

# Beyonce Performs 'Crazy in Love' with Jay-Z in Brooklyn



By Nic Baird

Surprise guest Beyonce joined her husband Jay-Z on stage at the Barclays Center Saturday. The leather clad Beyonce even had to cover Jay-Z when he missed his queue during “Crazy in Love,” according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). “Oh sh— I should probably rap here,” he said afterwards. Jay-Z had been too caught up in his wife’s vocals to remember his part. By having his wife perform, Jay-Z closed out eight nights at the Brooklyn venue. She was in the audience during the first Sept. 28 show, before taking her support to the stage as her 2008 hit “Diva” played.

**How do you stay involved with your partner’s career?**

**Cupid’s Advice:**

Unless your spouse is a secret agent, learning about their

career will make them more willing to disclose work experiences. Cupid has some advice:

**1. Ask questions:** As a topic of conversation, the things people do during the average day at work is only slightly less monotonous than the weather. But like the weather, it's very important so you can act with foresight. Problems at work can quickly boil over into personal life. Not only are you showing an interest in your partner's career, but you'll be able to anticipate their needs and moods by regularly asking them about work.

**2. Offer advice:** The follow-up to asking questions about work is offering advice. To fully communicate, you have to offer something to your partner. Your advice should align with your significant other's career objectives. Demonstrating your support comes by helping your partner with their goals, not your own. Make a sincere contribution, and don't be upset if they neglect your tips.

**3. Celebrate together:** A great way to show your involvement with your partner's career is by looking for ways to celebrate their work. This could be a promotion, or an accomplishment. If they have free time after a long stretch at the office, celebrate a break from their labour. It's not only about showing your interest, but also an opportunity to spend time together.

**When do you find time to talk to your partner about their career? Share your experiences below!**

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# Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon Spend a Family Day with Their Twins



By Nicole Weintraub

Mariah Carey and husband Nick Cannon enjoyed a bonding family day at the Santa Monica Pier in Los Angeles, according to [People](#). The couple posed for photos along with their eighteen-month twins – Moroccan and Monroe. Recently, Carey has been in the news regarding her feud with Nicki Minaj as the two are fellow judges on *American Idol*. Despite recent rumors regarding the fighting between the two, *Idol*'s producers commented that the two are, "one of the best, most passionate, dynamic and invested judging panels". Regardless of whether or not the feud is all it is hyped up to be in the tabloids, the family seemed at ease as they enjoyed cotton candy, roller coasters and balloons.

## **What are some ways to keep the spark alive in your relationship when you have kids?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

Kids are a precious addition to the family, but sometimes the romance in your relationship can be negatively impacted by the latest additions. Here are some ways to keep that spark alive even with kids:

**1. Date night:** Just because the two of you are parents now does not mean that date night needs to end! Invest in a babysitter that you trust and go out for a night on the town once every few weeks. That way, your relationship with your partner is not neglected.

**2. Family outings:** Going out as a family can also be a bonding experience for you and your beau. The two of you can bond while your kids get their faces painted, stuff their faces with cotton candy or run around at the park. The more time you spend together, the more memories you will create together.

**3. Love letters:** If the two of you are busy at work and come home late at night, too exhausted for romance, try little notes. Whether it be through text messages, e-mails or old-fashioned handwritten love letters. Just let your partner know that you are thinking of them.

**How have you kept your relationship alive with kids? Share your stories with us!**

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# Sources Say Jason Sudeikis and Olivia Wilde Are 'Inseparable'



By Nicole Weintraub

Olivia Wilde and boyfriend Jason Sudeikis are starry eyed and in love, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). The pair have been “inseparable” says an insider; the couple of nine months have been attached at the hip. The two are living together after only dating for a few months, but they are smitten. Though, the two are in no rush to tie the knot as Wilde divorced her former husband Tao Ruspoli last September after eight years. Sudeikis himself separated from his wife Kay Cannon after six years of marriage in 2010. Since the two have a ‘been there, done that’ attitude, they are in no race to the altar. Rather, the two enjoy squeezing time in to see one another in between hectic work schedules.

**How do you know how much time to spend with a significant other?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

A new relationship has a honeymoon phase where all you want to do is be with your new partner. Though, where is the line between enjoying each other's company and suffocating each other? Cupid has some advice:

**1. You feel the suffocation:** If you are beginning to feel that you are trapped or have no privacy, it's probably time to put a little distance between your outings. There is nothing wrong with wanting to spend time with your partner, but the two of you also need some space.

**2. Nothing to talk about:** If the two of you are constantly together, attached at the hip, eventually you are going to run out of things to talk about. You won't be able to tell them what is new or how your day went, because they already know.

**3. Don't miss them:** You need to be able to miss each other. If you do not have space and time to yourselves, the spark is going to disappear. You cannot miss your partner and appreciate the time you truly spend together if you are constantly with one another.

