Bad Romance: 10 Toxic Celebrity Relationships





By <u>Katie Gray</u>

Sometimes love isn't all champagne and caviar, even for our favorite <u>celebrity couples</u>. Sometimes <u>celebrity relationships</u> have moments that can be a little toxic. In some instances the couples work it out, but in other cases the relationship ends in a split. We can take away <u>relationship advice</u> from this, though; sometimes things fall apart so better things can fall together.

Cupid has compiled 10 toxic

celebrity relationships:

- 1. Chris Brown & Rihanna: Chris Brown and Rihanna were a favorite celebrity couple for many. Then, in 2008, there were many reports that she was being abused and that the celebrity couple wasn't healthy. Bad gal Riri and Chris Brown ended up splitting, but one thing nobody including them denies is that they were passionate about one another.
- 2. Britney Spears & Kevin Federline: "I'm addicted to you, don't you know that you're toxic!" Britney Spears, pop princess, was married to her back up dancer, Kevin Federline. The celebrity couple even produced two celebrity babies. The "Toxic" singer had a reality show when they were married called Chaotic. That sums up their relationship, which ended in celebrity divorce. However, Spears moved onward and upward!

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- 3. Spencer Pratt & Heidi Montag: The Hills was a popular reality show that intrigued many. It made Lauren Conrad and Audrina Partridge celebutantes. On the show, and in real life, celebrity couple Spencer Pratt and Heidi Montag had the country buzzing about their celebrity relationship. Many people felt that it was toxic, as Pratt and Montag were very dependent on one another. It even damaged her relationship with her then BFF, LC (Lauren Conrad). The couple even released a book entitled How To Be Famous.
- 4. Eminem & Kim Mathers: Rapper, Eminem, is known for many things: witty lyrics, emerging from a humble background and his roller coaster relationship with Kim Mathers. The pair were married twice and have a daughter together, which led to a public custody battle that got ugly. The famous white rapper has many lines in his song about Kim, which are not pleasant.

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- **5. Tommy Lee & Pamela Anderson:** Rock artist Tommy Lee and actress and *Playboy* playmate, Pamela Anderson, will go down in history for being an iconic celebrity relationship. The Motley Crue rocker and the blonde bombshell were together in the late 90's and were married 1995-1998. They made a big stir in the media when a sex tape from their honeymoon was stolen from their home and shown for the whole world to see.
- **6.** Jersey Shore's Sammi "Sweetheart" & Ronnie: Love at the shore! The Jersey Shore couple, Sammi and Ron, proved to be one of the most dramatic celebrity relationships in MTV history. The majority of the episodes featured the two fighting over their problems and trust issues. Sometimes things were good though between the two. Nonetheless; they made for great television!
- 7. Tiger Woods & Elin Nordegren: Famous golfer Tiger Woods was married to model Elin Nordegren. The celebrity couple's world was rocked when it came out that Woods had been having affairs with multiple women. There were several women who came forward. Ludacris even released a song about the event entitled, "Sexting." The professional golfer asked her to remarry him again, although they split in 2010. She's living in a very nice mansion in Palm Beach. It's like the saying goes, "Don't get mad. Get everything."
- 8. Tina Turner & Ike: Tina Turner is a music legend and icon. However, her marriage to Ike was extremely tumultuous. There is even a film about her life and this celebrity relationship that ultimately ended. It was an unhealthy relationship, as he was addicted to cocaine and would sadly beat her up often. However; everyone can learn from Tina Turner. What doesn't kill us only makes us stronger.
- 9. Whitney Houston & Bobby Brown: Whitney Houston is known for hit songs like "I Want To Dance With Somebody" and "I Will Always Love You." In addition to her iconic songs and thriving music career, her relationship with Bobby Brown was widely

publicized. Her mother even wrote in a book about this relationship and how she feels that he influenced her to use drugs. Although the relationship wasn't healthy, we will always remember Whitney Houston for the beautiful and talented artist she was. RIP!

10. Dennis Rodman & Carmen Electra: Carmen Electra famously got her name from music legend, Prince. The actress and model has had a string of famous celebrity relationships. At one point, she married former Chicago Bulls player, Dennis Rodman, when they were intoxicated. Afterward, he filed an annulment. Sometimes your relationship ending doesn't work out, because there is an even better fairy tale ahead for you.

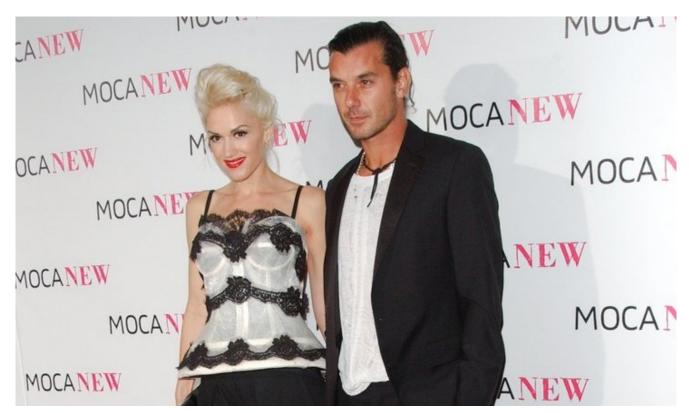
Which are your favorite celebrity couples? Comment below!

Celebrity Break-ups of 2015





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Gwen Stefani and Gavin Rossdale

This musical duo surprised everyone when they announced their

celebrity divorce on August 3rd. They've promised to keep things amicable and co-parent their three sons together. Photo: Albert L. Ortega / PR Photos

Celebrity Couple Scandals That Caught Us Off Guard





By Courtney Omernick

Relationships and love can be complicated, and so can the break ups. With easier access to news nowadays, we can hear the latest about a celebrity relationship or a celebrity breakup in an instant.

