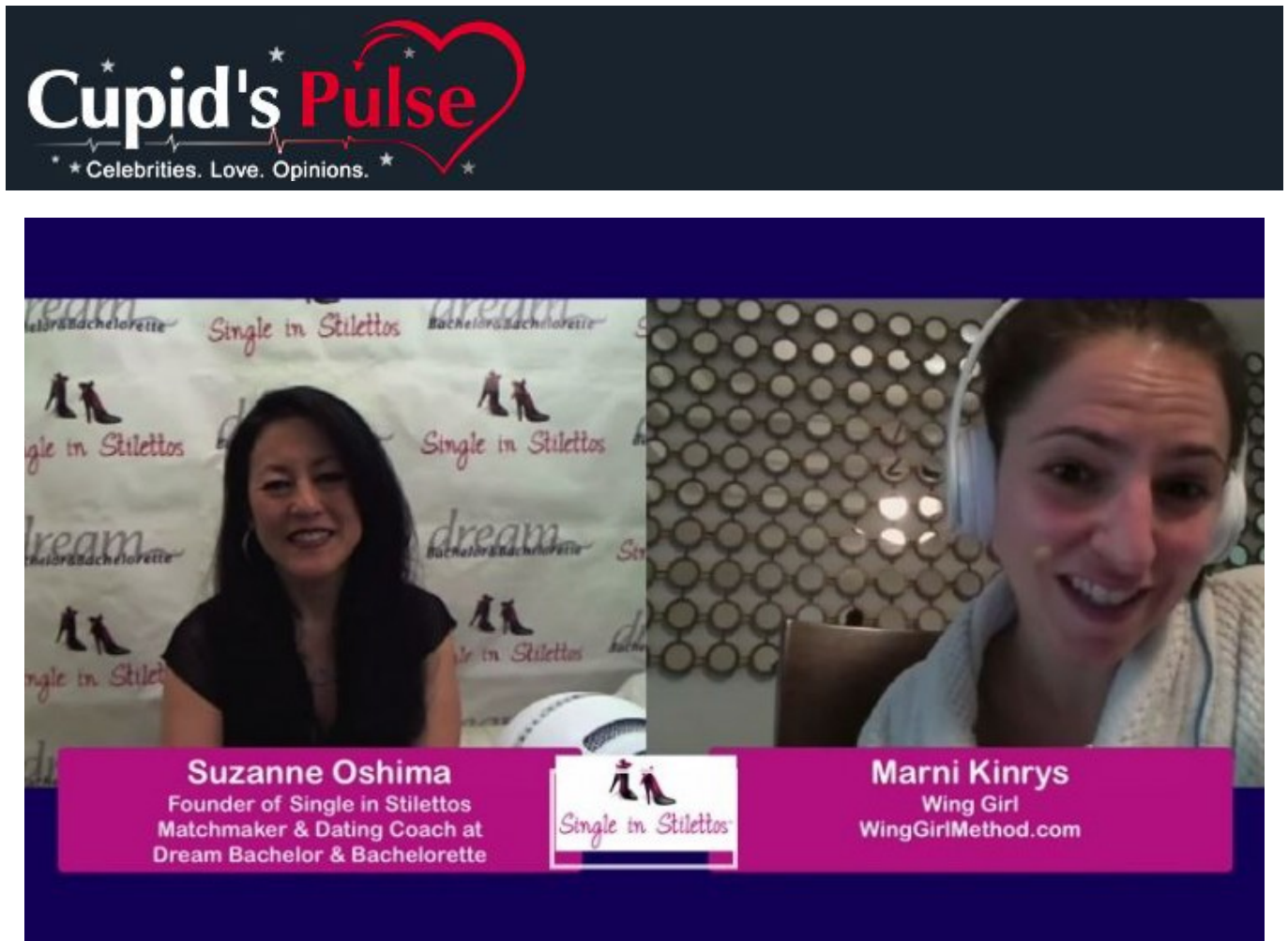
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Expert Dating Advice: The

Secrets Men Will Never Tell You



It's no secret that men and women think and act totally different, especially when it comes to love. According to this expert dating advice, ladies, if you know the things that men will never tell you, it'll help you be more successful in your search for The One.

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Here are three secrets that you need to keep in mind:

1. Men are afraid to approach you: They're terrified of rejection, so they'd rather not risk it and not say anything to you at all.

2. Men put a lot of pressure on themselves: They want everything from your first date to your first kiss to be perfect, so give them a break!

3. Men can't read your signals: Just like you don't always understand them, they don't always understand you. They need help understanding your signals, so make your feelings very clear for them.

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Single in Stilettos Show: Dating Advice for Attracting an Alpha Male





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Relationship Experts Share Reveal Dating Advice for Attracting an Alpha Male

While Kinrys has worked with a lot of alpha males who are attracted to strong women, the dating expert believes that all men still want to feel needed by their partner. If they don't, they won't stick around. So ladies, no matter how independent you are, you need to let the man take the lead when it comes to your relationship and love life!

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Expert Love Advice: He's Great, But He's a Bad Kisser...Now What?!





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Dating Experts Discuss What to Do About a Bad Kisser

The founder of the Wing Girl Method believes that, unlike women, men don't like to hear that they're doing something incorrectly or that they're turning you off in some way. "So there has to be a gentle way for you to say, "Yeah, you're the worst kisser in the entire world!" Kinrys explains. According to her expert love advice, the best way to do so is to take on a teacher role and show him in a fun and flirty way how you like to be kissed.