**How do you know when you are spending too much time with a partner? Let us know!**

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**Patti Stanger Explains How to**

# Reconnect Like Ashton Kutcher and Mila Kunis



By [Jessica DeRubbo](#)

Love and relationship expert Patti Stanger is doling out some love advice yet again, this time related to new couple Ashton Kutcher and Mila Kunis. Only romantically linked since April, the celebrity duo met on the set of *That 70's Show* more than 14 years ago, according to [People](#). Although Stanger is not picking Kunis over Kutcher's ex, Demi Moore, she loves this new relationship development because it gives her a chance to discuss how to spark a new love after touching base with someone from your past. One piece of advice she gives it to set yourself up now for a romance in the future. She advises not to dwell on relationships that aren't ready to happen as of yet and to continue meeting new people and trying new things. According to Stanger, space and experience are key.

**What are some ways to reconnect with an ex or crush after much**



time has passed?

### Cupid's Advice:

Sometimes reconnecting with someone you used to have a connection with in the past can spark a new love. Here are some ways to approach it:

**1. Social media:** In this day of technology, social media may be the best way to go about reconnecting with a past crush. Log on to Facebook or Twitter and compose a quick flirtatious message meant to spark new conversation.

**2. Mutual friends:** Chances are that you may have mutual friends to lean on. If you want to reconnect with someone, ask your mutual friend to plan a group activity. This will give you a no-pressure way to see each other again.

**3. Text:** If you still have your ex or past crush's number, texting may be the way to go. It's not quite as in-your-face as a phone call, and you can easily keep things simple. A quick, "How's it going?" may be just what you need.

What are some other ways to reconnect with a past crush? Share your ideas below.

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## Sources Say Rihanna and Chris Brown Made Out at NYC Club







By Jennifer Ross

Are Rihanna and Chris Brown reuniting? A source told [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com) that Rihanna, 24, and Brown, 23, were caught making out at New York City's Griffin Club on Monday night. And that's not all! According to *Celebuzz*, Brown, who was seated at a different table than Rihanna, climbed over the center stage to get to her. The two then began to dirty dance with each other, unworried about the public. Late into the night, they eventually left separately. Where was Brown's now ex-girlfriend and aspiring model Karrueche Tran, 23, in all this? Not by his side.

**How do you know whether to give your ex a second chance?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

Just about everyone deserves a second chance at one point in their life. While your partner may have been the main culprit to the problem, there were other factors to consider that may have been your fault. Even so, should you consider giving your partner a second chance, here are three tips to ponder before you do:

**1. Time has passed:** Enough time has passed to give you both the space to reflect back on what happened, who did what, and

where did each of you go wrong. Without you and your partner separately analyzing the issue and your negative contributions, history will repeat itself.

**2. Taken responsibility:** After re-evaluating what went wrong, the two of you have either taken or begun to take the necessary steps in fixing the issue within yourselves. Working on yourselves first ensures that you can give each other the openness to work through it and have a real fresh start at love again.

**3. The decision is agreeable:** In deciding to reconcile, the two of you have agreed to do so protecting each other and lovingly together. By both being on the same path and honestly dividing up the work between each other, only then can your relationship move forward with the best chance of surviving.

**What reason(s) helped you decide to give your partner a second chance? Comment below.**

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## Justin Bieber and Selena Gomez Enjoy a Spooky Sunday





By Jennifer Ross

It looks like Justin Bieber and girlfriend Selena Gomez have gotten a head start on celebrating Halloween this year, according to [People](#). The couple, along with a few friends, was given a personal tour of the Goretorium on Sunday in Las Vegas. Eli Roth, the venue's creator, guided the group through the multi-level horror labyrinth. Their spooky adventure started in the lobby of the Delmont Hotel and ended in the Goretorium retail shop. Bieber appeared to be feeling good, compared to the previous night when he became sick on stage before thousands of adoring fans.

**What are some things to do as a couple around Halloween?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

Traditionally, Halloween is seen as a holiday for the kids. However, it is also a perfect opportunity for you and your partner to have child-like fun together. By dressing in costumes, you two are able to innocently pretend you are someone else, which is a game you may want to repeat throughout the year. To be like a kid again with your mate, here are a few ideas:

**1. Corn maze:** Attending a corn maze with your mate can be a

romantic adventure. No need to bring a flashlight, especially if it becomes dark, so the two of you can get “lost” together. Some things you will need to bring to make it extra nice are hot cocoa in a thermos and a sweater or jacket to stay warm.

**2. Pumpkin shopping:** Shopping for pumpkins together at a local pumpkin patch can be a great bonding moment and lots of fun. You have the option of either choosing one pumpkin to carve together or multiple ones to make a contest out of it. Then, you two can dry the seeds in the oven and enjoy them, cuddling while watching a scary movie.

**3. Attend a costume party:** Costume parties are almost always a blast and going with your partner in a couples theme only adds to the fun. If you want to put a spin on it this year, try going to the party separately so that you both will not know what the other one is dressed as. Then, see the surprise on each other’s face as you two reveal your costumes to each other at the party.