Below are a few celebrity couple scandals that caught everyone off guard.

1. Tiger Woods and Elin Nordegren: The National Enquirer claimed in 2009 that Woods was having an affair with hostess Rachel Uchitel. Reports of a total of 19 mistresses during his five year marriage to Nordegren surfaced and led to their celebrity divorce in 2010.

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2. Maria Shriver and Arnold Schwarzenegger: In 2011, the celebrity couple announced that their celebrity relationship was coming to an end after 25 years of marriage. Eight days later, Schwarzenegger admitted that he fathered the child of the family's long-time cleaning lady.

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- **3. Ashton Kutcher and Demi Moore:** Following reports that Kutcher had an affair with 22-year-old Sara Leal, Moore released a statement in 2011 revealing that she was going to file for divorce after six years of marriage to Kutcher.
- **4. Kristen Stewart and Robert Pattinson:** Pictures were published online of Stewart and the 41-year-old director of *Snow White and the Huntsman*, Rupert Sanders, embracing, and that ended up putting the knife into the celebrity relationship between Stewart and Pattinson.
- **5. Sienna Miller and Jude Law:** Miller and Law were engaged in 2004, but the union was short lived. Seven months after Law proposed, he admitted to having an affair with the nanny of his children with ex-wife, Sadie Frost.

What are some other celebrity couple scandals that caught you off guard? Share in the comments section below!

Top 5 Most Shocking Celebrity Couple Affairs





By Molly Jacob

Celebrity scandals. Cheating. Infidelity. These plaster the headlines every day when <u>celebrity couples</u> 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!

Famous Couple Tiger Woods and Lindsey Vonn Become Celebrity Exes





By Jenna Bagcal

Not all celebrity relationships have fairytale endings. In the latest celebrity news reported in <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, famous couple Tiger Woods and Lindsey Vonn ended their three-year relationship, as confirmed on Vonn's Facebook account. The <u>celebrity exes</u> seem to have had an amicable celebrity breakup, with Vonn saying she will always "admire and respect" Woods and that she will always hold him and his family in her heart.

Famous couple no more! What are some ways to minimize gossip surrounding a break-up?

Cupid's Advice:

Whether it's between a pair of celebrity exes, or you and your ex flame, breaking up can be a tough thing in terms of rumors coming from numerous "sources." But don't worry! Cupid has some tips to reduce or avoid the gossip completely:

1. Don't post things on social media: Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and other forms of social media are the last places you want to turn after a break-up, because you never know who's lurking on your pages. Instead of writing long, sappy posts about how you miss your ex or re-Tweeting break-up Tweets, refrain from posting your relationship details on social media completely. Posting things on social media will only add fuel to the gossip fire.

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2. Delete toxic people: Despite your best efforts, word may still get out about your break-up. Then the next thing you know, your frenemy from college is posting subliminal Tweets about how your ex "can do better." If toxic people are posting things they have no knowledge about, delete them from your social media outlets to keep gossip and drama to a minimum.

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3. Talk to family and close friends: To make sure that people know your side of the break-up story, talk to your family and close friends about it. If you and your ex have been in a

longterm relationship, the people close to you might be inclined to talk about the cause of the break-up. Setting the record straight for them, or even letting them know to respect your break-up by not talking about it will help stave off any rumors.

How do you reduce the amount of gossip after a break-up? Share your thoughts below.

Nastiest Celebrity Divorces







Jon and Kate Gosselin

Fans watched this celebrity marriage fall apart right before their eyes. The once happy TLC couple went from 'Jon and Kate Plus 8' to 'Jon and Kate Plus Hate' in a matter of months. They were married for 10 years before filing for divorce in 2009, and since then, they've openly shared their dislike for one another. Photos: PRN / PR Photos; Glenn Harris / PR Photos

Lindsey Vonn is Close Friends with Tiger Woods' Ex Elin Nordegren





By Louisa Gonzales

Tiger Woods' current girlfriend Lindsey Vonn and ex-wife Ellin Nordegren have formed an unlikely friendship. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, sources say this friendship came about because Nordegren originally wanted to get to know the woman who would be spending numerous amounts of time in her children's lives. The model,34, has two kids a daughter Sam,6, and son Charlie, 5, with the her famous golfer ex-husband,38. The whole group recently went on a vacation together and sources say the two women in Woods' life get along quite well, respect one another and seem to have a lot in common. Vonn and the super star athlete first went public with their relationship back in March 2013, and she has reportedly said that they "relate really well to one another."

How do you keep jealousy at bay with respect to your ex's new partner?

Cupid's Advice:

Jealousy is something everyone faces from time to time, no matter how much we try to deny it. When it comes to relationship it's natural to get jealous every once in a while, but what if you're getting jealous about your ex's new beau? Cupid has some advice on how to keep your jealousy at bay with respect to your ex's new partner:

1. Remember you want them to be happy: If you truly want the best for your ex and to remain on at least a somewhat friendly basis, you have to let them move on. When you care about someone you want them to be happy. Sure, it can be hard when you see your ex finding love with someone new, but don't let jealousy ruin whatever relationship you have left with him.

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2. Know you will be moving on too: To help get your jealousy at bay when it comes to your ex's new lover, remember you too will find someone new. Once you realize your both can move on and find happiness in a new relationship, you both can maintain a positive relationship. Plus, it will be easier for you, the new significant other, your ex and maybe even your new romantic mate to get a long.

