Jason Kennedy Announces Engagement to Lauren Scruggs





By Sanetra Richards

Another proposal, another love story! According to <u>People</u>, Jason Kennedy has asked for his girlfriend's, Lauren Scruggs, hand in marriage. The <u>E! News</u>correspondent professed his love for the fashion blogger and Still LoLo author about eight months ago and still has no shame in letting the world know. "She's amazing," Kennedy told PEOPLE. "It's a blur but I can't stop smiling," the host tells <u>E!</u> "She told me I couldn't surprise her, but I got her good. This is the best night of my life." In addition, the 32-year-old tweeted, "I flew to Dallas and asked her if she would spend the rest of her life with me. I love you @laurenscruggs." The proposal was held in Scrugg's hometown in Texas. A small number of relatives and friends

were in attendance. As she stood on the balcony, Scruggs could see where Kennedy prepared a candle-filled message "Will you marry me?" Moments later, she met him downstairs where a Jennifer Meyer diamond ring was awaiting.

What are some ways to show your excitement about your engagement?

Cupid's Advice:

You are more than happy at the idea of spending the rest of your life with that special person and want to shout it at the top of your lungs. In the meantime, you would rather show your enthusiasm in other ways, but not exactly sure how to. Here are a few of Cupid's tips:

- 1. Speak highly of your partner: This will become second nature if you are completely over the moon with your significant other. You will find yourself talking about their greatest traits that make you blush or have butterflies. For example, if they are selfless, you may find yourself telling others about this characteristic.
- 2. Inform others: Share with everyone that you are soon to be happily married. Tell family, friends, whoever is in sight! Broadcast it if you feel the need, unless you both have agreed to keep it a secret). If the highest mountain top were accessible, you would do it.
- 3. Wear your engagement jewelry: Whether that be a ring, necklace, what ever symbolizes the engagement, be sure to rock it every chance you get. This let's everyone know, including your partner, that you are looking forward to the day when you exchange vows.

How do you show your excitement about your engagement? Share below.

Kim Kardashian and Kanye West Have a 'Fun and Busy' Wedding





By Laura Seaman

Kim Kardashian and Kanye West have officially tied the knot. Their wedding took place at the Forte di Belvedere in Florece, Italy and the couple said their vows next to a massive wall of beautiful white flowers. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Kim posted her favorite photos of the wedding week onto her website on Tuesday. The couple is now on their European honeymoon while mother Kris Jenner takes care of baby North West.

What can you do to keep your wedding exciting?

Cupid's Advice:

Your wedding day is possibly one of the most important days of your life. It should be one to remember, not only for you, but all of your guests. Here are a few tips from Cupid to ensure that your wedding is one you and your family will never forget:

1. Do something different. We all have basic expectations of what will happen at a wedding; vows will be said, the couple smashes cake in each other's faces, and the new pair will have a romantic first dance. Try dazzling your guests with something new! Have your wedding party dance down the aisle, or divert from the usual wedding cake for your reception.

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2. Make it unique to you. Each couple is different and no two weddings should be the same. Whether it's the colors, a reception theme, or some other addition to your wedding, make sure the guests know that this is your wedding. It's your day as a couple, and it should be clear that you're the ones being celebrated.

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3. Choose a special venue. The usual choices of a chapel and reception hall can be charming and unique if done right, but maybe your wedding calls for a different kind of venue. If you are an artistic couple, maybe the reception could be in an art gallery. Some brainy couples have chosen to hold their receptions in museums. If you can handle the cost and extra planning, maybe a more unique venue is right for your wedding.

What are some other things you can do to keep your wedding exciting? Share below.

'House' Alum Lisa Edelstein Marries Artist





By Shannon Seibert

Cupid has struck again, infecting another beautiful couple with the love bug. Former *House* star Lisa Edelstein has found love with her new hubby Robert Russell. Edelstein, 48, is best known for her seven-season run on *House* and after leaving in 2011 she's made several guest appearances. She seemed perfectly happy to tied the knot with Russell on Sunday, May 25, according to *UsMagazine.com*.