**How did you and your partner celebrate Halloween? Scare us with the details below.**

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## **Rob Pattinson and Kristen Stewart Will Reunite Publicly for Last ‘Twilight’ Movie**





By Jennifer Ross

Save the date! The time has finally come for Kristen Stewart and Robert Pattinson to come out together publicly. *Summit Pictures* has confirmed to [People](#) that the newly reconciled couple will begin promotions for their continuing roles in their latest movie, *The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn – Part 2*, on October 28 in Los Angeles. From October 28 to November 4, the entire *Breaking Dawn* cast, including Stewart, 22, and Pattinson, 26, will appear in a series of press junkets, which will include interviews and photos. Following that, the movie's world premiere is scheduled for November 12 at LA LIVE at Nokia Theater. Since the two reunited back on the weekend of September 15, their public appearances have been without each other.

**How do you know if you can trust your partner after they betray you?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

A betrayal from your partner can be a devastation that is likely to have a lasting effect on you. Even so, there are relationships that can overcome them. Should you find yourself in this situation, here are a few tips to getting back on track and trusting again:

**1. There is no expiration date:** Not only does your partner realize that you will need time to heal from his betrayal, but he does not dictate an end date. He sees that it is natural for you to analyze the incident and, in a way, mourn the loss of who he used to be. Plus, he knows that the relationship, during this troubled time, will not be in this state forever. So he waits.

**2. The extra mile:** Not only has he made amends with the issue that got you two here in the first place, but he has also gone above and beyond. Your partner is honest, caring and understanding with you. He gives you the time and attention to let you open up to him again by repeatedly opening up to you first. He focuses on re-strengthening your relationships foundation.

**3. He uses this time to create a new relationship together:** Because a betrayal can create a different person in us all, your partner takes advantage of this opportunity to live as the partner and person that he truly is through love. In public, he assures everyone that you come first and he speaks highly of you in a genuine way. He has learned to let go of the past...and so should you.

**What did your partner do or say that made you realize that you could trust him again? Comment below.**

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**‘Revenge’ Star Josh Bowman Says People Shouldn’t Care**



# About His Personal Life



By Nic Baird

Josh Bowman and Emily VanCamp, known as Daniel Grayson and Amanda Clarke on ABC's *Revenge*, have been dating outside their fictional relationship on TV, according to [People](#). But Bowman doesn't care for the attention people are giving to the stars' personal lives. "I tell them to [expletive]-off because it's none of their business, and then it becomes less about the show and more about who I'm dating." Despite this, Bowman raved about performing with VanCamp's on-screen confidence and talent. "She's been working a lot longer than I have," Bowman said. "I'm very curious, and I like to feed off of other people's knowledge."

**How do you keep gossip from interfering with your relationship?**

**Cupid's Advice:**



The circumstances of your relationship may attract undeserved gossip. It's important you don't let your love life get sabotaged by malicious slander. Act fast as a united front and you should crush your opposition. In the game of thrones, you either win or you die. And in the game of love, you either win or you cry. In both, having a strong ally can go a long way:

**1. Develop trust with your partner:** If you think your relationship is hanging off the grape vine, don't let your partner be the last one to find out. Transparency and direct communication can go a long way to show your significant other your devotion. If they're under attack, assure them of your allegiance.

**2. Confront rumours together:** If your personal life is being poisoned by rumours, maybe sunlight is the best disinfectant. Get everything out in the open together. Confront rumours as a team, and at least you'll demonstrate the strength of your relationship.

**3. Don't sweat the small stuff:** Gossiping is a popular pastime, and nobody avoids it completely. It's hard to live by the mantra of sticks and stones, but at least you avoid some minor emotional bruising. If people are just talking about your relationship, it might not be a bad thing. Just establish to yourself and others what is acceptable.

**How has gossip hurt your relationships? Share your experiences below!**

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# Justin Bieber's Mom 'Loves' Selena Gomez



By Nicole Weintraub

Pattie Mallette opens up regarding her sexual past and her words of advice for her son Justin Bieber, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). Mallette reveals that she was sexually abused as a child, which developed into an obscured view of love and men in general. She became pregnant with Bieber at just 17 and started sharing her own story with her son in the hopes that he would make better decisions than she did. In response to her son's two-year girlfriend, Selena Gomez, she gushes of what a sweetheart she is. "They're good together. They're adorable," explains Mallette who greatly approves of her son's girlfriend.

**How do you make a good first impression on your partner's parents?**

## Cupid's Advice:

You're meeting the parents – don't freak! Here are some ways on how to make a good impression when you first meet your partner's parents:

**1. Be yourself:** Don't try to be someone you are not because that never turns out well. Be honest about who you are as a person and your interests. After all, only you can play the part of yourself perfectly.

**2. Be appropriate:** Be sure to censor yourself, especially if your partner's parents are old fashioned and traditional. Don't dress as if you were going out to a club and don't curse like a truck driver. Act the way you would want your partner to behave upon meeting your parents.

