Carly Rae Jepsen Gushes About Her New Man





By Erin Minty

26-year-old pop sensation Carly Rae Jepsen has found herself a new man, singer-songwriter Matthew Koma, reports <u>People</u>. The two have recently started dating, and Jepsen said of her new man, "He's a really great guy, and really talented." The romantic pop singer loves going on dates when she's not topping the charts with songs like "Call Me Maybe," and says she is attracted to guys that show confidence without being cocky. The new couple likes to go out and try something new, or stay at home to try Jepsen's homemade sushi rolls.

How much should you reveal to your friends and family about your new relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

When beginning a new relationship, deciding how much information to give away can be tricky. You want to keep your relationship to yourself, yet also let people know about your happiness. Cupid has some advice:

- 1. Don't go into too much detail: You don't want to scare your new beau away by giving super personal details about your relationship to everyone you know. Like Carly Rae Jepsen does, try to tell people information about what you're doing, like where you go on dates, without spilling everything that happened.
- 2. Speak up: If someone asks a question that you don't want to answer, let them know. Don't answer questions that make you uncomfortable. Your relationship is your business, and your family and friends are most likely just curious about your new partner. Just let them know that in such an early stage, you don't want to give away too much.
- 3. Tell the truth: What you shouldn't do in a new relationship is lie to your friends about it. You don't need to go into a lot of detail, but you should give them some information if they are curious. Let your friends and family know the two of you are happy together and are excited about the possibility of the future, which will let them feel included without making you uncomfortable.

How do you know what to tell your family and friends about your new relationship? Let us know in a comment below!

Kristen Bell and Dax Shepard

Consider Having Kids Out of Wedlock





By Deanna Atkins

Putting off marriage seems to be the cool thing to do these days. Kristen Bell and Dax Shepard are even considering having children out of wedlock, according to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>. "We'll apply the appropriate paperwork for the wills and security and such, but when he gave [the ring] to me, that meant more to me then proclaiming it in front of a group of people," said the actress. The pair seems to be in it for the long haul, making their love for each other very obvious since they started dating in 2007.

How do you decide if having kids out of wedlock is the right decision for you?

Cupid's Advice:

Every relationship is different and a marriage doesn't necessarily mean that a couple is going to stay together forever anymore. Marriage sometimes seems more like a label than a vow and if you feel like you're already married in your relationship then having children before taking a trip down the aisle could be right for you:

- 1. You both want to be parents: If having children is something that you and your partner know that you want to do then maybe there's no better time but the present. Marriage holds a different meaning for everyone, but being a parent is something truly special.
- **2.The time is right:** Timing is crucial and if you're at a good point in your lives when it would be ideal to have a child, why wait? Things change constantly so don't let what you really want in life be dependent of a wedding.
- **3.You're in love:** Love is the proof. If you and your significant other have true, real feelings for one another than it may not be necessary to get married before having children. If you're both ready to be parents and you're in a stable, committed relationship then it may be the right decision for you.

How do you know if having children out of wedlock is the right decision for you? Share below.

Carrie Underwood Says Mike Fisher Loves All of Her

Craziness





By Erin Minty

Country star Carrie Underwood has found someone who loves "all of her craziness": her husband of two years, Mike Fisher. Since their marriage in 2010, the couple is still as happy and in love as ever, according to <code>UsMagazine.com</code>. Though the singer and her NHL hubby are both so busy, they take the extra effort to make their marriage work, like vacations to Disney Animal Kingdom in July. Underwood shares that the two text and tweet "I love you" every day to each other, as well as making their time together count by going on dates. With such busy work lives, it is great to see a couple that makes it work, despite the obstacles they face.

How do you know if someone's weak points are something you can live with?

Cupid's Advice:

Most people are not perfect, and there may be a few elements of their lives that you don't like. Cupid has some advice on figuring out whether or not those weak points are something you can live with in your relationship.