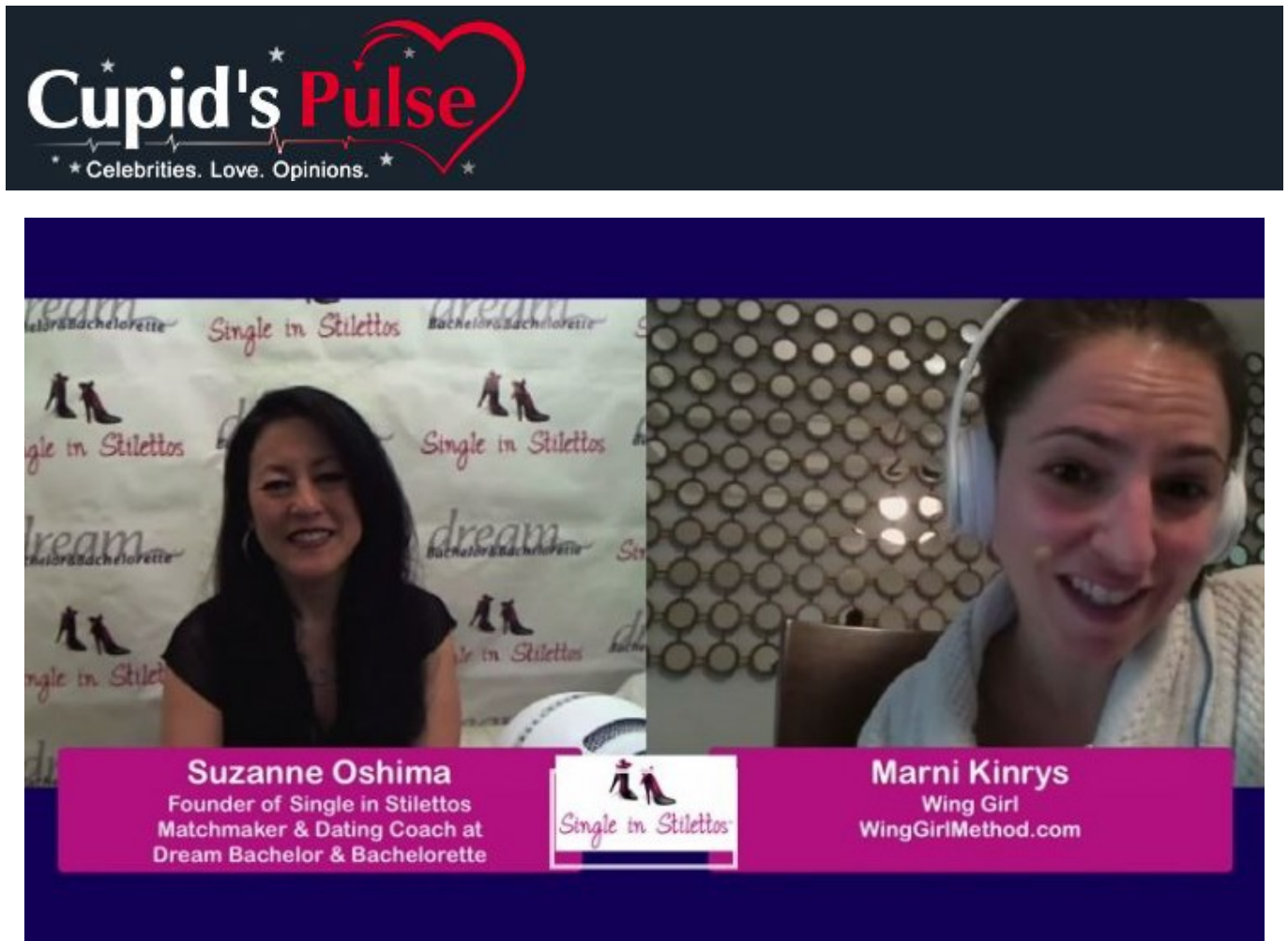
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Afterwards, you want to reward him. "Say something like, 'That was so sexy the way you were kissing me,'" the relationship expert shares. "Walk him through those steps again so it reinforces what it was he was doing that was correct."

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Single in Stilettos Show: What Turns a Man On



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Relationship Advice for the Early Stages of Dating

These dating experts share their best relationship advice for what keeps a man's attention after the first few dates. In the

beginning, of course, your chemistry is based primary on your looks, the way you smile, and how you smell. But if you want him to stick around, you have to make him happy. It's really as simple as that! The best way to do so is by communicating clearly. Men get confused easily, so say what you mean and mean what you say. If you follow this relationship advice, you'll quickly move from "just dating" to a committed partnership with the right guy.

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'The Bachelorette' Season 8 Finale: Tips for Lasting Love





By Marni Kinrys, Ultimate Wing Girl

I have to say, I was shocked at 'The Bachelorette' finale. Well, kind-of shocked. For some reason, I *knew* that Emily was going to pick Jef, but I was still surprised that she didn't choose Arie. It goes to show you that physical chemistry does not equal partnership for life and that you can make the right choice if you take your time and really evaluate what relationship is best for you.

I have to give Emily so much credit for being able to see that difference between her two final suitors. Throughout this season, she has been a strong and steady Bachelorette, working hard to not let her heart solely dictate her decisions. She has been smart about her choices, and when it comes to love, we all know how challenging that can be.

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Thinking back on past episodes, I remember when I started to see the potential for Emily and Jef to be a successful couple.

When they were lying on the floor in Prague, kissing, giggling and talking easily about the future, I knew that Jef had won her heart. They didn't just have chemistry; they had a best friendship. That's the primary distinction between relationships that fizzle and relationships that last forever.

Now that Emily's found love, I want to help all of you do the same! Here are my tips on how to decipher if someone is a good choice for you for the long haul. Ask yourself the following questions:

1. Does this person challenge me in a good way? The best partnerships are with those that help us grow and see the world in new and interesting ways. Yes, it's always great to have a lot in common with a person, but too many similarities can get old and dull pretty quickly. Someone different from you helps you see sides of yourself that you didn't know existed. The saying that "opposites attract" *really* is true.

2. Does this person turn me on physically *and* mentally? YES, I know physical compatibility is important, but stimulation of the mind and emotionally understanding each other is equally important.

3. Does this person get me? In relationships, you don't always have to agree with one another, but it's essential to *get* one another. The couples with the strongest survival rates are the ones where they really work on getting to know one another. You need to understand who your partner is and what he or she is all about – and appreciate him or her because of this uniqueness.

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4. Does this person have the same values as I do? I know so many people who say that they have the same values as their significant other, but when I ask them what those values are, they draw a blank. Knowing your own core belief system and

understanding your partner's morals is so important to a successful marriage. If you want a guide to discovering your values, email me at marni@winggirlmethod.com and let me know that you read this post.

5. Does this person make even the hard times seem fun? If you are going to be with someone the rest of your life, you better be able to have fun with that person. Life will be tough sometimes, and it's important to keep that in mind when selecting a partner.

I think Emily and Jef seem like a great couple. I am so happy for the two of them, and I know that they are going to have a fulfilling relationship based on love, admiration and open communication.

'The Bachelorette' Season 8, Episode 9: The Dos and Don'ts of Masculinity





By Marni Kinrys, of WingGirlMethod.com

OMG I was totally shocked last night when Emily Maynard did not pick Sean Lowe. I totally thought that Jef Holm was going to be sent packing. My husband and I were watching the show (he will deny it if ever asked), and both of us thought that it was going to be Arie Luyendyk and Sean for sure. I actually think my husband has a crush on Sean based on how disappointed he was that this “solid man” was not selected.

After the show ended, my husband and I got into a discussion about masculinity and what it means. The conversation was sparked from my husband commenting on Sean being so solid and then telling me how his exit speech would go. Strange, I know.

In the past, most people would define masculinity as being the Alpha Male: strong, aggressive, fearless, dominant. Today, though, the definition is a little different. And thank goodness for that. Today's modern masculinity includes balanced men. Men that can listen but also speak. They can be assertive and not aggressive. They can express emotion without being emotional. I like to call these men “nice guys with an edge.”