What are some ways to personalize your wedding?

Cupid's Advice:

Not all weddings are supposed to be traditional and classic. Pick a style that matches your personality as a couple, the more creative the better. There are so many romantic and adventurous ideas, you just have to find the one that is right for you:

1. Choose a destination: If you are looking for a more personal feel in an exotic place, a destination wedding is just for you. Instead of going all-out in a local venue, a different city, state, or even country can spice things up for you and your honey. Choose a place that means something to you, like where you grew up, where you'd want to live together, or even a place you've always talked of visiting together.

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2. Pick a crazy theme: Nothing says personality like a themed wedding. Put on your thinking cap and come up with an idea that fits the style of you and your man. Whether it's Harry Potter, under the sea, rustic, backyard country style or even murder-mystery, there are so many different ideas to choose from. Keep in mind that your wedding day is about you and your partner, so pick what you want, and don't take other people's opinions too seriously. P.S. Themes make the best wedding photos!

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3. Get nostalgic: Demonstrate who you are as a couple by busting out all of your favorite memories. Decorate the venue with your favorite and silliest couple-photos and memories to truly show who you are together. Try making memory boards for your guests, so they can write down their favorite memory for you and your love to read after the wedding.

Do you have any crazy wedding ideas? Share with us in the

Kim Kardashian and Kanye West Are Married





By Shannon Seibert

The moment we've all been waiting for has arrived: The Kimye Wedding. Kim Kardashian and Kanye West began dating in April of 2012, shortly giving birth to their beautiful daughter, North West, and later got engaged. The couple married this past weekend, in grand European style. The couple spent the evening, dancing, laughing, and talking lovingly about each other according to USMagazine.com.

How do you keep your wedding look flawless all night?

Cupid's Advice:

You're going to remember this day for the rest of your life, and you'll have thousands of pictures to prove it. It's most likely impossible for a bride to look anything but stunningly gorgeous, but if you're suffering from pre-wedding jitters, we have a few tricks for you:

1. Waterproof make up and hairspray are your new BFFs: Let's be honest, there will be tears. The waterproof make up will hold longer, and is less likely to run if a tear or two does seep through. To keep your make up and hair in place, use hair spray to set your look. Spray at least 10-inches from your face and hair, in order to maintain a level amount on each aspect part of your head. And remember, don't touch your face too often, it keeps the make up from smudging off.

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2. Pull a 'Kim': It's better to be safe than sorry, have multiple back up outfits just in case something were to go wrong at the last minute. Kardashian had multiple outfits choices on her big day, providing her a sense of security. You can do the same to ensure that your special day doesn't hit any road blocks on your way to your happily ever after.

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3. Spoil yourself: Today is a day about you and the love of your life, don't settle for anything less than perfect. Get your hair styled, use the best products, practice having your make up done before hand so you know what to expect. There is never too much preparation for what is supposed to be the best day of your life. So really wow your hubby-to-be and pamper

yourself like a princess, after all, he's about to make you his queen.

Do you have any wedding day tips? Share with us here!

Kim Kardashian Hopes the Rain Doesn't Ruin Her Wedding





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It never rains in Southern California, but it has been raining cats and dogs in Paris. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, showers were definitely in the forecast during Kim Kardashian's costly European wedding weekend, which started on Friday, May 23rd at

with the rehearsal dinner at Versailles. Guests were asked to dress in vintage French royalty-themed garb. However, the reality star bride appeared to be a bit down during the celebration activities and made it known the weather was to blame: "I hope the rain doesn't ruin my wedding," Kim stated as the Kardashian-Jenner family dined at the Hotel Costes on Wednesday, March 21st. "She made it clear that this bad weather is really getting to her. She's clearly spending millions getting married in Europe, and if it all turns into a wash-out she will be really unhappy," an onlooker tells Us. Although her family and friends remained positive through the circumstances, the 33-year-old bride was still not pleased with the City of Love's lack of sun. "This weather has to get better," other restaurant quests heard Kanye West's fiancée say after dinner. "Spring in Paris is meant to be about sunshine, but all we're getting is rain."

the Versailles Palace in Paris, France. The festivities began

What are some ways to plan a wedding around rain?