- 1. Talk to your partner: If you have a problem with an element of your partner's life that you are unsure about, talk to them. It may be something that is unavoidable, or the two of you may be able to come to a compromise. Either way, if you leave the conversation feeling better about the issue then the relationship is probably worth it.
- 2. If the positives outweigh the negatives: In any relationship, there may be elements of your partner that you don't think are perfect. But you shouldn't abandon ship because of one little pet peeve. Think about it: are there more positives than negatives in your relationship? Try to focus on those points instead.
- 3. Test it out: If you really can't decide whether or not you can live with the weak points, try it out for a little while. After a time, if the relationship is driving you crazy, you'll know that the problems are too much to handle. If you still want to stay with the person, you'll know that you can handle a few little issues.

How do you know if you can handle your partner's weak points? Let us know below!

Victoria Beckham Dedicated

Spice Girls Show to David and Kids





By Daniela Agurcia

Everyone was ecstatic to see the wonderful reunion of the Spice Girls in the 2012 London Olympics Closing Ceremony. Geri Halliwell (Ginger Spice), Melanie Brown (Scary Spice), Victoria Beckham (Posh Spice), Emma Bunton (Baby Spice) and Melanie Chisholm(Sporty Spice) took the stage and made their performances of "Wannabe" and "Spice Up Your Life" ones for the books. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Beckham's rep said she dedicated the performance to her husband, David Beckham and her four kids, who were all in the audience to watch her. The Spice Girls were happy to be back on the stage and Beckham's family couldn't be more proud of her.

What are some grand romantic gestures you can make to your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

There are many things you can do to show your partner you love them. Here are some ideas for romantic gestures that show you care:

- 1. Support them: There's nothing more important then supporting your partner in something they're doing. Show up at their office or show with a bouquet of red roses to express your support and love.
- 2. Take them on a date: Surprise your loved one with a romantic outing to their favorite restaurant on a day where it's least expected. It'll be good to get away from the house and have some one on one time together.
- **3. Give them a day to relax:** Surprise your partner with a nice day at the spa to allow them to finally take some time to relax for themselves. It will be greatly appreciated and it shows you care and want them to relax and feel good.

What are some romantic gestures you've done for your loved one? Share your ideas below.

Rachel Weisz Opens Up About Her Marriage to Daniel Craig





Bourne Legacy star

Rachel Weisz has never truly been open about her secretive year-long marriage with Daniel Craig...until now. *UsMagazine.com* reports that in the September issue of *Marie Claire UK* Weisz shares how their relationship evolved and what it's like balancing motherhood, her career and Craig's career. When asked if it was love at first sight, Weisz said, "It wasn't really like that; we'd been friends for ages." Without delving into too many details, Weisz felt more comfortable talking about her career rather than her love life. "You both understand you've got to be flexible," she says. "Every few months you start a new job." It sounds like this acting duo has found the perfect balancing act between overexposure and privacy.

What details of your marriage should you keep to yourself?

Cupid's Advice:

Talking about your relationship is a healthy habit, but you do not want to expose every little detail. Here's how to know you've gone too far:

1. Fights: As angry as you may be, spilling all of the details about your fights is never a good idea. You can tell friends and family why you're fighting, but do not delve into 'he

said, she said,' details, because it will only cause more drama.

- 2. Intimate moments: There are certain moments in your marriage that are only meant for the two of you, and the two of you alone. Intimate moments like cuddling and talking about how much you love each other should only be for your memory, not anyone else's.
- 3. What you do not like about your counterpart: I'm sure you can make an entire list expressing everything you love about your partner, but one negative comment will erase the entire positive. Only share the good details of your marriage, or it will come back to bite you.

What details of your marriage do you think you should you keep to yourself? Tell us below.

Jada Pinkett Smith Shoots Down Divorce Rumors...Again!





Jada Pinkett Smith

once again denies rumors of a divorce with famous husband, Will Smith. The actress and mother of two, Jaden and Willow, tells *Essence Magazine*, "It seems like {rumors} happens at least once a year, or at least once every two years," reports *People*. Their 4-year-old follows that up by clarifying that the two are not divorcing. Their 15-year marriage is still full of love according to her, adding that Will is "another part" of her. How do you fend off rumors about your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Rumors are sometimes inevitable, but there are some things that you can do in order to keep gossip about your relationships from spreading. Cupid has some advice on how to stop rumors in their tracks:

- 1. Be honest: People are bound to gossip, but it is up to you what information you would like to disclose about your relationship to your friends and family members. Make sure that what you say to people are honest facts about how you're feeling, and not what you think sounds good.
- 2. Speak up: If you have a problem with something someone is saying, tell them! Asking someone to stop talking about your

personal life may not always work, but if there is a rumor being spread that is not true or makes you uncomfortable, talk to the people who are spreading them; it's a good step towards making it stop.