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3. Put in effort to get to know their new love: Who knows maybe his current sweetheart and you will have loads in common. Showing your ex that you are respectful enough to take the time and get to know his new special someone will show how mature and supportive you are. Plus, if you focus you energy on getting to know their new beau in a courteous way rather than look for reasons why you don't like them, you will be much happier.

How do you keep your jealousy from getting out in respect to

Sources Say Elin Nordegren Doesn't Approve of Tiger Woods Dating Lindsey Vonn





By Kristin Mattern

Despite a recent six page report that Elin Nordegren approves of ex-husband Tiger Woods' girlfriend, Lindsey Vonn, USMagazine.com claims that a source close to Vonn has told them this is simply not the case. The insider points out that

Nordegren can't say anything to disparage Woods in the press or she will lose some of the \$100 million she won in the divorce. "She still despises Tiger," the source commented. "As time goes on, it probably gets easier, but she definitely doesn't like having Lindsey around her kids." Another insider was quoted as saying: "[She] hates Lindsey Vonn and everything about this romance." Apparently, the former model didn't approve of Woods' new girlfriend from the beginning.

How do you deal with jealousy over your ex's new relationship?

Cupids Advice:

Getting over an ex is never easy, and when you ex has found a new lover, jealousy can blossom. The fact that your ex is happy and moving on with someone new can chafe at the lingering feelings you might still have, or simply be irritating if you aren't in the same place. Cupid has some sage advice for getting over those jealous feelings your ex and his new boo are causing you to feel:

- 1. Be real with yourself: Pinpoint the true cause of your pain frustration over your ex-lover. This will take some soul searching, but ask yourself the real reasons you are feeling the way you are. Do you really miss your ex-sweetheart, or are you just jealous of the happiness you see him experiencing? It might not be him you want back, but the feelings your relationship once evoked. The more truthful you are with yourself, the faster you can begin to overcome your jealous feelings and move on.
- 2. Talk it out: Speak with friends and family about the way you are feeling. People who love you and know you the best can speak sincerely and candidly to you. If you are having trouble figuring out where your emotions are coming from, those closest to you might be able to hold up the mirror of truth for you, and perhaps offer some advice for how to get over the pain you are experiencing.

3. Know you will find love again: As the old cliché goes, there are more fish in the sea. While it sounds corny, believe that you will find love again and be just as happy as you see your ex being now with his new honey. Know that you are an amazing person, and that you will find someone else to care for. When you're ready, go out and have fun with your friends, when you're happy, you will attract others to you.

Ever had to deal with being jealous over an ex and his new girl? Let us know in the comments below.

How Do You Handle Your Ex's New Partner?





By Jane Greer, Ph.D. for GalTime.com

Some people are better at romance recovery than others. Recent reports suggest that Elin Nordegren is struggling to accept the new partner of her ex-husband, Tiger Woods. Though it has been rumored that he has been dating Olympic skier Lindsey Vonn for many months, they only recently went public with their romance, stating they are "happy" together. Elin and Tiger divorced in the summer of 2010. Their marriage ended in scandal when it was revealed he'd had multiple affairs, and was soon after treated for an apparent sex addiction.

Elin has been connected to billionaire Chris Cline, but that reportedly hasn't seemed to make it easier for her to accept the fact that Tiger's girlfriend is spending so much time with their children, and comments have been made about restricting his custody access. Though the trio managed to be civil at the kids little league games, it's not difficult to imagine why there may be some tension behind closed doors. What can people do to ease that tension, leaving those bad feelings behind and trying to finally let them go?

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Being betrayed is so traumatic, and then having to face feeling replaced by someone who is now taking the spot you used to occupy with your husband and children can be even harder to take. In some cases, your ex's new companion may even look like you, perhaps just younger. Adding to that, now you have to share your children with the last person on earth you would want them to be with. Sometimes betrayals are an outgrowth of unaddressed conflicts that were there for a long time and may have created a large enough rift for someone to get in between you. However, regardless of what might have been a catalyst for the infidelity, it doesn't diminish the intensity of the loss you have to face. Finding the maturity and emotional muscle needed to deal with this difficult experience can be a challenge.

Friends and family might respond by suggesting you just get on with it, and leave the other person in the past where he or she belongs. Even if that is hard to hear, it is the goal you want to strive for. Continuing to focus on your ex can unwittingly keep you stuck in your anger. Even if you have moved into a new relationship, all that negativity can hold you back and run interference in your life and with your current partner.

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Instead of using your anger and sadness to launch an attack that keeps you mired in the past, use it to disengage. Put boundaries in place: formalize the necessary times to see each other, be it for picking up belongings or dropping things off; begin to build up new support systems rather than looking to your ex when you have a problem in the house, a flat tire or too much laundry; if there are kids, limit communication with your ex to discussing only necessary subjects surrounding the logistics of their caretaking. Wherever you can, fill in and

replenish the areas of your life where you feel the most loss. The more you do that, the less resentful and angry you are going to be.

None of this is easy, but if you become aware of how you direct your energy, you might be able to turn things around. Unfortunately for Elin, "hating" Lindsey Vonn, or any future partner or spouse to Tiger, will not heal the wounds inflicted by a devastating divorce. That effort could be better spent investing in herself and her new life.