**3. Stay calm:** Breathe. Be calm, cool and collected. Parents are still regular everyday people. You want to impress them, but they are not going to interview you or nitpick everything that you say. Plus, your partner will be there with you to guide you.

What are your experiences with meeting your partner's parents for the first time? Share with us in the comments below.

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# Robert Pattinson Moves Back In With Kristen Stewart





By Jennifer Ross

It appears that Robert Pattinson and Kristen Stewart have taken the next step in making up. The *Twilight* couple has moved back in together and have officially reconciled, a source told [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). However, not everything is roses and lollipops between them. Although their make-up was dramatic, Pattinson, 26, is insecure and sensitive to the relationship, say sources. No doubt, he still is not over Stewart's, 22, infidelity with her *Snow White and the Huntsman* director, Rupert Sanders. Will the couple's first indiscretion be their last? Only time will tell.

**How do you know when to forgive your partner after cheating?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

Forgiveness can be a very difficult thing to do when your partner has betrayed your love. Never-the-less, it is very important to eventually forgive, regardless of whether or not you decide to reconcile. So to help you decide, here are few clues to look for that tell you it is time to forgive:

**1. You've dealt with the truth:** Although you wanted to blame everything on your partner, the two of you have realized that cheating was only a symptom to something else and steps were

taken to resolve it. Dealing with the real issues in your relationship is necessary in order not to end up back where you two started.

**2. You've let go:** In dealing with the main problem, you have found ways to accept the pain your mate has caused you. You may never forget, but you also choose to focus on the positive aspects as a result of his cheating. Also, you've realized that you needed to let go for the welfare of your relationship and your health.

**3. You feel it:** When you think about the infidelity, you are comfortable sharing your story in a positive manner. You are confident in yourself and your relationship with your partner. Overall and in general, you simply feel better inside and out.

**What signs did you find that made you forgive your partner? Comment below.**

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## **Beyonce and Jay-Z Enjoy a Date Night in NYC**





By Jennifer Ross

Taking timeout from their hectic schedules, Beyonce and Jay-Z had a date night on Sunday in Upper Manhattan, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). Located right on the banks of the East River in the Inwood neighborhood, the parents of eight-month-old Blue Ivy enjoyed the evening at La Marina, a new restaurant and lounge with a luxury beach atmosphere. Beyonce, 31, and Jay-Z, 42, were celebrating the launch of Jay's cognac brand, D'usse. As true to her form, Beyonce was beautifully dressed in a leopard-print Roberto Cavalli dress while Jay-Z had a laid back but well put together look.

**What are some ways to keep the spark alive in a long-term relationship?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

As another relationship anniversary passes you by, life can make it challenging to keep the sparks alive and thriving. Should you find yourself without any ideas how to rekindle the flame, here are a few tips to assist you along the way:

**1. Reconnect with each other:** While ongoing communication is key to any relationship, in this case, I am referring to the physical senses. Taking five to ten minutes every day to

cuddle with your partner actually can strengthen the connection between you two. The goal here is to simply hold each other; whether you decide to speak or not is up to your mood.

**2. Laugh at it:** As you two continue on in your day-to-day challenges, it can be difficult to leave those stressful moments out of your relationship. Why not find ways to laugh about them together? Laughing is thought to relieve tension within your body and lift your spirit, not to mention bring you two closer together.

**3. Dress up:** Spending that extra time to perfect your appearance not only makes you feel good about yourself, but it also shows your partner that you care to look good for them. It will also give them the urge to dress up for you as well. Whether you go out to dinner or stay in, dress up for your partner...and for yourself.

**How do you keep the spark alive in your relationship? Share your ideas below.**

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## **Ashton Kutcher and Mila Kunis Spend a PDA-Filled Weekend Together**







By Jennifer Ross

It appears that love is still in the air. The PDA sightings of Ashton Kutcher and Mila Kunis last week in Central Park continued on through the weekend and were photographed throughout New York City. From holding hands through dinner at The Lion on Friday night to matching blue T-shirts and jeans while watching football in a sports bar on Sunday, Kutcher, 34, and Kunis, 29, could not go long without a hug or a kiss from each other. As reported to [People](#) by an observer, the love birds even had a cozy dinner with another couple at Spasso restaurant on Saturday night and were “all lovey-dovey.” It looks like the love that began April is still holding strong.

**What are the benefits of being affectionate in public?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

We've all done it. At one point in our lives, we have all either participated in a little PDA or watched from a distance. That feeling you get inside that makes you want to hold their hand or give them a sweet kiss, regardless of where you are, is a wonderful feeling. However, have you ever thought why do we do this? Here are a few reasons to understand what's good about PDA:

**1. Confirming your feelings:** Reaching out to hold your mate's hand, or give them a kiss, in public is a great way to confirm your feelings for them, if they are insecure about the relationship. It boldly states that you care and you what you don't care about is who knows. So the next time your partner questions your love for them, show it in public to get the message across.

**2. It can boost a person's mood:** Against what most people might think, being affectionate in public can have a positive effect on the people watching. A scientific study has shown that whether you are actively involved in PDA or simply watching, both have a strong and positive effect on your brain. So give your partner that extra kiss; it may lift someone else's spirit.