3. Try to find out where the rumor is coming from: People may believe something that is not true based on your or your partners actions or something taken out of context. If you can find out what caused the rumor to begin with, you can address it and make sure that it is clarified.

How do you stop rumors from circulating about your relationship? Share your comments below.

Blake Lively and Ryan Reynolds Hit the Gym





One of the most

beautiful Hollywood couples is making sure to stay that way. Photographed Sunday leaving a local gym in Bedford, NY, Blake Lively, 24, and boyfriend Ryan Reynolds, 35, looked as happy as ever, reports <u>People</u>. The couple recently bought a \$2 million dollar home together in Bedford. After meeting on the set of *The Green Lantern*, the celebrity couple got together near the end of 2011. The two are still going strong, spending all their time together redecorating their new house, while taking breaks to work (and work out).

What are some ways to get healthy as a couple?

Cupid's Advice:

Keeping your body healthy is important, but it's sometimes hard to motivate yourself. Having your partner's help in that area can certainly help. Cupid has some tips on getting healthy as a couple:

1. Get gym memberships: Take a hint from Blake and Ryan, as the two look amazing! Fitness is important, and working out with a partner can give you the little push you need to do those 10 extra sit ups or run that extra mile. Besides, letting your partner see you totally sweaty after a hard work out will help you two become closer and more comfortable

around one another

- 2. Prepare healthy meals together: One key ingredient in living a healthy lifestyle is eating right. You and your partner can count on each other to make sure that you cut out the fats and include more good foods, like fruits and veggies, in your daily diet. You can use the prep time as a great way to connect with your partner; cooking can be fun and romantic when you are with someone you love.
- 3. Do something active on date night: Instead of going to see another movie where you load up on popcorn and soda, skip the sitting and plan a more active date. Go on a hike and have a romantic picnic, or go ice-skating in the winter. Aside from being healthier, you will have more opportunity to talk with your partner, and probably have more fun.

What are some ways you stay healthy in your relationships? Share your thoughts below.

Miley Cyrus Pays for the Bill with Liam Hemsworth and Friends





Miley Cyrus knows

how to spoil her significant other, not to mention her friends. The star and her new fiancé, Liam Hemsworth, were spotted out to dinner with friends at Studio City, California on Saturday, where Cyrus picked up the tab, according to <u>People</u>. The pair, who have been engaged since June, are still happy and very much in love.

How do you know when to let your partner pay for a date?

Cupid's Advice:

The rules of chivalry traditionally place the man responsible for paying for a date. However, the rules of economy have changed, making the playing field even in terms of paying the bill. Here's a few tips on when to let your partner pay for a date, and when to cover it yourself:

- 1. They offer: There's a big difference between your honey reaching for the bill out of courtesy but allowing you to pay and having them actually offer to pay. If your beau is willing to pay the bill, let them, and be sure to offer to pay next time.
- 2. They want to split: There's nothing wrong with you and your sweetheart paying for your own meals. If they suggest

splitting the check 50/50, that's a good way for both of you to save money and not feel guilty about that \$130 check.

3. You're not alone: If you're out with friends, as Cyrus and Hemsworth were, the rules can be different than if it's just a date. For instance, if your partner wants to pay for the entire table out of appreciation for everyone, you can allow him the gesture. Still, be sure to pay them back with something special later.

When is it okay to let your partner pay for a date? Share your story below.

Rumor: Were 'Big Brother' Stars JoJo and Shane In a Show-mance?





Big Brother's coach

Britney Haynes is under a lot of pressure after losing two players in one week. One player, JoJo Spatafora, was nearly unanimously voted out of the house and off the reality show. However, Shane Meaney voted for her to stay. After her eviction, Spatafora told *People* about the "show-mance" between her and Meaney, saying their relationship was, "all just for fun," not for love. She continued by saying, "you get lonely in the house. There were no feelings on my end and I'm pretty sure on his too. I like to spice things up and make the show exciting." So, it was all just to make the reality show interesting after all, but they remain "really good friends," because they had the same coach.