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Celebrity News: Tiger Woods and Lindsey Vonn Jet Ski with His Kids for Memorial Day Weekend





By Marisa Spano

Tiger Woods and his new girlfriend, Olympic skier and gold medalist, Lindsey Vonn, got into the summer spirit this past weekend when they took Woods' kids — Sam, 5, and Charlie, 4, for a jet ski ride. The four looked to be having great fun as they rode the water by Woods' home in Miami, Florida. But Vonn's family involvement doesn't stop there. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Vonn has even been seen taking Woods' two kids to school herself. Vonn and Woods first announced their relationship on Facebook in March.

How do you introduce yourself to your partner's kids?

Cupid's Advice:

A new relationship means meeting new family members, so how do you handle meeting your partner's children? Cupid has advice to help you:

1. Introduce yourself gradually: Suddenly appearing in a child's life out of nowhere is a huge change for them. You need to enter their life slowly through events, on neutral

ground. Think going to the movies or the zoo. Don't just start hanging out at your partner's home all the time from the getgo.

- 2. Be honest: Don't pretend to be 'just a friend'. This is a bad way to approach the situation. Once it becomes apparent that you're dating the child's dad or mom, your relationship may create unwanted negativity.
- 3. Give them space: Now that you are in their lives, make sure you are not always present. It is important that the children still have quality time with their parent. Allow the children to have this opportunity. Don't hover over the family.

How would you introduce yourself? Let us know below.

Celebrity Couple: Tiger Woods and Lindsey Vonn Walk Their First Red Carpet as a Couple





By Meghan Fitzgerald

New couple Tiger Woods and Lindsey Vonn stepped out of the bubble and walked down the red carpet at the Met Gala in New York this past Monday. The relationship had gone public only a week prior, according to <u>People</u>. The couple confirmed their relationship via Facebook as of March. The <u>Huffington Post</u> reports that the pair attended the Met Gala as guests of Vogue magazine, and were dressed by Vogue.

What are reasons to take your love public?

Cupid's Advice:

Taking your love public can be challenging in certain situations. You may be involved with your best friend's ex, your family may not approve, or you have an unprofessional work relationship. Cupid has some advice:

1. Time: It could be possible that time is the reason for your loving going public. Sometimes, there is a cap amount of time where your love should be kept between you and your partner. If you have been in a relationship for three years without any

of your closest friends and family knowing — it may be time to go public. The amount of time varies from couple to couple.

- 2. Comfortable: Are you complete and utterly comfortable with your partner? If you have no doubt in your mind that your mate is the one, you are able to take your love public. In certain cases, some may not want to take their love public because of their partners. They may believe that they won't stick around, or they're not the one. If you know that this one won't last, don't take it public.
- 3. Marriage: Are you planning on getting married and your family and friends don't have a clue about your relationship? Take your love public. It is necessary to tell everyone about your relationship if you're planning on going the next step in life. Marriage needs to be told to your closest friends and family.

Have you taken your love public? Explain your experience below.

Celebrity News: Lindsey Vonn's Ex-Husband Jokes About Tiger Woods' Masters Penalty





By Andrea Surujnauth

Thomas Vonn showed a sense of humor towards his ex-wife's relationship with pro-golfer Tiger Woods in a tweet on Saturday, April 13th. Woods got into a bit of trouble when a television viewer called in on a violation in Wood's play on Friday. He was then penalized to strokes. After the incident Woods tweeted, ""I didn't know I had taken an incorrect drop prior to signing my scorecard. Subsequently, I met with the Masters Committee Saturday morning." Thomas Vonn took to Twitter to respond to the incident as well. <u>UsMagazine.com</u> reported that Vonn tweeted, "No problem Masters tournament happy to call in and help. You always have to keep eye on those cheaters ;)" Thomas and Lindsey Vonn had been married for four years before they decided to call it quits in November 2011. The two finalized their divorce in January 2013, two months before Lindsey and Woods went public with their relationship.

How do you deal with a jealous ex when you're in a new relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

You are in a new healthy relationship. Unfortunately, your ex seems to be waiting for a chance to attack your relationship. Obviously they are jealous but what can you do about their jealous behavior? Cupid is here with some advice to help you:

- 1. Distance: Keep your distance from your ex. Do not inform them on where you are going and who you are with. The more you let them in your life, the more ammunition they have to torment you with.
- 2. Confrontation: Confront your ex on their behavior. Tell them that you have moved on and it is about time that they do the same. Make it clear that you are happy in your new love and you do not want them around messing it up.
- 3. Pofessionals: If all else fails, get a restraining order to keep you ex from harassing you. It may seem extreme but if they are continuously trying to ruin your life out of spite, the best thing to do is put your foot down. You need to protect yourself as well as your new beau.

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Dating Advice: When Can You Trust Him?





By Jane Greer, Ph.D. for GalTime.com

Sports celebrity couple Tiger Woods and Lindsey Vonn announced recently that they are officially an item after much speculation. Adding to the intrigue, of course, is Tiger's history, which speaks for itself. It makes one wonder, how do you know if you can trust your new partner?

Take a typical dating scenario any single person might find themselves in: everything seemed great at first, then he canceled one date, and then another. The first time he said he had a cold, the second an old friend was in town. Last night he couldn't make dinner because he said he had to work late unexpectedly. The thing is, you really like him and he keeps making future plans. But with his recent track record, can you trust that he's going to come through on Thursday as promised? And what can you do so you're not just stuck in a holiday pattern?

The first step to take is to have a back-up option — something scheduled in case he once again cancels the next date. That way if you're already halfway through getting ready you will

still have someplace to go. Most important, you won't be alone and stranded with nothing to do. Next, if you do see each other again, check out his M.O. with a causal question, "Do you often change plans at the last minute?" If he says yes he does, then let him know you would rather leave things more open and flexible. Instead of making a date to go out on Friday night, ask him to call you at whatever point he knows he is going to be free. If you are still available, you'll go out, and if not, you'll try for another time. This will eliminate your waiting and wondering all week if he's going to come through.