**3. It just feels good:** Let's not forget about ourselves. As the initiator of PDA, we do this simply because it feels good to us. With all the stresses of our world, why not allow ourselves to indulge in a little positive action with our loved one? After all, we are attracted to them and we genuinely care. So, if your urge is to give your mate a hug or kiss out in public, do it! Just remember to keep it "family friendly" for the little ones that may be watching.

**What benefits do you get from being affectionate in public? Who initiates it more? Comment below.**

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**Nicole Kidman Says She'll Hang Out Backstage at**

# 'American Idol'



By Nic Baird

The latest installment of *American Idol* may feature glimpses of Nicole Kidman, as she plans to visit her rocker husband Keith Urban on set, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). The actress told E! News' Ryan Seacrest that she'll be cheering on her man off stage. Urban will be one of three new judges with singer Mariah Carey and rapper Nicki Minaj. Though Kidman will be away playing Grace Kelly in the upcoming film *Grace of Monaco*, she and Urban have been an inseparable couple since 2005. The movie starlet will be back in 2013 to support her spouse backstage.

**What are some ways to support your partner's career?**

## **Cupid's Advice:**

You should already know your partner's ambitions and concerns with their job. It's important you let them know you're

rooting for them. Here are some tips for being appropriately involved in your significant other's career:

**1. Share success:** While you have a separate career from your partner, you're on the same team. When one of you advances, or finishes a project, you should celebrate. If your partner succeeds, you've made a smart choice. And if they succeed because of your support, they think they've made the smart choice. When you share success there's a lot more of it to go around.

**2. Take an interest:** It's important to recognize professional boundaries around your partner's work. Don't inject yourself into their job, but learn enough so you can talk to them about it. There should be something they find interesting about their work, and if there isn't you should point that out.

**3. Work together:** Coordinate your schedules so you can spend time together after hours. If you both can work from home, try working in the same room. You can share advice, get ahead, and still spend quality time together. Be ready to help your partner if they have a work emergency. In times of crisis, they'll appreciate the support your relationship offers.

**How involved are you with your partner's career? Share the ways you support them below.**

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## **Julianne Hough Reveals How Ryan Seacrest Spoils Her**



By Nic Baird

*Dancing With The Stars'* Julianne Hough gushed about boyfriend Ryan Seacrest at the Sunday Emmys, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). Hough called Seacrest "extremely romantic." At the award show, Hough revealed a recent birthday gift the media personality had given her. "I had picked out an outfit randomly [in a magazine]," Hough told Seacrest's E! colleague Giuliana Rancic. "[F]ive months later, he had the whole outfit [purchased]." Seacrest even tried to dress his girlfriend of two years for the Emmys, but admits "[hers] was the right choice!"

**What are some ways to make your partner feel special on their birthday?**

### **Cupid's Advice**

Birthdays are the perfect time to make your partner feel special. There's never a better time to show you appreciate their existence, than the anniversary of the day they were born. Follow these tips to communicate how much that makes you

happy:

**1. Be excited:** It should be clear to your partner how excited you've been for their birthday if you planned a party or spent time on a thoughtful gift or activity. Regardless, be happy and excited to celebrate your partner's birthday. Some people are sensitive on their birthdays, so you need to show enthusiasm and give them tons of positive attention.

**2. Celebrate with others:** Encourage your partner to socialize on their birthday, or arrange a dinner with friends yourself. It's important they get attention from their friends and family to feel valued. Make sure this is happening, even if they seem hesitant.

**3. Don't be empty handed:** This doesn't mean you have to buy any sort of expensive gift. Just show you put enough thought into their birthday to get them a present or arrange some celebration. As their significant other, it's partially your responsibility they feel appreciated. If you come up with nothing, what are they supposed to think about your relationship?

**What have you done to celebrate your partner's birthday? Share your experiences below.**

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# **Justin Timberlake Celebrates His Bachelor Party in Las Vegas and Cabo**



By [Nicole Weintraub](#)

[Justin Timberlake](#) has been celebrating his dwindling days of bachelorhood with a huge bachelor party with 25 friends, according to [People](#). Timberlake, who is currently engaged to actress [Jessica Biel](#), kicked off the party weekend in none other than Las Vegas. In Vegas the large party went out to eat and then went club hopping, even bumping into Timberlake's old pal Timbaland who shared his well wishes for the soon to be groom. Then, the bachelor party relocated to Cabo on Friday where the party will dwindle down once the weekend commences. The pair has not even set a date yet that we know of, but perhaps the nuptials are closer than we think if [Timberlake](#) is already saying goodbye to his single days.

**What are some ways to make your bachelor/bachelorette party unforgettable?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

It's the party that the entire bridal party and the groomsmen talk about – the bachelor and bachelorette [party](#). Here are



some tips on how to make it unforgettable:

**1. Don't be secretive:** If you do not want a stripper, be vocal and say no before the guests decide to surprise you. If you're unsure of whether or not an activity is inappropriate, talk about it openly with your [partner](#). Just because they are not going to be at the [party](#) does not mean that what goes on has to be a secret.