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During last night's episode, I have never seen more amazing examples of the modern masculinity – especially when dealing with the whole “forgo your fantasy suite” scenario.

Jef

I loved it when Jef literally took the words out of Emily's mouth and nobly said, “Out of respect for our families, I don't think it's a good idea to use this key.” It was not a tactic to get Emily to want him more. It was genuine and real and masculine. A non-masculine man would have had his sex goggles on, unable to think about the full picture. But Jef is a solid, good man that knows what's important and is willing to wait so that everyone is comfortable. Amazing!

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Sean

Sean also displayed his modern masculinity on his date when he opened up to Emily about what he wants and what he envisions for their future together. He had the perfect balance of being vulnerable and strong. His words were precise and real. You could tell that he had actually put serious thought into the potential scenario. In fact, he even stated that he did in his exit ride.

Arie

Now, I know Arie didn't get a chance to turn down his fantasy suite offer, but his statements on how to form relationships with children won me over last night. Again, a man who has taken the time to think about the full picture. He is not just thinking about getting the girl. He's thinking about starting a life together as a family.

Seeing these three guys makes me even happier that guys like Ryan are no longer suitors on 'The Bachelorette.' Emily has landed herself two solid and strong options for a future husband, and I know this final decision will be especially tough for her.

For all the men that are reading this blog, watch the next episode of the show and take note of the two finalists. These guys are examples of modern masculine men – they're what all women want!

'The Bachelorette' Season 8, Episode 7: How to Express Your Love, Bachelorette Style





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That's it! I've decided that, if things don't work out with my husband and if I ever have to look for love again, I'm going to have a baby first. There must be some hormone that's released when you have a child that allows you to be more open, real and honest. It's amazing how I continue to be impressed by Emily Maynard. She definitely knows how to date and make sure she's getting what she wants.

Her final four bachelors are truly a solid group of men. They definitely proved themselves last night with their ability to express themselves and communicate with Emily, something that is essential to any great relationship. As I always say, in order to get what you want, you have to ask for it – and last night, the guys asked for it!

Hopefully, you have heard of The 5 Love Languages, an amazing book that everyone should read, especially if you are looking for a relationship. The book says that there are five ways for humans to express their love: words of affirmation, quality time, receiving gifts, acts of service and physical touch.

Once an individual understands their love language, it makes relationships easier for them because they know what is needed for them to feel loved and appreciated.

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It's always interesting to see which language people use most often. For example, Arie is definitely about physical touch. Whether it's a hug or something more subtle, he is always trying to get close to Emily. For him, touch re-connects him to her – and based on her attraction to him, it's definitely working. I'm a touch girl myself, so any touch that Arie gives literally makes me feel warm inside.

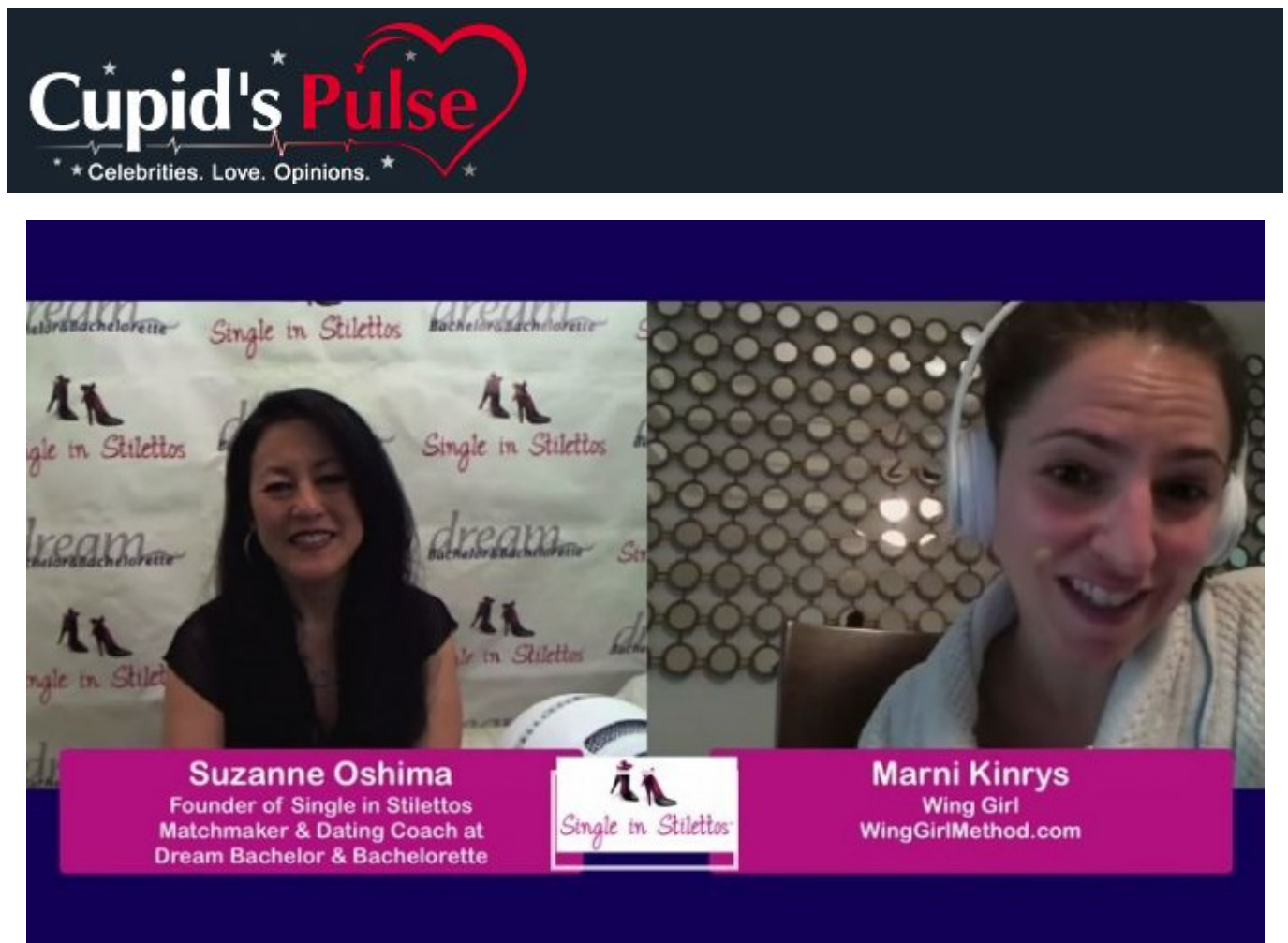
Sean, on the other hand, is all about quality time. He makes a point to pull Emily away and ensures that they have good quality time together. His sub-languages (those languages that he uses less often) may be physical touch and words of affirmation.