What do you do if you fall for someone at work?

Cupid's Advice:

Mixing business and pleasure can always be tricky. If you fall for a coworker, consider these tips for handling the situation carefully:

1. Make a list of pros and cons: The classic tactic of weighing costs and benefits always works. If you value your career over dating your new crush, it's time to move on. If you think that this new special someone is worth at least a

shot at dating, add them to your "pro" list and go on a couple of dates.

- 2. Don't try to keep it a secret: The more secretive you are at work, the more chances you have of getting caught and undergoing some sort of co-worker penalty. If you're very open about your crush at work and don't try to hide the flirting from others, no one will be surprised when you two go out on dates and hit it off. That way, you'll stay out of trouble and get the best of both worlds in business and pleasure.
- 3. Take things slow: When dating someone in the same work force, take things slow. You won't be able to bear looking at your co-worker if he ended up being a one-night stand, and even if you get too hot and heavy in the beginning, you don't want things to fizzle out right away. If you take things slow you'll be able to maintain that attraction and not have that awkward interference in the work place.

What would you do if you fell for someone at work? Tell us below.

Prince William Dreaded Getting Caught On Kiss Cam at the Olympics





Although they may

have had one of the most publicized weddings in history, Prince William was still embarrassed to appear with Kate Middleton on the Kiss Cam at the London Olympics' Velodrome. Although the two have been major supporters of the 2012 Olympic Games, and William and Prince Harry are two of the Olympic ambassadors, <u>People</u> reports that William said, "I was absolutely dreading they were going to come and show myself and my wife." Still, with the Games in full swing, there was a lot more to pay attention to, and William seems to have escaped the camera's focus.

What are some ways that PDA can detract from those around you?

Cupid's Advice:

If you're with your partner, it's often hard not to show your affection through PDA. However, there are some reasons why it's often good to restrain yourselves when you're in public. Here are some things to consider:

1. Making others feel uncomfortable: There's nothing wrong with holding hands or some quick kisses when you're out with your beau, but go too far with sloppy make out sessions and you could make the people around you feel uncomfortable. Remember to keep your PDA not only at your couple's comfort

level, but also at the comfort level of those you're spending time with.

- 2. Missing out on other things: When you're spending time with your partner, it's easy to feel like you're in your own world, especially if you're letting yourselves show some PDA. Don't let that take away enjoying whatever you've came to see. For example, if you went to a play, you don't want to miss the plot because you're so busy with your significant other.
- 3. Your partner might not be willing: Don't forget that PDA can detract from your partner's comfort as well. Some affectionate people aren't willing to show that side of them in public, so make sure that they're okay with cuddling before you start. You wouldn't want to make them do something they don't want to do.

What are your thoughts on PDA? Tell us below.

'Bachelorette' Star Emily Maynard Toasts Fiance Jef Holm's Birthday at Dinner Party





Emily Maynard's

fiancé Jef Holm certainly has had a lot to celebrate, including his 28th birthday. The recently engaged pair partied with friends in New York City, but they couldn't keep their hands off each other. According to *People*, they were often seen "holding hands under the table." Surrounded by guests, Holm was surprised with a birthday cake while out on the rooftop. With his new fiancée on his arm and a ton of guests all there for him, Holm "loved the attention" and the duo threw a great party.

What are some ways to surprise your partner with a birthday celebration?

Cupid's Advice:

Birthdays only come once a year, so it's crucial that you make your significant other feel as special as possible on this day. Consider these simple ideas to celebrate:

1. Throw a party: Surprise or not, getting together your beau's friends is definitely a great way to celebrate the person you love. A fun atmosphere with drinks and good company will be the perfect thing to make your honey_happy to turn a year older and thankful you took the initiative to coordinate

- 2. Do something adventurous: Parties and dinner aren't for everyone, show your babe you really care by taking them out to do something unique or daring. Go skydiving if you're feeling a thrill or maybe spend the day at an amusement park.
- 3. Keep it just the two of you: Sometimes the most thoughtful way to commemorate your partner can be done with little effort. Send your_loved one out for a part of the day so you can set up your house to resemble an elegant restaurant and make your honey's favorite meal.

How do you celebrate your partner's birthday? Tell us below.