**2. Go out of your comfort zone:** You're out with your friends, having a few drinks and all of a sudden it's starting to get dull. If the night takes a turn towards boredom, do something crazy that you've never done before. Don't do anything completely against your morals, but be a little out there.

**3. Take plenty of pictures:** You may not remember much of the night, but if you can remember to always be snapping pictures. Pick a designated camera person or pass around some disposable cameras.

**Was your bachelor/bachelorette party unforgettable? Share your stories with us!**

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## Blake Lively and Ryan Reynolds Take a Mini-Honeymoon in Virginia





By Jennifer Ross

Keeping in theme with their South Carolina wedding, Blake Lively and Ryan Reynolds decided on a mini-honeymoon at Virginia's Inn in Little Washington, South Carolina, according to [People](#). Located an hour and a half west of our nation's capital, the Inn is operated by Chef Patrick O'Connell. It includes a French inspired restaurant, locally grown food and a 14,000 wine bottle cellar. As reported by the [Washington Post](#), Reynolds, 35, wore a light blue shirt and khakis when he and his bride dined in the garden for a late dinner. The couple then spent Saturday night there before heading back to New York City.

**What are some quick honeymoons to take as a couple?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

Although a wedding is one of the most memorable moments in your life, it may come at a time when your work schedule is full. If this is your case, here are a few examples of how you can have a mini romantic honeymoon that is sure to please:

**1. In your own backyard:** No, this is not in reference to the yard behind your home. Rather, it's about creating a wonderful experience of enjoying what your town has to offer. Whether

you live in rural town or a bustling city, every town has spas, fine dining, luxury hotels or resorts, along with events and nightlife that can make for a very exciting time. Plus, it includes the shortest drive home in the end.

**2. Head west to wine country:** Another honeymoon that does not require a passport is the wine regions of California. There are many wine resorts and villa rentals to set the romantic mood. Besides all the great wine tasting, there is also hot-air balloon rides, golfing, and spas. Just remember to hire car service to prevent any drinking and driving.

**3. Beach destination:** For a romantic beach destination without leaving the U.S., head over to Kiawah Island, South Carolina. While it is not actually an island, it is predominantly surrounded by water. Although Kiawah Island is known for their professional golf courses, you can also enjoy playing tennis, fishing, canoeing through the beautiful marsh-lined creeks, shopping, fine dining or simply laying on the beach. It contains all the joys of the Florida Keys, at a lower cost and without the over-crowdedness.

**Did you and your spouse take a quick honeymoon? Tell us all about it below!**

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# **Kate Middleton and Prince William Win Ruling Barring Scandalous Photos**



By Jennifer Ross

Much to the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge's satisfaction, the royal couple has won their first round against *Closer* magazine, according to [People](#). As reported by the [BBC](#), the French court ruled on Tuesday that the magazine must cease from republishing the photos of the Duchess sunbathing topless. Also, they have been ordered to turn over all original photographs to Prince William and Middleton within 24 hours or incur a daily fine of 10,000 Euros. However, the ruling applies only to France, allowing other publications in several other countries to continue publishing the photos. Nevertheless, the royal couple has filed a criminal complaint against *Closer* and will be seeking damages. It looks like the French magazine may have risked more than they can handle.

**What are some ways to support your partner's goals?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

Whether your partner has a goal to lose weight, write a book, or go for that next promotion, you can bet that they will need

support from you, whether they ask for it or not. Here are some steps for you to take on their journey:

**1. Show up:** If you genuinely want to support your mate, you must show up...mentally and physically. That means not only being by their side, but listening to both their frustrations and joys regarding the goal. Make yourself be present and aware to them, giving them the sense that they are not alone.

**2. Be a coach and a cheerleader:** Sometimes, your partner will come across a challenge that requires more of you than just being present. In these instances, be ready to give them a pep talk and motivate them in a positive direction. Also remember to congratulate them for the little successes, giving them energy to continue forward.

**3. Know when to back off:** Finally, keep an eye out for the moments when the challenge requires them to walk alone. Allow them to bounce last minute ideas and strategies off of you and then step aside. No matter how much you want to assist, you must allow your partner to fight their battle without you. Just remind them beforehand that when they return, you will be there waiting for them, with open arms.

**What are some ways your partner supported you? Feel free to comment below.**

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# **Prince William and Kate Middleton: Upbeat Despite**

# Photo Scandal



By Nicole Weintraub

Prince William and Kate Middleton are continuing on their tour in honor of the reign of the Queen despite the recent release of revealing photos of the Duchess, according to [People](#). Photos of Kate Middleton have been circulated of her sunbathing topless. While the royal couple is outraged over the publication of these photos, they refuse to allow the scandal to put a damper on their tour. "Their royal highnesses will not allow this story in any way to dampen that heartfelt and genuine enthusiasm," revealed a source from the palace. The couple continued on their tour by hoisting themselves up a tree via harness in the rainforest of the Danum Valley.