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The surprise of the night for me was Jef. I was having trouble getting a read on this guy, and last night, I suddenly felt excited and gushy for his relationship with Emily. Jef's love language is a combination of receiving gifts and words of affirmation. I think words dominate for him because, once he got that verbal affirmation from Emily, he immediately loosened up and was able to give her what she needed. So cute! I want to hug him.

Knowing how to express your love is so important, both in the real world and on television. Hopefully, every man who was forced to watch last night's episode learned a valuable lesson: do NOT hold back when it comes to expressing yourself. If you really feel it, express it!

'The Bachelorette' Season 8, Episode 6: The Dos and Don'ts of Trusting Your Gut



By Marni Kinrys, of WingGirlMethod.com

If there is one thing I can say about Emily Maynard, it's that she has a super human strength for trusting her gut, instead of listening to her heart. This is a skill set that most women do not have but should definitely work on developing.

Just as the men on 'The Bachelorette' rewarded her for seeing through Ryan's suave exterior, I want to do the same. Emily is

a woman who knows what's best for her long term and I can't help but have extreme respect for her, if not a little crush.

This super power that Emily possesses, is learnable and something that all women need to focus on. It will stop them from falling for jerk's and d-bags.

Here is my list of Do's and Don'ts for Trusting Your Gut:

Do Not – Keep a man in your life because you think they're awesome. One of the worst things for men is being stuck in the friend zone. It's basically like kicking them in the balls day after day after day. I am so happy Emily was honest with Travis and let him go before his feelings got more intense. I know it hurt Travis in the moment, but in the long run it will help him tremendously. His heart was blocked and closed off for two years. I think it will now be open again.

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Do – See past a few insecure flaws. I wanted to yank Doug out of my TV, give me 30 minutes of coaching and then sit him back on that couch with Emily. I'm not 100% of this but I think Doug is the kind of guy that's a gentleman, until given permission not to be. I am so happy Emily kept him around, to explore who he is for one more week. But, if he does not get his act together next week, she's going to have to set him free. Which will be a shame, because he is a solid man that I think would make Emily very happy. Show her the Grrrrr..... Doug!!

Do Not – Be swayed by words of persuasion. I was so nervous for Emily when Ryan kept talking to her, using persuasive tactics, after she said she would not be giving him rose. YES there was some sincerity from Ryan's end, but I believe those emotions were driven from the pain of losing the competition rather than losing Emily. You could tell she was so torn, but fighting what her libido wants vs. her heart. I'm glad she

chose to let him go. It will give her more space to let the other men into her life.

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Do – Ask the tough questions. Emily is the queen of understanding that if you want to know something, you gotta to ask to hear it. I know I was not alone when I was shocked by her interaction with Doug. Wow!! She asked for him to open up and he did. Every day women may be missing out because some great men don't show you their greatness until you deserve to see it.

Emily is helping women see the importance of selecting a GOOD, solid partner. A message that I feel is lost in most Bachelor seasons. Keep up the good work Emily. I truly believe you are on your way to finding a great love!

'The Bachelorette' Season 8, Episode 5: The Dos and Dont's For Taking Your Relationship To The Next Level





By Marni Kinrys, of WingGirlMethod.com

We've made it! We're finally to the halfway point when the superficial, made-for-TV drama must go away and make room for the real connections to bloom on 'The Bachelorette.' Emily Maynard is now in falling-in-love mode, so it's time for the guys to get serious and show her they're ready to fall in love too.

As you know, I work with thousands of men, and one of their biggest challenges is connecting. Connection is something that comes really naturally to women, especially to a woman like Emily. As a single mother, she is even more open to love. But for men, the ability to share themselves with a woman can be a daunting task.

Honestly, I have been surprised this season because most of the contestants have it figured out. But there are still some who struggle with opening up, which may hurt their chances of taking their relationship with Emily to the next level – especially as the number of men gets smaller and smaller every week.

Here is my list of dos and don'ts for taking your relationship to the next level and truly connecting with your partner.

Do: Create trust and protection in a relationship. Whether you're a woman or a man, you need to feel safe in a relationship. I love the way that Sean is so willing to share his feelings with Emily. He's expressing his emotions *without* being emotional, a skill that few people are able to pull off. His behavior provides Emily with the security to always know what he is thinking, allowing her to never question their relationship. Safety!

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Don't: Never put down, belittle or betray a date, especially in front of others. What the hell was Kalon thinking? For someone who cares so much about what others think, you would think he would be more discrete about his true feelings for Emily. He basically made a mockery of the Bachelorette process, and I couldn't have been happier when Emily told him, in her squeaky, sick voice, to get the f*&k out. Loved it!

Do: Have fun! Being able to laugh at yourself is the ultimate sign that you are open to developing new relationships and nurturing old ones. No one wants to be with Mr. or Mrs. Serious. Being uptight and well-spoken all the time is no fun. For instance, on the group date, Doug, Arie and Travis really stepped up to the plate. They showed Emily that, no matter what crazy situation she threw at them, they could handle it and laugh their way through it.

Don't: Sit there and say nothing when someone talks smack about your partner, especially if you have built a strong bond with each other. I am sure that this situation was a tough one for Arie. If he watched previous seasons where contestants would cause a disconnect when they tattled on one another, then it would've been easy to second guess his instinct. But

Emily was starting to see Arie as her protector, and in this instance, he failed her. Hopefully, they can get over that hump and rebuild their strong connection.