The bottom line is, if you're not feeling that your time is being considered and that you're important to this person, you especially want to make sure you look out for and take care of yourself. While it's possible that three things came up in a row that he couldn't help, and it has nothing to do with his feelings for you, you want to make sure you don't feel like a puppet on a string. Avoid waiting around in limbo and stay active and involved in your own life. When you think about yourself and have something else to do just in case, you won't get derailed by his thoughtless behavior.

Celebrity News: Tiger Woods Confessed 'Everything in His Past' to Lindsey Vonn





By Andrea Surujnauth

Tiger Woods and Lindsey Vonn have finally made their "downlow" relationship public. According to Usmagazine.com, the couple announced their relationship over Facebook on March 19th. They also posted their professionally photographed couple's potraits along with the Facebook announcements A source told <u>UsMagazince.com</u> that, "They're a really happy couple - not living together yet." Woods, 37-year-old professional golfer, announced that him and Vonn have "become very close and dating." Vonn, 28-year-old professional skier, gushed "it makes me very happy". But we can't help but think, what about Woods' past? After being married to ex-wife, Elin Nordegren, for 6 six years, Woods was caught cheating with multiple women. Is Vonn going to let that bother her? "He confessed everything in his past to her and stuff - they're really into each other." claimed a source. Woods has two kids, Sam, 5, and Charlie, 4.

How do you know whether to trust someone who's cheated in the past?

Cupid's Advice:

So your dating someone that has cheated in the past and you don't know whether it is safe to continue a relationship with them. Can a person really change their cheating ways? Cupid is here with some advice for you:

- 1. Responsibility: Does your new beau own up to their mistake and take responsibility for it? If they admite to their wrong doing then this is a good sign that they want to change.
- 2. Transformation: Do you see an overall difference in the way the person behaves and runs their life? If the your honey seems to regret what they did and is trying to make a change in their lives then there may be hope for them.
- 3. Instincts: This is is the best way to tell whether you can trust someone who has cheated in the past. Go with your gut feeling. If you have that little knawing feeling in the pit of your stomach that is telling you not to trust them, then don't. Don't bother trying to make excuses to ignore the feeling you are having. If something is telling you that your sweetie is cheating, they probably are.

How do you know whether to trust someone that has cheated in the past? Share your ideas below.

Is Tiger Woods Capable of Being Monogamous with Lindsey Vonn?





By Susan Trombetti, CEO of Exclusive Matchmaking and Relationship Expert

The breaking news this week is that pro golfer Tiger Woods and popular skiier Lindsey Vonn are officially dating. Many are skeptical of this situation, as Tiger is still getting over his reputation as a cheater stemming from the scandal with his ex-wife, Elin Nordegren. Well, let me just say that Tiger has so many cheating scandals in his history that I doubt he could be faithful again unless there are some drastic changes involving his inner circle, lack of opportunity to cheat, and possible therapy.

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Why, you ask? For one thing, he is surrounded by "yes" people who's financial situation is dependent on Tiger. I don't see them becoming moral against all odds and tying him up when he has the urge to cheat. They are loyal to him and will enable

what isn't good for him just to make him happy. They may rationalize: "It's just women, and boys will be boys."

Other celebrity examples of this is Anna Nicole, who was surrounded by enablers like her attorney, and Michael Jackson, who was backed up by his doctor. These are drastic examples, but it's hard to say "no" when your boss says "jump". In Tiger Woods' case, he has his inner circle and his mother enabling his addiction to cheating. Plus, he has a history of it, as his dad cheated in the past. This is all he knows. In my opinion, what he really needs is some therapy or a 12 step program to become fully aware of the reasons behind his bad behavior and poor choice in so many trashy women. Then, Lindsey may have a chance.

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Here are some signs that a guy might be a serial cheater and unable to commit:

- 1. He excludes the word "faithful" in his marriage vows and takes issues with it like South Carolina governor Mark Sanford.
- 2. He tells you he cannot be faithful to any one woman. Let's face it, that is what they are saying when he tells you he cheated on all his exes.
- 3. They have an addiction to cheating like David Duchovny.
- 4. They have cheated in the past, like Eddie Cibrian or Bill Clinton.
- 5. They are powerful men who think the rules don't apply, like Silvio Bersculoni and Arnold Schwarzenegger.
- 6. They are men with big egos, deep pockets, and lots of opportunity, like Kobe Bryant and Tiger Woods.

7. They tend to go for the "bad boy" or "bad girl" like Sandra Bullock did with Jesse James.

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Tiger Woods and Elin Nordegren Reunite for Sake of Children





By Jessica Conigliaro

Tiger Woods and Elin Nordegren finalized their divorce back in the summer of 2010—and not on the best of terms. They have made the mature decision to stay on good terms for the sake of their children. <u>People</u> reports a member of Woods's crew saying, "He's not getting back with Elin. That's never going to happen. They are coparenting the children. Like any other mature adults, they have set aside their differences and are striving to be the best parents they can possibly be."

What are some ways to set aside your differences for your children?

Cupid's Advice:

Divorce can be messy no matter what the circumstances are. The love you once shared with you spouse turns to hurt and resentment. Your kids will surely be affected by this drastic family feud. Cupid offers some advice on how to keep them from feeling the burden:

1. Let go of the past: Spending time with your ex is inevitable if you have kids. Your son has a baseball game that both of you will be attending; things like that will always come up. Don't rehash on old arguments—especially not in front of the

kids. It's in the past and will only hurt everyone involved when brought up again.