Miley Cyrus and Liam Hemsworth Take a Romantic Stroll in Philly





Miley Cyrus and Liam

Hemsworth are happy and in love. The recently-engaged pair were seen taking a stroll with their dog, Ziggy in Philadelphia this weekend, according to $\underline{\textit{E Online}}$. The couple have yet to set a wedding date.

How do you know your relationship has what it takes to go the distance?

Cupid's Advice:

In any relationship, it's tough to "know" when things are right. Here are some ways to know your relationship has what it takes to go the distance:

- 1. You're willing to make the effort: Every relationship is tough, but if you're willing to work hard for your love, it's bound to be worth it.
- 2. You see a future: Do you envision things in the long term with your sweetheart? If you don't see it lasting more than a week, it likely won't, so try to picture things a year from now and see where you want to be.
- 3. You're happy: The most important part about being in a couple is being happy. Don't stay with your partner if you're

not satisfied.

What are some ways to know your relationship can go the distance? Let us know below.

Jennifer Lopez Celebrates Her 43rd Birthday with Casper Smart





She might be getting

older, but Jennifer Lopez shows no sign of slowing down. According to <u>People</u>, to celebrate her birthday, the singer was spotted with her partner Casper Smart as they were on their way to lunch at Nobu. Smart held her hand and led the star through a crowd of paparazzi outside of their hotel. Turning

43 isn't the only thing Lopez should be celebrating: she recently was named number one on Forbes' Celebrity 100 list.

What are some ways to make your partner's birthday special?

Cupid's Advice:

- Birthdays should always be special, so there's often a lot of pressure to find the right thing to do for your partner's special day. Consider these fun ways to make sure that your significant other has a great day:
- 1. Book a trip: Vacations are expensive, but you can still plan a weekend getaway on a budget. If your beau loves to golf, look up nearby resorts. If they're more of a gambler, check out some casinos! Even just preparing a picnic lunch and heading to a park can make for a pleasant day trip.
- 2. Wake him up with breakfast in bed: Wake up extra early and prepare your partner's favorite meal. Whether it's bacon and eggs or pancakes and French toast, go all out and make what they like best. This also gives you an excuse to spend some extra time together in bed.
- **3. Plan a day of surprises:** Coordinate a day with all of your beau's favorite activities, but don't tell them what you'll be doing. Do they have a favorite restaurant? Take them there for lunch. Obsessed with baseball? Get tickets to a game!

How did you celebrate your significant other's birthday? Share your story below!

'Bachelorette' Emily Maynard Says 'Love Is Worth the Chaos'





Bachelorette's eighth season, Emily Maynard couldn't be happier with her fiancé, Jef Holm. Maynard tells <u>People</u>, "There were many ups and downs, and at times things were very chaotic, but love is worth the chaos!" The reality star says that while she always dreamed of great love, she didn't know that the love that she and Holm share even existed. After a failed first attempt at finding a man, Maynard reaches out to

her fans stating, "Thanks again for the second chance and

sticking with me until I got my fairy tale ending!"

How do you overcome challenges as a couple?

Cupid's Advice:

Even if you and your partner are incredibly in love, your relationship is sure to have some challenges every once in a while. Don't assume that these problems ensure a breakup. Instead, use tips like these to work through them:

- 1. Confront the problem: Whatever dilemma you and your beau are facing, the first step is to acknowledge the problem. If you let an important issue bother you but don't speak up, you'll end up getting angry over irrelevant things and confuse them with your bad moods.
- 2. Communicate: Set aside a specific time to talk about the issue. Express your feelings to your partner and be sure to listen to their thoughts on the issue as well. Keep calm and try to come to a solution.
- 3) See a counselor: Going to relationship counseling gets a bad reputation, but it's nothing to be ashamed of. When you feel like you've done all you can and don't know where else to turn, seek out professional help.

How did you and your beau overcome a difficult challenge? Tell us your story below.

Jef Holm Is Moving To Be Closer to Emily Maynard





The winner of *The*

Bachelorette's eighth season, Jef Holm, is moving to Charlotte, North Carolina. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Holm has made the decision to move to Charlotte to be closer to Emily Maynard and her daughter, Ricki. He will be getting his own place until the two get married, at which point he plans to move in with Maynard and Ricki.