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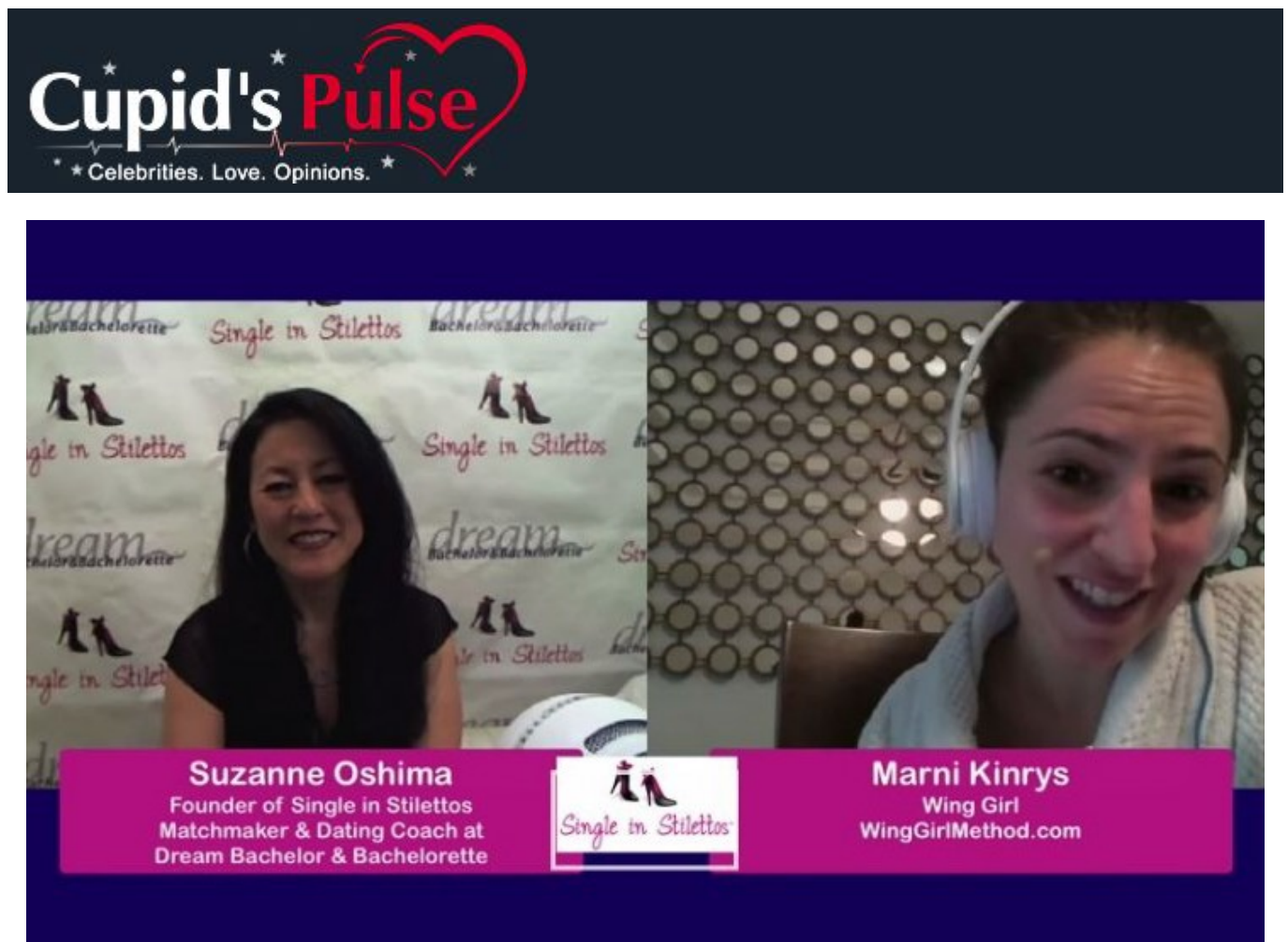
Do: Listen to the Queen of Pop and EXPRESS YOURSELF. When Emily was on her date with Jef, she kept mentioning how hard he was to read – and I wholeheartedly agree, which is why it was so essential for him to put into words what he was feeling and thinking. As much as we like to think we are mind readers, we are not. Expressing yourself is the one sure-fire way to boost a connection and move your relationship to the next level.

Don't: Wait for others (in this case, Emily) to come to you. The only way to get what you want is by asking for it. Alejandro got the boot because he didn't ask for what he wanted. He wanted to get to know Emily better, but he never took the initiative to make that happen. In a room full of 25 dudes, you have to step up and be an Alpha male in order to be noticed.

Connection is the toughest part of any relationship. You can't fake it, but you can open yourself up so that it happens more easily. I can't wait to see what happens next week. Be sure to tune in as these men fall harder for Emily and attempt to take their relationship to the next level!

'The Bachelorette' Season 8,

Episode 4: Pucker Up! Lessons Learned from Emily Maynard



By Marni Kinrys, Ultimate Wing Girl

Well, I think we found Doug's imperfection: he has a vagina. "I never make the first move." Come on, Dougy! No wonder you have not been kissed in months. Don't you know women rarely make the first move? They should, but that would be unladylike.

This issue kept popping up over and over again in last night's episode of 'The Bachelorette,' and I could tell Emily was getting frustrated with the guys. Doug turned bright red, and you could see him internally fighting the urge to kiss her, trying to respect his self-imposed rules. And then, there was the young, skateboarder Jef. This was the second time he had

her on the beach and he didn't lean in for a kiss. Instead, he opted to cut their time together short. Obviously, Emily felt rejected because these guys wouldn't just go for it.

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As a woman who has worked with thousands of men and helped them learn how to attract, date and be with the women of their dreams, I know how high-pressured and challenging making that first move can be. Just like us ladies, men don't want to get rejected and they don't want to be jerks. One of my clients said to me, "I'm not sure how to balance being a respectful gentleman and being aggressive sexually. I know women want both, but it doesn't feel right to push myself on a woman." This fear is pretty common. Especially in *good* men.

I know Emily was doing her best to help the guys out by giving them "kiss me" signals, but sometimes, these signs were a little too subtle for men to pick up. If she were one of the boys on 'The Bachelor' she would have seen the signs instantly, but men are different. Ladies, you have to step it up a notch and help men understand when you're ready and want a kiss.

I have put together a list of not-so-subtle things you can do to maintain your dignity and *still* let your date know that you want to be kissed:

Not-So-Subtle Signal #1: Touch a man. My sister-in-law called me a few weeks ago from the bathroom while on a date. She said, "Marni, you gotta help me. My date won't stop talking. I really like him, but he won't stop. What do I do?" I told her that he is probably nervous or worried about having awkward silence. I recommended that she go back to the table, and while he is talking, put her hand softly on his forearm, making eye contact and smiling. She called me after the date and told me that my advice worked. They are now a couple!

Not-So-Subtle Signal #2: Open up. Many women stop themselves from being kissed because of their body language: arms crossed, lips pursed, not talking a lot. I understand that this behavior can be caused by nerves, but imagine how that appears to a man sitting across the table from you. He's not a mind reader. So show him you are open to being kissed by uncrossing your arms, making eye contact, smiling and leaning towards him. If you are nervous, announce the elephant in the room and just tell him how you feel.