Cupid's Advice:

Every bride seems to have at least one fear in common on their special day, and that is rain. Although it can certainly be a sign of good luck for the marriage, it is still unwanted. You plan for the date months in advance and can never be too sure of what to expect when it actually comes. Cupid has a few pointers to help you plan the big day around rain:

1. Proper shelter: Outdoor weddings can always be a bit tricky because of the unpredictable weather. What better way to take cover than to have a tent covering you, your honey, and the guests? When Mother Nature decides to make your day a little bit more stressful, do not fret. You will be prepared for the worst, somewhat.

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2. Backup plan instructions: Inform everyone in attendance of what to do just in case the weather goes wrong. You may want to do this in advance before the big day — this will help ease your worries as the wedding approaches.

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3. Remain pretty & polished: Don't let the rain put a damper on your mood, or ruin your perfected hairstyle, chic heels, and beloved gown. Purchase a few cute umbrellas to protect you and your wedding party from the downpour as the day continues. Who wants a muddy mess in their photographs, anyway?

How do you plan a wedding around rain? Share your suggestions below.

Jessica Simpson Sets a Wedding Date





By Sanetra

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Sparks are going to fly between Jessica Simpson and Eric Johnson! According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, the 33-year-old singer/actress announced she will be saying "I do" to her 34-year-old fiancé over the weekend of July 4th. Despite prior reports of a wedding in Europe, a source says the couple will exchange vows in Santa Barbara, California — and Jessica is not wearing white! Plus, the bride-to-be "is having something unique made." The pair of four years is finally tying the knot after putting their special day on hold for the birth of their two children, 2-year-old Maxwell and 10-month-old Ace: "We are very close to sending out our invites," said the star to *USA Today* at the White House Correspondents' Dinner at the beginning of this month. "I've been very picky on how I want everything to look and feel. Eric's family alone is almost 90 people, so it'll definitely be a big event."

What are some factors to consider when choosing a wedding date?

Cupid's Advice:

Possibly one of the most memorable times of your life is the big day, also known as your wedding day. Therefore, choosing an unforgettable date plays a major part in the planning process. Cupid has some advice that will help make your selection easier:

1. Perfect timing: Try picking a month that will satisfy you and your partner, as well as accommodate the guests. If you are a fan of winter weddings, be sure to inform guests months in advance to avoid any scheduling conflicts due to the holiday season — the same goes for summer months.

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2. Perfect weather: Although you cannot control or predict the weather, you do however have control over if it will be at an indoor or outdoor venue. Consider the likelihood of having beautiful sunny weather during the months of May-August if you plan to have an outdoor ceremony versus the December snow and April showers. Whatever date you may choose, be prepared for any unexpected weather changes and your guests' comfort.

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3. Perfect place: Keep in mind your venue's availability. If you know ahead of time that the space goes pretty quickly year-round, try to book your reservation as early as possible. This can definitely affect your wedding date and any changes that may have to be made, especially if you are longing to have a specific location and willing to change the date.

What are other factors to consider while picking a wedding date? Share your suggestions below.

Mary-Kate Olsen Talks Designing Her Wedding Dress





By Louisa Gonzales

Mary-Kate Olsen has a few ideas in mind of what she wants her wedding dress to be, but one thing for sure is it will be extra special. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, the actress and fashion designer, 27, is planning her wedding with Olivier Sarkozy "one step at time," and that includes finding or designing the perfect gown. Reportedly the former child star thinks it's "a matter of getting five or six or making two or three" when it comes to her wedding dress, but says she has a lot of time before she stresses herself out about that and instead is focusing on designing a friend's gown with twin sister Ashley Olsen. Olsen and Sarkozy have dated since 2012

and news of their engagement first came out in February of 2014.