When is it time to relocate in order to be with your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

Moving for your partner is always a big step, but it's often important if you want your relationship to last. How do you know when it's a good time to relocate to be with them? Consider these tips:

- 1. Your career has taken you there: Don't ever pack up your life if you only have one reason for it. Make sure your career is secure in the move. This way, you aren't sacrificing everything for your love.
- 2. You're ready to live with them: If you envision a future with your sweetheart, and you're willing to move for them, you better be ready to live with them. That's the logical next step, so if you're doubting it, you're probably not ready to

move yourself.

3. You're thinking about it: If relocating is always at the back of your mind, you've already made your choice. You want to be with your beau, and you just need to get there.

When do you know it's time to relocate for your partner? Tell us in the comments below.

Selena Gomez Celebrates Her 20th Birthday At the Teen Choice Awards





Selena Gomez no

longer puts the "teen" in teen pop sensation after Sunday night's Teen Choice Awards. The gorgeous triple-threat

celebrated her birthday alongside her fellow musician boyfriend Justin Bieber and country star bestie in the Los Angeles's Gibson Amphitheatre. According to <u>People</u>, the now 20-year old singer received sparkled cupcakes along with an award for both her and her band, Selena Gomez & the Scene. Gomez referred to her super-new Teen Choice surf board as 'the best birthday present ever," then returned to her front row seat with her man. With that said, sounds like Ms. Gomez brought in her 20th birthday just right.

What are some ways to celebrate your significant other's birthday?

Cupid's Pulse:

Birthdays are special and need to be celebrated with a bang! After all, they only come around once a year. Here are some great ways to create an unforgettable birthday for the one you love:

- 1. Surprise party: Surprises are the best way to celebrate a milestone. Hang out with your sweetie and all your closest family and friends for a great time.
- 2. Romantic getaway: Take a romantic trip for your honey's birthday. Spend some alone time and celebrate their day with alone time and new sights to see.
- **3. Spa day:** Treat your sweetie to a lovely, relaxing day at the spa. Allow them to relieve some of life's daily stress, and let them know the day belongs to them.

How would you want to celebrate your birthday with your love? Share your thoughts with us.

Liam Hemsworth Says Miley Cyrus Is 'Team Katniss'





<u>The Hunger Games</u> has

sparked a fan battle between Team Gale and Team Peeta. Liam Hemsworth, who plays Gale, stands behind his character 100-percent, but what about his fiancé Miley Cyrus? According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Hemsworth told *Glamour* magazine that Cyrus is Team Katniss all the way. The newly engaged couple want children quickly and if Cyrus continues to support Hemsworth's career, the duo are sure to make a great little team of their own.

What are some ways to support your partner's passion?

Cupid's Advice:

In a relationship support is a key factor to keeping each partner happy. If your partner doesn't support you in your solo endeavors and vice-versa, it can create tension. Here are

some ways to support your mate's passions:

- 1. Show interest: You don't have to always take part in what your partner enjoys, but show interest every now and then. Try asking them about it at least once a day.
- 2. Show up: Actions speak louder than words. Be your partner's date at important events. Staying at home isn't a supportive decision.
- 3. Show equality: Just because you support your partner doesn't mean you need to forget about your own passions. Invite your partner to learn about your endeavors. Support goes two ways.

What are some ways you support your partner's passions? Share your comments below.

James Righton and Keira Knightley Love Being Engaged





Keira Knightley and

her musician fiancée James Righton are among many young, hot Hollywood couples. The *Pirates of the Caribbean* veteran and her talented man seem to be over-the-moon happy and in love since the announcement of their engagement in May. A source close to the pair tells *UsMagazine.com*, "Honestly, they're great for each other. They love being engaged." The future bride and groom have been dating publicly since April of last year.

How do you know when it's time to propose?

Cupid's Advice:

Deciding when you should propose can be tricky, even if all the feelings seem to be there. Here are some signs that can help making your decision a little easier:

- 1. Your heart: Follow your heart. If you cannot imagine your life without your honey and are madly in love, you should take the next step without hesitation.
- 2. Hints: Hints are a girl's best friend; whether she's ready for a ring or wants a specific birthday present. Taking advantage of these moments can prove helpful in the future.