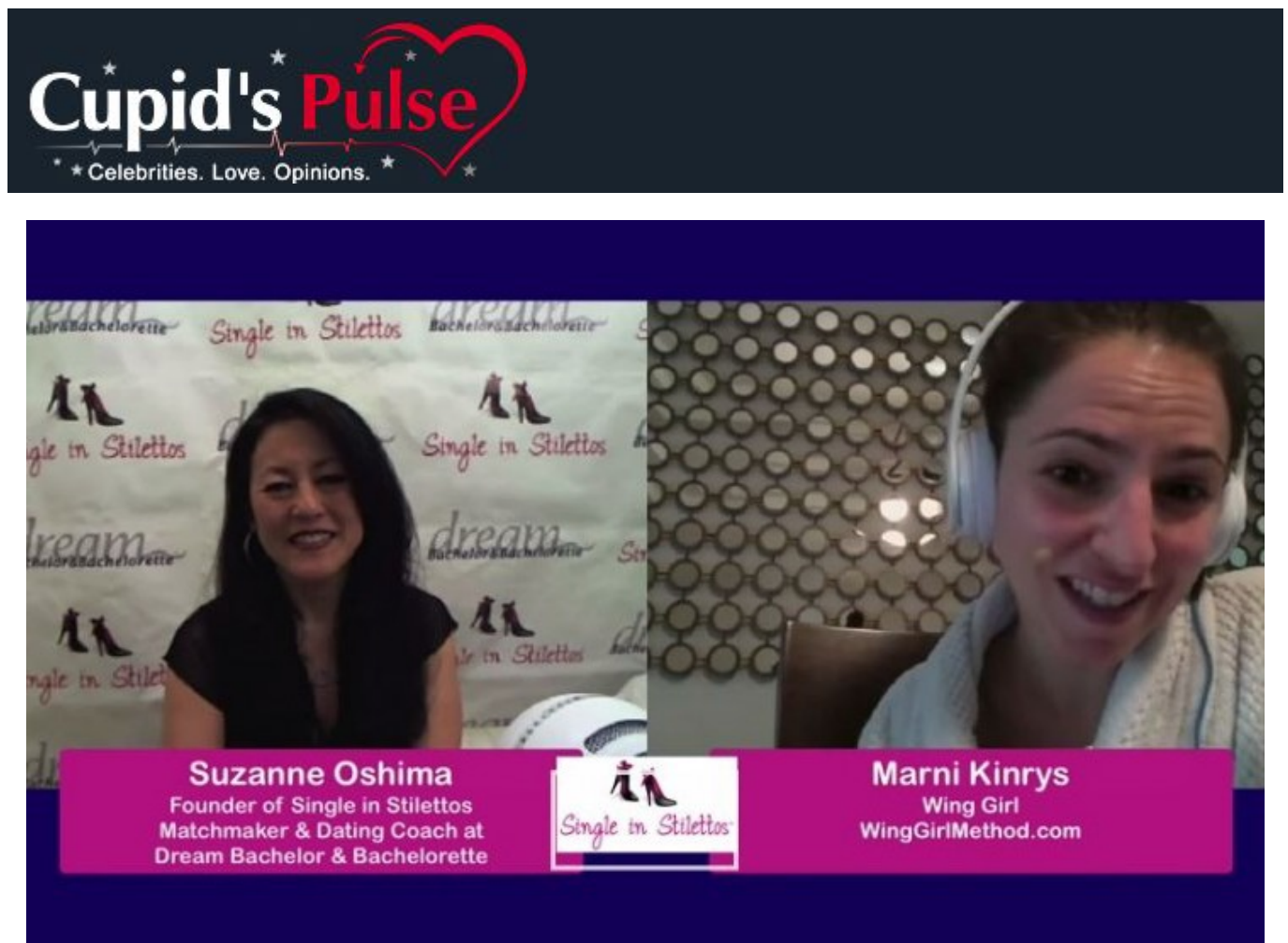
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Not-So-Subtle Signal #3: Step into his space and tell him what you're thinking. I know we all dream of a strong man assertively grabbing and kissing us, but with really good guys, that is rarely going to happen, especially in the beginning of the relationship. At the end of the night, if you want a kiss, step in close to him and rub his upper arm. Flutter your eyelashes and lick your lips; tell him that you like him and want to get to know him better. This approach takes out all the guesswork for a guy. With this move, you have stroked his ego. He knows he won you over, and now, he can make his move.

Not-So-Subtle Signal #4: Truthfully, this one is not so obvious, but you should give it a try: tell him you want to kiss him. Say it in a feminine, soft tone, and you'll still feel like the woman in the scenario. He'll probably be nervous, but he'll make it happen for sure.

To make it easier on the lovely men you date, follow these guidelines, and I guarantee you will leave feeling more fulfilled and less frustrated after a date. Instead, you'll be in the afterglow of the first kiss. Let's hope Emily starts to use these tips as well!

'The Bachelorette' Season 8, Episode 3: The Dos and Don'ts of Dating A Single Mom



By Marni Kinrys of www.winggirlmethod.com

Now, I am not a single mom or even a mother for that matter, but during last night's episode of 'The Bachelorette,' I got a good sense of how it may feel. I had no idea just how much parents put their children before them. It was beautiful.

I really believe that this season is no joke. They are getting down right serious. If this keeps up, Emily Maynard will come

out of this experience with a good, solid man and a great relationship. How do I know that? Because this season has one thing that has been lacking from every other season: reality!

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Last night's episode was kind of like a roller coaster for me. One second, I was falling head over heels for guys like Sean, Doug and Arie. The next second, I was ready to punch the screen and throw up. Like when Ryan basically said to Emily, "I won't do you if you become a fatty." I get what he was trying to say, but that man does not know how to sensitively deliver a message and communicate with women. Not a good sign if he wants to be a father to Emily's daughter. He would give the kid an eating disorder in less than a year. Hello, Dating Red Flag!!!

Lucky for Emily, there were numerous men who showed their true colors last night and made those flags very easy for her to spot and eliminate.

Here are my Do's and Don'ts of Dating A Single Mom based on what I learned last night:

Do: Show a single mom that you know how to comfort and take care of another person. For this reason alone, I freaking love Arie. On his date, he checked in with her, touched her, asked her questions. Then, at the Rose Ceremony, he could sense that something had gone wrong, and he pulled her in close to comfort her. That shows leadership, strength and warmth. A great combination for success with any woman, especially when dating a single mom.

Do Not: Wait for a woman, especially a single mother, to bring up "the talk" if you're not feeling it. Like Tony, the single dad who was emotionally breaking down. It was hard for me to watch; I kept thinking, "If you really felt a connection with her, you would push through because that would be the best

thing for you AND your son.” I could tell that he just wasn’t feeling it, which is why he was latching on so tightly to his son. Sweet but not attractive. He was afraid to admit “defeat.” Better to be honest with yourself rather than hurt a single mom when so much is at stake.