**What are some ways to support your partner when they're the victim of gossip?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

Rumors, gossip and drama happen all of the time, regardless of your age. Here are some ways to support your partner when gossip occurs:

**1. Don't blow it out of proportion:** Do not make a big deal out of the circulating gossip that is currently surrounding your partner. The last thing they want you to do is to focus on what is being said.

**2. Offer comfort:** Make sure that your partner does not believe the gossip or feel at all responsible for it. Offer comfort and support to show them that you care about them and are there for them.

**3. Move on:** Don't dwell on the gossip issue. The longer time you spend on drama, the worse your partner is going to feel. If you ignore gossip, it eventually blows over.

**How do you support your partner when gossip arises? Share your stories with us!**

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## **'Glee' Star Lea Michele Discusses Working with Boyfriend Cory Monteith**







By Nicole Weintraub

*Glee*'s favorite on screen couple is also one off screen. According to [People](#), Lea Michele and Cory Monteith are just as much of a couple in real life as they are on the show. Michele shares that she loves working with Monteith. "He really, really inspires me, and he motivates me," she gushed recently regarding her working relationship with her boyfriend. According to the *Glee* star, she is happy with her current beau, as the chemistry between the two is easy to spot on the hit television show.

**What are some tips for working with your significant other?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

Dating your co-worker? Yikes! That can be a tricky spot to be in, but here are some tips to help you out:

**1. Keep it professional:** In the workplace, try to remain as professional as possible. That means no public displays of affection or long strolls throughout the office. Save the mushy feelings for after work, not during.

**2. Be open with your coworkers:** While it may be frowned upon to date a fellow coworker, being open and honest about it may

be better in the long run. If you bump into another co-worker outside of work, it may put you in a sticky spot if you and your partner are not honest about your relationship.

**3. Support each other:** We all have bad days at work or face obstacles we have to overcome. Support and motivate your partner from the sidelines. Do not fight their battles for them; they have to face their own problems at times.

**Do you and your partner work together? Share your stories with us!**

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## **Find Out About Ryan Reynolds and Blake Lively's Life Before Marriage**





By Nicole Weintraub

Ryan Reynolds and Blake Lively got married last Sunday, according to [People](#). The couple has been living cozily in the suburbs now as they take a step back from the busy Hollywood scene. After dating for six months, the now newlyweds purchased a house together in April and worked on interior decorating through the month of June, with future plans to marry in a quiet ceremony in Charleston, South Carolina.

**What are some advantages to living together before marriage?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

Nowadays it is very common for couples to cohabitate prior to tying the knot. Here are some pluses to moving in together before getting married:

**1. Finding out compatibility:** One of the major benefits of living together prior to being married is figuring out if the two of you can stand to be around each other all the time. You'll be able to find out little quirks about one another to truly see if the two of you are meant to be.

**2. Testing living arrangements:** Living with someone is different than merely dating them. This is a great way to see

how the two of you would be able to compromise and the lifestyle you would have as a married couple.

**3. Taking the next step:** You and your partner may not be ready to take the plunge into marriage, but you may be ready to take another step. Moving in together is the step between dating seriously and marriage.

**Did you move in with your partner before marriage? What were some of the benefits you experienced? Share with us in the comments below!**

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## **Penn Badgley Says He's 'Genuinely Happy' For Blake Lively**





By Jennifer Ross

You can add Penn Badgley to the list of people happy to hear of Blake Lively and Ryan Reynolds' marriage. According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), he was "genuinely happy" when he heard that his ex-girlfriend, Lively, married Reynolds at Boone Hall Plantation in Mount Pleasant, South Carolina this past weekend. The relationship between Badgley and Lively severed back in 2010, and he is now dating Zoe Kravitz.

**How do you know when it's time to move on from an ex-partner?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

Once the relationship has ended with your ex, there may be a period where you still have feelings and not ready to move. However, lingering in this break-up purgatory is dangerous over time. No worries; Cupid's Pulse has a few tips to tell when it is time to emotionally say good-bye:

**1. Please leave a message:** Does it seem lately that you spend less time talking to your ex-partner and more time talking to their voicemail? If so, it is time to start moving on. Whether your ex is avoiding you or simply unable to answer the phone, it does not matter. The fact is, your ex is not there and neither should you.

**2. Too busy for you:** On the days that you do run into your ex, do they linger in conversation or keep it short and to the point? When your ex is too busy to talk about the good-old-times, or anytime for that matter, it is a clear sign that things are no longer lovey-dovey between you two. Do not focus on how to keep the conversation going. Instead, keep it positive and short so you, too, can be on your way.

**3. They have moved on:** An obvious sign that it is time to move from your ex is when they have a new partner. Nothing says “I don’t love you anymore” like seeing your ex with their new love interest. Why stick around and be the third wheel when you, too, can be out in the world with someone new? The only way to get there is to let go!