3. Long relationship: A pair who has been together for quite some time knows each other inside and out. Don't waste any more time, and go after what you want while you have it.

How would you know it's time to propose? Share your thoughts with us.

Jason Segel Spends the Weekend with Michelle Williams and Matilda





Jason

Segel finally serious in the dating world? The 32-year old actor has been playing daddy for 6-year old Matilda, Michelle Williams's daughter, ever since he and Williams became a

Is

couple. Segel, Williams and Matilda were spotted leaving the Broadway musical Jersey Boys before doing a little shopping together one afternoon. Later, they were all spotted having lunch in Brooklyn. Segel is showing a lot of commitment by acting as the father figure to Williams's little girl. A source for <u>UsMagazine.com</u> claims, "He's been doing all sorts of 'dad stuff' with her, like drawing and playing music." The two seem in love, and adding in a third for a trio doesn't seem to be a problem for their relationship.

How do you bond with your partner's child?

Cupid's Advice:

Sometimes relationships can get even more complicated by adding a child. Here are some ways to bond with your partner's child and help ease up that often-troubling situation:

- 1. Be honest with them: Children are curious, so if they're old enough to ask you personal questions, they most likely will. Tell them whatever they want to know about yourself, and be sure to be honest. It's likely to bring you two closer together.
- 2. Find things in common: Try to pick up on things that the child likes to do, and use that to bond with them. If they like sports or movies, take a day to do those things with them.
- 3. Include them on some of your couple's activities: Children always enjoy being included in any plans you have with their parent. Bring them along on some of your dates and make them family activities. You'll still have a romantic time while also being able to connect with your partner's child.

What are some ways you would bond with your partner's child? Share your thoughts below.

Find Out What Joshua Jackson and Diane Kruger Like Most About Paris





Longtime

couple Diane Kruger and Dawson Creek's Joshua Jackson have been busy promoting Kruger's new movie Farewell, My Queen. However, they still managed to set aside time to enjoy the beauty of Paris, where they share an apartment together. Jackson tells <u>People</u> that the pair finds romance by "just walking around and being immersed in the city." He adds "the most romantic part of our day is waking up in our own neighborhood and going down to a café and just having breakfast." The couple has been mixing business with pleasure in the City of Lights, as Kruger has been taking this time to further promote her new film.

What are some of the most romantic things to do in Paris?

Cupid's Advice:

Paris is one of the most romantic cities in the world, so a visit with your significant other is definitely something to try. Here are some romantic things to do on your stay:

- 1. A couple's chocolate massage: Yes, you read that right. At the Four Seasons George V Hotel, you and your partner can enjoy an "All About Chocolate" spa treatment. A chocolate-mint body scrub is followed by a Swiss chocolate and toffee body wrap, and completed with a deep tissue massage using cocoa oil. It's sure to be a unique and romantic experience you and your beau will never forget.
- 2. Take a walk: As simple as it sounds, a walk around Paris is unlike any other. The Luxembourg Gardens is an ideal walking area at only about a mile long with beautiful scenery and rentable toy boats along the pond. After your walk you can stop by any nearby café for some wine and lunch to maximize your romantic day.
- 3. Tour of Paris by boat: Touring Paris via the Seine River is one of the most romantic things to do in Paris. After all, even Audrey Hepburn and Carey Grant did it. You'll see the city's most beautiful monuments and buildings while cuddling with your partner and lazily gliding down the river.

Do you know of any romantic things to do in Paris? Tell us below.

Aaron Paul Gives His Fiancée a Glowing Compliment





Breaking Bad's Aaron

Paul is one lucky guy... and not because he is the star of one of the most talked-about shows on television. According to <code>People</code>, The recently engaged actor makes a big statement in <code>GQ's</code> August issue regarding his fiancée Lauren Parsekian, saying "She's the greatest woman that has ever existed. No offense to other women on the planet, but she is hands down the best." Paul's 24-year old perfect lady is the founder of a non-profit anti-bullying organization, Kind Campaign. The couple has been engaged since New Year's Eve, but have yet to announce a wedding date.

What are some ways to make your partner feel special?