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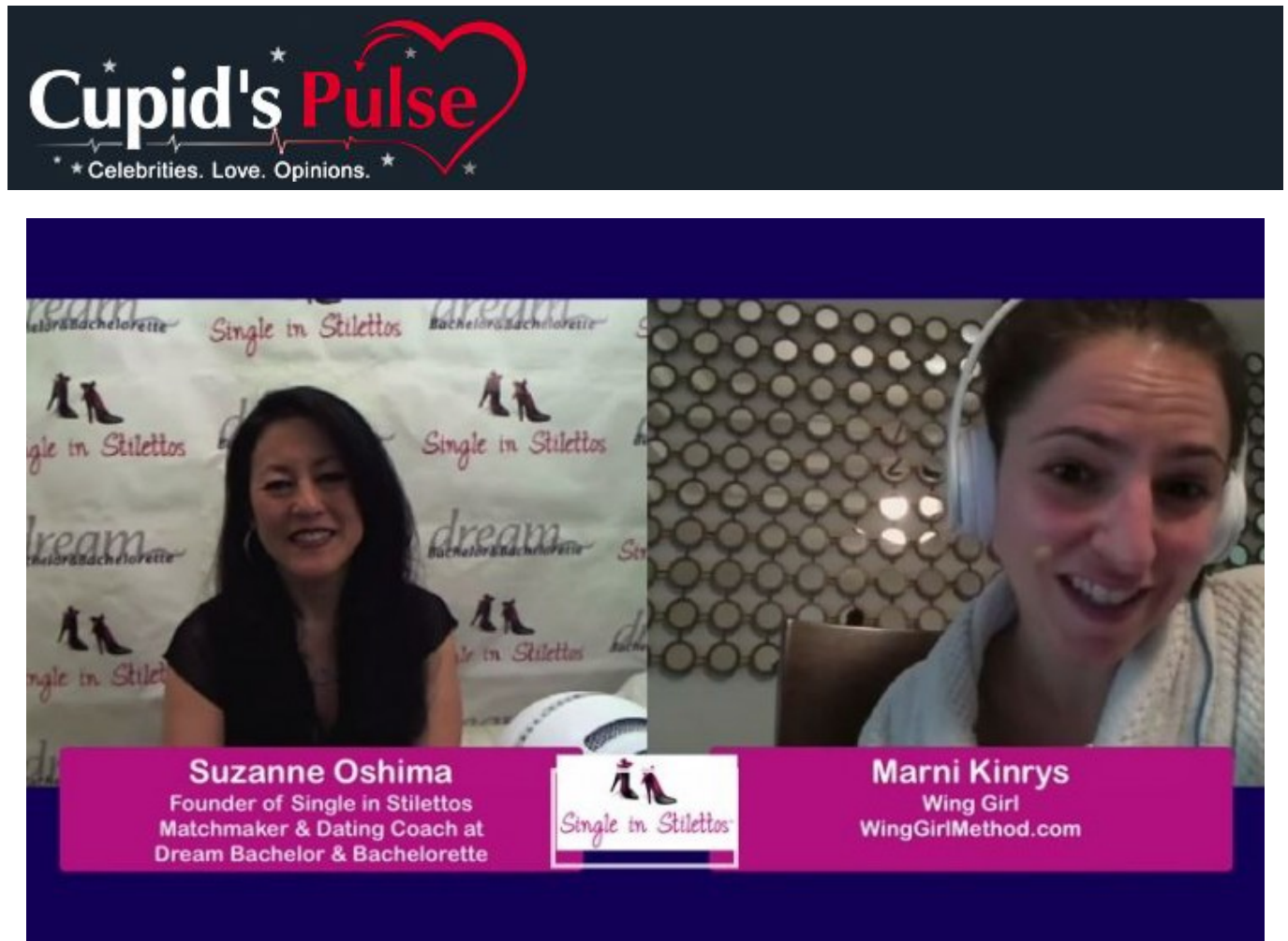
Do: Calmly express what you are thinking and picturing to a woman, while touching her at the same time. I love when Sean sat down with her, touched her forearm and communicated how a life with him would look. SEEEEXY!!! He did such a great job telling her who he was, what he was ready for and who he hoped to be for Emily.

Do Not: Tell a single mother that falling in love with her and gaining a child is a huge compromise. When Alessandro said that to her, I could feel my chest tightening up. The nerve of that man! Not to mention that he honestly seemed like a buffoon while he was talking to her. He wasn’t like that last week, was he? Buddy, leave at week one if the girl’s not right for you. No one should ever feel they are compromising BEFORE they get into a relationship.

Can’t wait to see what happens next week! Hopefully, Ryan and Kalon will show more of their true colors, and Emily will learn that these guys are NOT father material.

‘The Bachelorette’ Season 8,

Episode 2: Soccer, Cookies, and Muppets: Emily Maynard Keeps it Real



By Marni Kinrys, Ultimate Wing Girl

Has reality TV suddenly gone real? This season of the Bachelorette is actually shocking me because it's *real* (or as real as reality can get). They're in Emily's hometown. She's living in her own home with her daughter. Friends and family surround her while she seeks romance. Looks pretty real to me. We can only hope that the bachelors match up to that sentiment.

Every time the show wants to veer into la la land, it

immediately gets brought back to reality, with Emily. Her life is real and the decisions she makes will not only reflect her, but also her 6-year-old daughter. Things like this completely changes the game for her and the guys on the show.

As dynamic as a date can get, there is huge reality reminder right in front of every guy, at all times. Emily is a mother, and the winner will end his experience with a new wife and child. That should definitely weed out the competition hungry contestants vs. the sincere men who are there for the girl.

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I'm loving how assertive and hard hitting Emily has been right off that bat. For her it's essential. But is it reality?

I work with hundreds of thousands of guys all over the world. I tell them how to attract, date and get any woman they want. My first date advice to them is always "keep it light" but keep your eyes open and don't avoid red flags because she's pretty.

When the show ended I turned to my husband and said, do you think those questions would fly in the real world? His first response was "hell no". Then he thought for a second and said, there are some people that are just really comfortable putting it all out there because it's important to them. When you have a kid involved, that intensity is already increased for you. If you're with a guy who can't handle a little serious conversation on the first date, then he's probably not the guy for you. I think it's totally acceptable to get real on a first date as long as you don't let your emotions carry you away.

For Emily, dating is about finding a partner in life not a tennis partner for a match this weekend. In real life, you are free to bring up anything that you want on a first date,

second, third, twentieth. But you want to make sure you are bringing it up the right way and for the right reason.

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In open conversation there is no room to get emotional i.e. defensive, angry, moody, aggressive. Open conversation, is meant to be handled exactly as it was shown on last night's episode. Over a candle light dinner in a beautiful mansion ☐ Kidding. Open conversation, whether it's on the first date or the hundredth, is about expressing what you think and feel and then listening to what the other person has to say.