**Have you finally moved on from your ex? What made you realize it was time? Comment below.**

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## **Was LeAnn Rimes' Breakdown Fueled By Fears of Eddie Cibrian Cheating?**







By Nicole Weintraub

LeAnn Rimes reportedly checked herself into a 30-day rehabilitation facility due to her anxiety, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). The star has been dealing with circulating rumors regarding her romance with Eddie Cibrian. The pair met back in 2009 when they were each respectively married to their former partners. Rimes has been called a home wrecker and has been fearful of Cibrian's wandering eye. In response to checking herself into rehab, Cibrian has showed support for her decision, declaring, "I hope she will find what she is looking for while in rehab."

**What do you do if you suspect your partner is cheating?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

Cheating is a serious accusation, so here are some steps on what to do if you think your partner is being unfaithful:

**1. Don't jump to conclusions:** It is easy to suspect the worst and to emotionally prepare ourselves for what we dread. However, if your partner does not respond your calls or texts immediately give them the benefit of the doubt. Rushing to conclusions is only going to get you into trouble.



**2. Look at your evidence:** If a person has cheated before, it is true that they are more than likely to do it again. Multiple suspicious behaviors are ground for suspecting that your partner has a wandering eye. If the excuses and the evidence keeps adding up, do not ignore it.

**3. Confrontation:** Be upfront with your partner and tell them that you know something is going on. If you have valuable proof, present it to them. Further discuss what the next option is for the two of you whether it be working through it or going separate ways.

**What were some red flags that you saw when you were being cheated on? Share your experiences below.**

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## **Nina Dobrev Admits to Fighting Feelings for Costar Ian Somerhalder**





By Erin Minty

*The Vampire Diaries* star Nina Dobrev is no stranger to being surrounded by hot men. And despite what she said in a *Seventeen Magazine* feature about never dating a costar, she ended up with one of the hottest as her boyfriend; 33-year old actor Ian Somerhalder. Dobrev tells [People](#), “I didn’t want to be dating one of my costars. My goal on the show was to be professional. But sometimes you can’t help who you have a connection with, and you can only fight it for so long – which I did for a really, really long time.” Despite their start as coworkers, Dobrev and Somerhalder have been together for awhile, and their relationship seems to be going strong.

**Is it OK to date a coworker?**

### **Cupid’s Advice:**

Inter-office dating can be complicated. Cupid has some advice on when dating a coworker will work:

**1. If you have true feelings:** Dating a coworker just because you are attracted to them is probably not a good idea. But when your relationship reaches a level of true feelings, you might want to give it a go. Just like Dobrev said, you can’t fight your feelings, and it would be worse to wonder “what if”

than to actually try.

**2. Talk about it before:** If you think there is a chance of a real relationship with a coworker, you should have a talk about what may or may not happen before starting a relationship. If you work so closely together that you spend every hour of every day together, things may get complicated at work. But if the two of you think you can keep your work life and dating life separate, then it may be worth the risk.

**3. Gage your office:** What kind of tone does your office give off? If it is very serious 100% of the time, dating coworkers may be a bad idea, because of the potential problems that could arise. If every relationship at work needs to be extremely professional, inter-office dating can become very tricky, and you would need to be very careful before jumping into a relationship.

**How did you know it would be okay to date your coworker? Share your story below!**

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## Is Russell Brand Dating a Spice Girl?





By Jennifer Ross

It seems that Russell Brand, the British Comic, has a taste for ginger – Ginger Spice that is. Brand, 37, and Geri Halliwell, 40, are reported to be dating, according to [The Sun](#), British paper. Out in public, the two have been seen together in London at Hampton Court Palace, along with Halliwell's daughter from a previous relationship, 6-year-old Bluebell. More recently, Brand posed with the Spice Girls in a Twitter picture at the London Olympics' closing ceremony, which was considered to be the Spice Girls' amazing reunion performance. With his divorce from ex-wife, Katy Perry, only a month old, Brand also briefly dated Isabella Brewster, younger sister to Dallas star Jordana Brewster. Let's hope this relationship lasts!

**How do you know if someone is boyfriend material?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

With so many personalities in this world, finding a boyfriend may not always be sugar and spice and everything nice. Here are some things to consider when searching for a new love interest.

**1. Communication is key:** When you speak, does he hear you?

Better yet, does he remember what you've said? Good communication starts with an open space to express your thoughts and includes someone on the other end listening, being able to understand, and even challenge you in a positive manner.

**2. Attraction:** Good communication without attraction is the same as having a relationship with your brother – sure you love each other, but not in the romantic way. In order to have a boyfriend, there must be a mutual intimate connection to each other, and that starts with physical attraction.

**3. You've bettered yourself:** Another thing to consider is who you were before you met him and who you have become. With all this physical attraction and communication between you two, thoughts and feelings are inevitably going to change. Have you changed for the better? If spending this much time with him encourages you to be a better you, then it looks like you may have a keeper!

**What made you choose your boyfriend? What are the traits you admire most about him? Tell us!**