What are some ways to personalize your wedding?

Cupid's Advice:

Weddings are a special occasion, which is why a lot of people like to make it as festive and memorable as possible. There are a lot of ways to make your big day one for the record books, but it's all about making it the perfect wedding for you and your special someone, after all it's a day dedicated just to the two of you. Cupid has some advice on some ways to personalize your wedding:

1. Personalize your wedding program: Wedding programs have the power to create the tone of the wedding by letting people know what's in store for them at the event. Make your wedding program extra special by personalizing to fit both of you, you can add pictures of the two of you from your engagement photos, baby photos, or even some fun selfless, or other creative things. Create a program that displays both your personalities and at the same time let guests get the theme of the wedding.

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2. Make a toast to each other at the reception: The best man and maid of honor don't have to be the only ones to dish out speeches on the two of your's special day. It can be fun to make your first toast as a married couple in front of all your loved ones to see. Not to mention it will give you the chance to rave about your lovebird if you didn't get the chance to with your vows earlier or if you forgot to say something, there's your chance.

Related: <u>Celebrity Couple Predictions: Mary-Kate Olsen, Eva</u> Mendes and Amal Alamuddin 3. Do something special for the guests: It's important to show your gratitude to all the people who came out to support you as you walked down the aisle and said your "I do's". Doing something for the guests like writing them out personalized notes before the enter the reception or leaving nice gifts on their table is a great way to show your thanks. Plus, it will make the wedding more personal not just for the two of you, but for your guests as well.

What do you think are some good ways to personalize your wedding? Share in the comments below.

Source Shoots Down Kim and Kanye Marriage Rumors





Kim Kardashian and Kanye West are not married, yet. According to <u>People</u>, the rumors about the recent <u>Vogue</u> cover couple getting hitched in a secret ceremony over the weekend in Los Angles are false. A close family friend of Kardashian, 33, confirms this news, while the rapper's reps have no comment about the gossip. West, 36, and the <u>Keeping Up With The Kardashians</u> star are set to tie the knot on May 24 in France at opulent Chateau Louis XIV.

What are some advantages of keeping your wedding under wraps? Cupid's Advice:

Planning to get married is an exciting time in any couple's relationship, but it also can be stressful. Marriage is a big decision and commitment, so it can be nice to be able to share news of your engagement to people, however there's nothing wrong with not saying anything about it until you're ready. Cupid has some advice on some advantages of keeping your wedding under wraps:

1. It will make it more special: There's something exciting about having something known just between you and your special someone. Holding onto information until you are ready, is not a bad thing, it can be a good thing in fact because it can help strengthen your relationship. Marriage is between you and your partner, no one else, sure you're both becoming a part of each other's families as well, but that doesn't mean you can't have things on your own.

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2. You can make it your way: There's a lot of time, energy and effort that goes into wedding planning, but also in other new life changing things like deciding living arrangements. So, it can be nice to get advice from others, such as friends and

family sometimes, but not on everything, especially the big decisions. Just think the less people who know, the better chance you have at not getting influenced by other's and actually making your dream wedding, not anyone else's.

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3. Less pressure: One big up sides of keeping your wedding under wraps is you won't feel the pressure of others, which will in turn make things less difficult for you. Sometimes wedding planning can get stressful, especially when you're worrying about other people's expectations, when really you should just be focusing on yours and your better half. Don't worry about what other people will think, about the wedding, your partner, your union, whatever, instead remember why you want to get married.

What do you think are some advantages of keeping your wedding under wraps? Share in the comments below.