Do: Feel comfortable to talk about real things to pertain to you and your life. Talk openly and honestly with tact

Don't: Throw up your emotions and insecurities all over your date

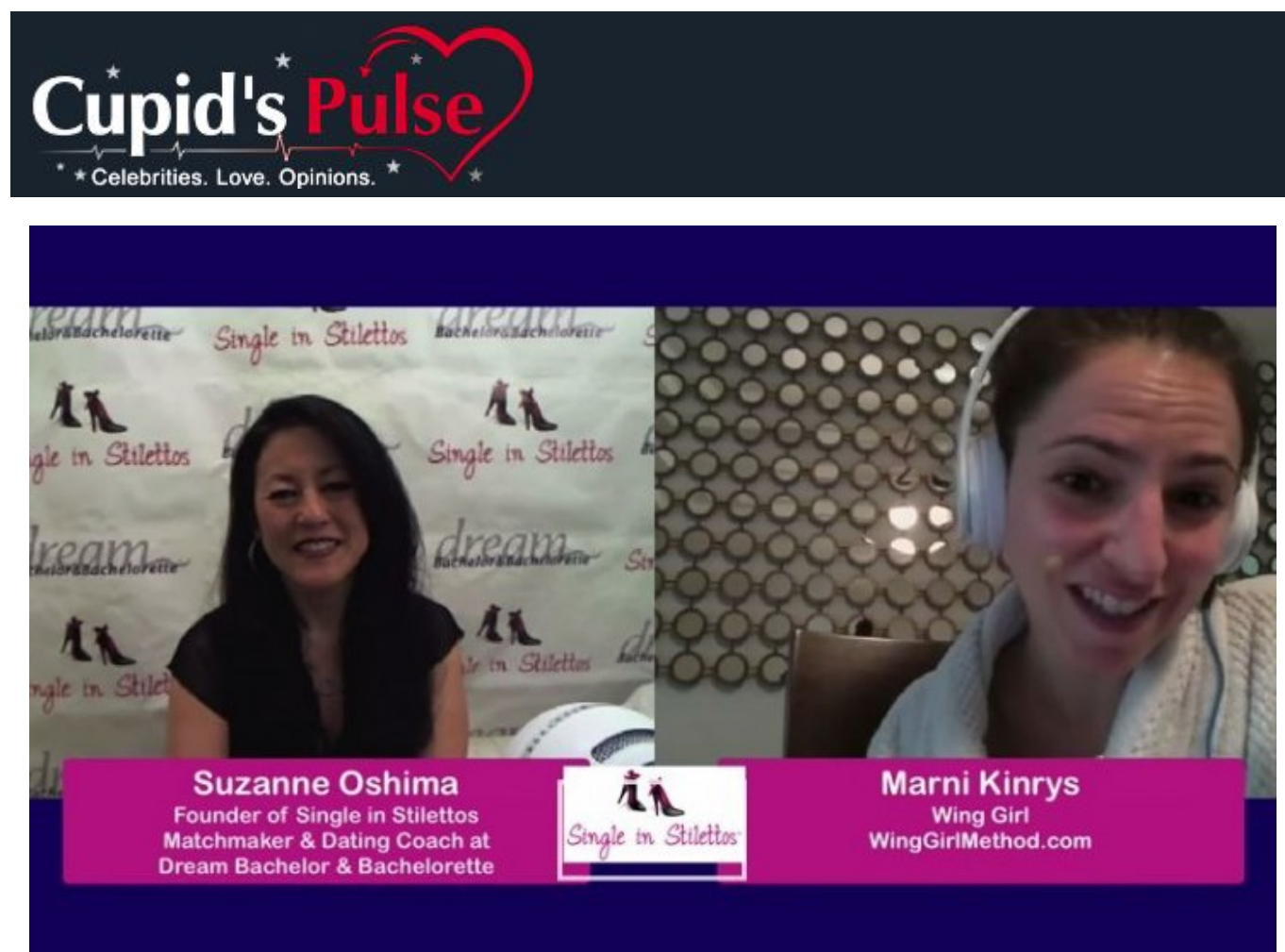
Do: Listen to your date's views/opinions even if they don't reflect your own

Don't: Let your ego dictate your responses. No ego's allowed at the mature conversation table.

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So far, Emily is far exceeding my expectations. She is in this for love and family. I'm really hoping she finds her match in that garden of fine men and will be smart enough to pull out the weeds as quickly as possible.

'The Bachelorette' Season 8, Episode 1: The Dos and Don'ts of First Impressions



By Marni Kinrys, The Ultimate Wing Girl

This season of The Bachelorette kicked off last night with a bang. And by bang, I mean the noise that would resonate off all the contestants' abs if you gave them a pat on their bellies. Is it just me, or are these guys extra ripped this year? Last night was all about First Impressions and, as we all know, they can be tough. Join that high pressure with tight competition, cameras and millions of viewers watching and judging. Not an easy stroll on your way to a televised romance.

Some of the guys pulled off their initial encounters with ease and style. Others simply fell flat on their face.

Here is my list of do's and don'ts from last night's episode of the Bachelorette:

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Do: Try to connect on points of commonality, like First Impression rose winner Chris did. But if you try too hard to find common grounds it will feel fake. At first, I was not sure how genuine Doug was with his "point of connection." But all doubts dissipated when Emily read his 11-year-old son's letter. From the look on his face, you could tell it was sincere. The guy was beaming from ear to ear. Only a truly proud father would do that.

Do Not: Sweat profusely. There was one guy who, within seconds, was dripping all over poor Emily's beautiful dress. I feel like such a *biatch* for saying this, but I could not hear a word he was saying to her because I kept concentrating on his sweaty forehead.

Do: Find something eye catching and cute that fits your personality. Loved the grandmother bit but he couldn't hold it after his protective "mask" came off. Mr. Seemingly-Outgoing-and-Fun quickly became Mr. Nervous-and-Silent.

-Skateboarder (Jeff) – Check.

-Prince Charming with the shoe (Tony) – Check.

-Guitar Pick (Michael) – Check.

-Foreign Language (Alejandro) – Double Check.

-Ostrich Egg (Travis) – Could have worked, but flopped and then he was stuck with an egg all night. Half Check.

-Bouncy Boom Box Guy (Stevie) – **NO**.

-Cheesy Poetry said with no sincerity (Jackson) – EWWW.

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Do: Bring your chopper. I know it's a douche move – if, in fact, you are a douche is another story. This is a game and the game is all about standing out and catching Emily's attention. What better way to do it than arriving via chopper?

Do Not: Be *that* guy who sits and stewes about what other guys are doing right and wrong. Nothing screams "insecurity" more than judgment of others. If you're judging others that crucially, I can't imagine what you are doing to yourself. So calm down, rooster man.

Do: Have impeccable body language and tonality. There were a couple of guys who knew exactly how to be open and own their space when making an entrance. Head high, calm walk, shoulders back and a smirk. Heavenly. And if you can add in an adorable little routine involving a note saying how nervous you are, to show your balance of masculinity and sensitivity, you are golden. (A.K.A. Ryan, who I love! His hair's a mess... but that can be worked on.)

All in all, I think Emily has a good batch of dudes to choose from. I know I'll be glued to my television every Monday night to find out what happens.

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