- 2. Be friendly: We all know how intuitive children can be. They notice everything around them. When their parents are fighting, kids become upset as well. Befriending your ex husband will not only make it easier for you to be around them, but will also make your children feel comforted knowing their parents can act civil around each other.
- **3. Do things as a family:** For their whole lives, your kids spent most of the time with both a mother and a father. Now that you are divorced, it is safe to say that will change for them—but it doesn't have to completely. Invite your ex to the park next time you go, or plan family dinners. Your child will be happy to have his/her family together again—even if just for a meal.

How did you stay close to your ex for the sake of the children? Share below.

Tiger Woods Helps Lindsey Vonn Home After Devastating Injury





By Jessica Conigliaro

Tiger Woods has been struggling to find someone to settle down with after his scandal of affairs back in 2009. Although their relationship is only rumored to be accurate, Woods is spending much of his time these days with his good friend Lindsey Vonn. People reports, "Tiger really does want a woman who he can have good conversations with," he says. "He wants shared interests and outlooks. He is finding that with [Lindsey]...he's been spending more and more time talking to her — and talking about her."

How do you leave skeletons from your past behind you?

Cupid's Advice:

We all have demons from our past we wish to disappear—and fast! In relationships, people make mistakes and end up hurting one another. Cheating is one of the worst ways you can injure someone's pride and destroy their trust in you. Cupid offers some ways to move on from mistakes we've made in the past:

- 1. Wait until you're ready: After a nasty breakup, you shouldn't jump into another one right away. If the breakup was mainly your fault, focus on why things got so bad. Figure out the reason why you hurt your partner; you might have destroyed the relationship in order to protect yourself from future pain. Learn why you put up these guards before getting involved with anyone new.
- 2. Acceptance: If you do something wrong, apologize and promise to never do it again—a valuable lesson we learned in kindergarten. Making mistakes in relationships can have serious effects. The only way to move on from your mistakes is by getting closure from the situation entirely; if you caused your partner emotional pain, let them know you are sorry and are completely at fault. Own up to your wrong doings as soon as possible.
- 3. Be Honest: Let your partner know about all the scandals from previous relationships; re-assure him that you have grown as a person since then. Your partner will respect you for being upfront about the mistakes you've made. This will create a bond of trust between the both of you—which will grow stronger over time.

How did you move on from your past mistakes? Share your thoughts below.

Rumor: Are Tiger Woods and Lindsey Vonn Dating?





By Meghan Fitzgerald

Has Tiger Woods fallen into a relationship with Olympic skier, Lindsey Vonn? <u>UsMagazine.com</u> reports that the 37-year old golfer has been dating Vonn since November. According to <u>HollywoodLife</u>, the infamous lady's man took a romantic trip to Antigua with the beloved skier. A source told <u>Star</u> that Woods is pulling out all the stops on Vonn, and that they talk on the phone constantly. Is Woods finally settling down again to find love?

How do you balance a demanding career and your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Believe it or not, it is possible to balance a career you spend the entirety of your time on, and a relationship. Here are some ways you can manage both:

- 1. Communication: To make a demanding career and relationship work, you will need an immense amount of communication. It doesn't matter if you are the only one with the demanding career, it will affect both of you the same way. Make sure you express your plans, and your feelings up front to your love. To make the relationship work, it is essential to fill your partner in on all of your upcoming events, and also how plans could go awry.
- 2. Schedule time: It is so much easier to make a relationship work with a demanding career if you specifically schedule dates, hang outs, and alone time. Of course, you most likely want to spontaneously see your partner however, this may not always work with a stressing career. To make sure you two get to spend love-dove time together, schedule it! Write it down, put it in your phone, scribble it down on your calender. As long as you two make time to see each other, your relationship should move uphill!
- 3. Flexibility: Plans might come up where you have to cancel your plans with your partner. Although you may want to continue on with your plans, the whole demanding career aspect of your lives will break those ideas. You and your partner have to both realize that these situations will occur. It is inevitable that your demanding career will get in the way of some of your plans. As long as you two realize that you will have to be flexible in the future, you can make it work!

Have you balanced a demanding career and relationship before? Share your experience below.

Tiger Woods Parties the Night Away with Multiple Women After Golf Tournament





By Jennifer Ross

Tiger Woods is back to his partying ways. On Dec. 1, the progolfer danced all night long at California's Westlake Village Inn right after his 14th Annual World Challenge Golf Tournament. An eyewitness reports to <u>UsMagazine.com</u> that Woods, 36, was surrounded by gorgeous women for most of his time on the dance floor. "Tiger was dressed in jeans and a beige sweater...At one point he was surrounded by a group of six women on the club's dance floor!" To further get into the partying mood, Woods requests the DJ to play, 'Tonight I'm F—ing You' by Enrique Iglesias. This set the mood just right

as the ladies loved his persuasive music choice. As Woods enjoys his single life, ex-wife Elin Nordegren is busy creating her dream home on the coast in North Palm Beach, FL.

How do you know when it's time to stop serial dating and settle down?