Cupid's Advice:

Making your significant other feel special is a great way to

keep them happy in your relationship. Here are some great ways to show them just how special they are:

- 1. Use your words: Simply telling someone how special they are to you is the easiest way to get your point across. Words hold much more power than you think.
- 2. Quality time: Spending one-on-one time with your love not only makes them feel special, but it shows how much you cherish their presence.
- **3. Kind acts:** Taking the time to do small things for the one you love almost always warms their heart. Breakfast-in-bed or even a massage goes a long way.

How do you make your partner feel special? Share your stories with us.

Jessica Simpson Celebrates Her Birthday With Eric Johnson and Daughter





Jessica Simpson and

her family (fiancé Eric Johnson and daughter Maxwell) shared her birthday at an outdoor lunch. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, The 32-year-old *Fashion Star* judge sipped champagne, and her family and friends sang "Happy Birthday" to her. After Johnson gave her a \$15,000 Birkin bag on her last birthday, we can't help, but think that baby Maxwell Drew Johnson is what made her birthday perfect this year. Happy Birthday, Jessica!

What are some romantic birthday surprises for your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

Birthdays are super important, and it can be hard to surprise your partner with a gift that will top last year's present. Here are some romantic birthday surprises for your partner:

- 1. Birthday suit: If a birthday lunch or dinner is planned, have your partner get ready a bit early and surprise them with a hot bath and massage before you two get dressed.
- 2. Birthday getaway: There is nothing more surprising and romantic than a last minute trip. Plan ahead of time, or pick a place on the morning of your partner's birthday for a fun vacation.

4. Birthday melody: In what year was your partner born? Make a CD with the music hits that came out the year he or she was born. Pop it in and serenade them.

What romantic birthday surprises have you given your partner? Share for comments below.

Christina Aguilera and Matt Rutler Enjoy Five-Course Dinner Date With Her Son Max





This weekend,

Christina Aguilera was spotted at dinner with her husband, Matt Rutler. According to <u>People</u>, the couple also brought along their 4-year old son, Max. The party of three enjoyed

a five-course meal at Restaurant 1833, paying over \$65 a person. A source who was also dining out tells *People*, "Christina was very kind to the staff and incredibly attentive to Max."

How can you include your kids in date night?

Cupid's Advice:

If you can't find a babysitter, there's no need to panic. There are plenty of ways to include your children on your date night. Consider these simple and romantic ideas:

- 1. Have a picnic at home: Prepare some food in a basket and lay out a blanket on the living room floor for your whole family. Even though you're still at home, changing where you eat can spark new conversations and create lasting memories.
- 2. Make your home a movie theater: Set up blankets and pillows on the floor for your kids while you and your beau take over the couch. This will give you and him some time together while still involving the whole family.
- 3) Take your kids to the park: Allow your kids to have fun together, running around and playing on the swings. Meanwhile, you and your partner can enjoy some time alone sitting on a bench as you watch them from afar.

How do you include your kids in a date night? Tell us below.

Jef Holm Refuses Fantasy Suite With Emily Maynard on 'The Bachelorette'





The Bachelorette is

finally wrapping its summer season with the pretty, prim and proper Emily Maynard and her two remaining candidates. One of the men is Jef Holms, who shockingly denied the opportunity to stay the night with the seemingly-perfect Maynard in a luxurious suite in Curacao on Monday's episode. According to <code>UsMagazine.com</code>, Maynard said on the pre-finale, "It was very sweet, but he turned me down and I wanted to turn him down!" The 27-year old beauty will definitely have her chance to turn one of the men down for the whole world to see as she chooses her prince charming on the upcoming season finale.

How do you know when it's time to get intimate with your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

Intimacy opens the door to a new, exciting world in a relationship that comes with more emotions and responsibility. Here are some ways to know when to take your relationship to the next level:

- 1. Exchanging 'I love you's': 'I love you' is an important phrase to share right before getting intimate with someone. Make sure they truly care for you before giving them the privilege of being intimate with you.
- 2. Meeting families: Your relationship is most likely at a pretty deep level if you are introducing them to your family and vice-versa. After you've done this, getting intimate is the next step.
- 3. Simply being ready: A lot of times people jump into intimacy before they are ready. Avoid overlooking your true feelings. Your desire to be intimate will come as your relationship grows.

What are some things you look for in a relationship before getting intimate? Share your thoughts with us.