Cupid's Advice:

The single life is a wild ride, full of meeting new people and partying nights. No matter what day of the week, you can easily find a hot partier for the evening or several evenings, always keeping true love at arm's length. Yet, something has changed and you no longer want to be single. To help you cross over to the monogamy side, here are a few clues telling you it's time to settle down:

- 1. Being alone: You no longer feel the need to fill every spare minute of your single life with party time. Instead, you now enjoy being alone with your own thoughts. Feeling comfortable in your own skin with no one around is a good sign that you might be ready to share that time with just one person.
- 2. Slow party nights: On the nights that you do go out, your main interest isn't how many hot random people you can meet for future play dates. Instead, you now prefer to have a slower, quieter night out with a few good friends in a relaxing atmosphere. Clubbing all night just doesn't appeal as much anymore.
- **3. Open mind:** When you spend time with potential mates, you are more open to understanding their quirks instead of comparing them to your "perfect mate" list. Matter of fact, sometimes you even leave the list at home and let yourself simply have fun exploring each other's personalities.

When did you know you were ready to stop serial dating and

Tiger Woods' Ex-Mistress Rachel Uchitel Opens Up About Second Chances and Pregnancy





Most widely known as Tiger Woods' ex-mistress, Celebrity Rehab star Rachel Uchitel recently opened up about "second chances," pregnancy and her hubby-to-be Matt Hahn in an exclusive interview with Celebrity Baby Scoop. In the interview, the mom-to-be said, "Everyone deserves a second chance," referring to her tainted past with Tiger Woods and

the press stalking her for years. "I moved on a long time ago and it's odd to me that a lot of people haven't," she said. "People will still hear my name, an article will come out about me, I'll see the negative spin on it and I'm not sure why." But she's not letting the public scrutiny tear her down. "I'm doing my best to try and get on the right path and have a family and be happy and make other people happy," she said. "I'm really excited to be a mom!"

How do you overcome past drama to make a relationship work?

Cupid's Advice:

When bad things happen, it can be hard to start over and move on without people around you reminding you of your past mistakes. Even your romantic relationship can take a hit. Cupid has some tips:

- 1. Therapy: Sometimes the best way to get over past drama is to talk it out with a licensed therapist. You can't expect to have a healthy romantic relationship until you're healed inside.
- 2. Ignore public scrutiny: This is sometimes easier said than done, but it's important that both you and your partner successfully ignore the gossip going on around you. If you let it get to either of you, it'll damage your relationship.
- **3. Move on:** Don't live in the past. If you often think about the drama that happened years ago, and it affects your day-to-day life, that's not healthy. You can't truly enjoy your relationship until you leave the past in the past.

What are some other ways to overcome past drama? Share your thoughts below.

Valentine's Day Duos: 5 Hollywood Relationships That Spiraled Out Of Control





By Katanya Royster

Relationships can be hard work, and they require a lot of effort to be put in from both ends. When you both commit, it makes it all worthwhile- in most cases. While many relationships start off on a high note and continue on the path of blissfulness, others plummet to a place of irreconcilable differences, physical altercations and repeated infidelity. They end up heading straight to Splittsville. In

fact, all you have to do is ask the following couples:

1. Chris Brown and Rihanna: Typically, the phrase "first love" invokes visions of butterflies, sunsets and all things untainted. But, in 2009, we saw an ugly side of first love. Singer, Chris Brown, was accused of assaulting his popstar girlfriend, Robyn "Rihanna" Fenty. At the time of the assault, Brown was 19 and Rihanna was 20. After pictures of Rihanna's badly beaten face surfaced, fans immediately took sides. Some were ready to dismiss Brown's actions as a forgivable misstep, while others were relentless in their criticism of him. Either way, it was the worst possible ending to a seemingly beautiful love story. Or was it? Recent tweets make it seem as if reconciliation may be on the horizon.

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- 2. Russell Brand and Katy Perry: A shocked public let out a collective gasp when Russell Brand filed for divorce from his wife of 14 months. Failed Hollywood marriages are no surprise, but for some reason, we thought these two would be different. So what if Brand is a recovering sex addict and Perry is the daughter of evangelical ministers? We still thought this couple had a fighting chance. Brand's boredom with the couple's sex life and his inability to be alone, may have contributed to the couple's marital problems, reported US Weekly.
- 3. Kim Kardashian and Kris Humphries. Many thought Kim and Kris' lavish wedding was a publicity stunt. So, when Kim filed for divorce after only 72 days of marriage, no one was shocked except maybe Kris. The NBA star claimed he was surprised by Kim's actions and that he wanted to make the couple's marriage work. After the split went viral, Kim was embarrassed and, in a rare move, retreated from the public eye while her ex-hubby was booed in NYC during a basketball game.

Thus, if the marriage was a publicity stunt, it may have been the worst one in history.

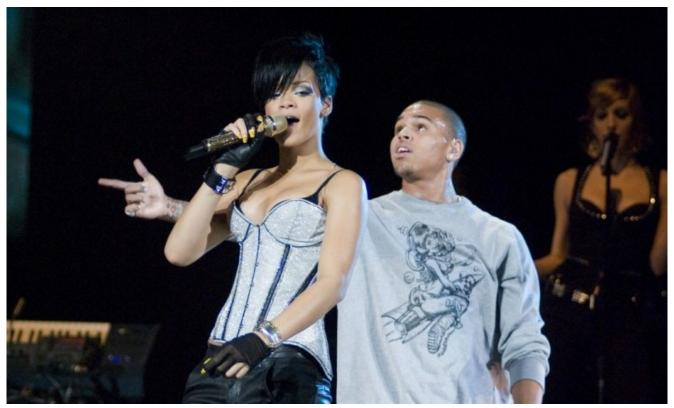
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- 4. Kobe and Vanessa Bryant: In 2003, Kobe was accused of sexually assaulting a 19-year-old hotel employee. Kobe proclaimed his innocence, but admitted to infidelity and famously apologized to his wife, Vanessa, with a \$4 million ring and a custom-made Lamborghini. It seems that Kobe's relationship patchwork was a bit like someone putting a Band-Aid on broken leg a nice gesture, but it didn't actually fix the problem- a cheating husband. In 2011, after 10 years of marriage, Vanessa finally filed for divorce citing "irreconcilable differences,". Either way, a woman scorned, plus a husband worth \$150 million dollars, minus a prenup, equals trouble. With that kind of money up for grabs, this downward spiral may have only just begun.
- 5. Tiger Woods and Elin Nordegren. Tiger Woods' fame had just as much to do with his clean cut image as it did with his amazing golf game. However, a one-car accident near Woods' and Nordegren's Florida home changed his reputation forever. A parade of women subsequently emerged and admitted to having affairs with the golf pro. In an attempt to save his marriage, the father of two spent six weeks in a rehabilitation program for sex addiction. Nonetheless, Nordegren filed for divorce granted on the basis that the couple's marriage was "irretrievably broken." Nordergren was awarded an undisclosed settlement amount thought to be in the neighborhood of \$100 million dollars.

How did you know when you or a friend's relationship was over? Share your stories below.

Tiger Woods' Ex Elin Nordegren Is Dating Again





Tiger Woods cheated, and it's time that his ex-wife moves on. For the first time after her recent divorce, Elin Nordegren is back on the scene, only this time, Woods isn't by her side. Nordegren has been spotted dating Jamie Dingman, a 31-year-old American financier. Nordegren and Dingman were found on July 12, kissing and hugging in Sweden, as reported by <u>People</u>. As of right now, there's no stamp on their relationship, but who knows what the future may bring.

What are some ways to "go with the flow" in a relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Forget the hassle of preparation, high hopes and constant wondering of where your relationship is heading. What are some good ways for you to go with the flow? Cupid has some tips:

- 1. Have fun, with a light heart: Relationships don't always have to be so serious. Let loose a little. It'll help you and your partner to bond on a fun-loving level.
- 2. Don't take anything too serious or personal: If you take everything to heart, there won't be any room for enjoyment. Over-analyzing things can sometimes cause a lot of issues in relationships.
- 3. Treat it like a friendship: Friendships build great foundations for almost all relationships. Kissing and hugging doesn't meant that your partner can't be your friend. With a friendship base, going with the flow might be a little bit easier.

Have something to add? Share your comments below.

5 Reasons Why Powerful Men Like Arnold Schwarzenegger Cheat





By Terri Orbuch PhD, The Love Doctorâ,¢

As a researcher and psychologist who's been studying marriage and divorce for more than 25 years, I'm interested in the motivations of men who seem to "have it all" and then throw it all away, facing public humiliation in the aftermath and subjecting their families to the same.

Here are five ways to understand why men like Arnold Schwarzenegger, Tiger Woods and John Edwards risk it all to have an affair:

- 1. The illusion of invulnerability. Often, powerful men have affairs because they think they won't get caught. And even if they do, they believe they won't get in trouble because they have the resources to cover it up. These men often don't worry about the long-term effects of their actions on others, only the short-term gains for themselves.
- 2. Ample opportunities for temptation. Wealth, fame and power are attractive to many women, who make themselves available to powerful men, sometimes aggressively and without scruples.

Then such men are away from home for days at a time, and the loneliness and the desire for female companionship can trigger infidelity.

- 3. Adrenaline dependency. Many powerful men have positions that require a lot of responsibility and authority. They perform well under high stress and continually need and enjoy excitement or challenges to drive them forward. An affair gives them the same type of exhilaration in their private life.
- 4. Enabled by yes men. Powerful men tend to be surrounded by people who protect them, idolize them, and even "enable" their vices in order to remain inside their influential orbit. Being surrounded by people who don't challenge your decisions or give you honest feedback has an effect on your ego and your sense of propriety and limits.
- **5. Desire for change.** Let's not forget that powerful men are still men, and usually an affair signals an internal need for change. Something in the man's life or his relationship isn't okay and the affair creates the trigger for change. Boredom and relationship ruts are common reasons couples cite for infidelity.

While influence, wealth and celebrity may present some additional challenges that are unique to powerful men, the fact is that not all such men succumb to infidelity. And the explanations above are certainly not excuses for the behavior of those who do.

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Brandi Glanville and Elin Nordegren Are Bouncing Back





Brandi Glanville and Elin Nordegren are finally moving on from their bitter breakups. Glanville, 38, divorced actor Eddie Cibrian after <u>UsMagazine.com</u> broke the news that he was having an affair with LeAnn Rimes. Elin Nordegren also knows a thing or two about infidelity. After finding out that her husband, pro golfer Tiger Woods, cheated on her with multiple women, the 31-year-old Swedish supermodel also filed for divorce.

Glanville is trying to move on by making an appearance on Bravo's *The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills*, while Nordegren has been playing the field, most recently dating a banker in Florida.

What are some ways to show you've moved on after a bitter divorce?

Cupid's Advice:

After a breakup, everyone finds a different way to move forward. Cupid has some ideas on how to show your ex you're over it:

- 1. Dating: Seeing someone new is one of the surest ways to start moving on from a past relationship. It's also a good way to let your ex know that you're officially over him or her.
- 2. Revenge: Getting revenge on an ex-partner who broke your heart can give you a lot of satisfaction and the feeling that you're even. Just be careful that you don't to go too far and end up regretting it.
- **3. Change:** After a painful divorce, sometimes you just need a change. By getting a makeover, moving to a new city or getting a new job, you'll show your ex that you have a new life that doesn't involve him or her.

After your last breakup, how did you show your ex you were over it? Share your comments below.