George Clooney's Family Is 'Thrilled' About Engagement to Amal Alamuddin





By Louisa Gonzales

George Clooney and girlfriend Amal Alamuddin are getting married! According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, not only is Alamuddin becoming a part of the Clooney family, she's being welcomed with open arms. Clooney, 52, recently was confirmed on Saturday to have proposed to his lawyer girlfriend, 36. Reportedly the actor heartthrob's father, Nick Clooney, is "thrilled" about the news and think Alamuddin is a "wonderful young woman" and George's mother shares the same sentiment. Congratulations to the happy couple!

What do you do if your family isn't supportive of your engagement?

Cupid's Advice:

Getting engaged is an exciting time in your relationship and is cause for a celebration. However, it can be hard to enjoy or even celebrate when everyone you love doesn't support your relationship or the engagement. Cupid has some advice on what to do if your family isn't supportive of your engagement.

1.Ask them to give another chance: There's nothing wrong with asking your family to give your beau another chance. Perhaps

their first meeting or interaction happened under bad circumstances, so try arranging for you, your significant other and your family to get together under better settings. If the people you love truly care about your happiness they should be willing to do whatever necessary to see that you will be happy.

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2. Be patient: Maybe your family doesn't agree with your engagement right now, but maybe they will over time. Every relationship takes time to build, that includes your lover's relationship with your family, so let things develop on their own gradually as time passes. If you try to force a relationship between your love and family it will put too much pressure on you and them and it may seem like you're trying to hard to prove your relationship.

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3. Share your love with the family: You don't have to dish out all the private and intimate details about your love life, but it won't hurt sharing little things about it. If your family can get a glimpse of the two of your's love for each other, it will help them better understand why the relationship works. So, try next time you are together with your family sharing all the ways your honey make you happy or tell them stories about some of the fun things you've done.

What do you think you should do when your family isn't supportive of your engagement? Share in the comments below.

Matt Bomer Reveals He Married Partner Simon Halls 3 Years Ago





By Sanetra

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Matt Bomer has earned his stripes in knowing how keep a secret. The Magic Mike star told this month's Details magazine that he is married! He revealed in the issue that he married Hollywood publicist Simons Halls three years ago. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Bomer also discussed his role in the upcoming television film *The Normal Heart*, in which he plays a gay man suffering from AIDS during the beginning epidemic years. Bomer also pays homage to the original story's writer, Larry Kramer: "I wouldn't have a lot of the rights I have today if it wasn't for people like Larry," said Bomer. Same sex marriage falls under one of the rights Bomer spoke of. The

couple shares three sons, 6-year-old twins and an 8-year-old.

What are some advantages to keeping your wedding a secret?

Cupid's Advice:

A wedding is one of the most exciting times in your life, but can easily be one of the most overwhelming in terms of planning and preparation. However, there are quite a few pros that come along with keeping your big day a secret:

1. Less stress: When you and your partner swear this idea into secrecy, most of your worries will begin to fade away. You do not have to fret about the 100+ guests that you will have to tend to or the family members and friends that like to demand, take over, and control.

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2. No publicity: Maybe you and your significant other choose to keep your relationship private at all times. Well, a secret wedding should be right up your alley! Your special moment will remain intimate and not be ruined by opinions of others or any outside interferences. Just you and your fiancé/fiancée (and maybe a guest or two).

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3. Save money: Less guests and less stress means more money! Maybe you and your partner have a lavish honeymoon in mind — well, set aside the additional funds that were not spent on the big wedding to go towards your post-wedding getaway.

What are some pros to a secret wedding? Share your thoughts below.

Ginnifer Goodwin and Josh Dallas Tie the Knot





By Louisa Gonzales

Ginnifer Goodwin and costar Josh Dallas take the next step toward happily ever after! According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, the couple exchanged vows in a private and low-key wedding ceremony on Saturday, April 12. This is the <u>Something Borrowed</u> star, first marriage and her now husband second. The <u>Once Upon a Time</u> newlyweds look happier than ever and were all smiles for the photographers, spotted at a friend's house in L.A. the day after they tied the knot. Goodwin, 35, is currently pregnant with their first child and Dallas, 32, reportedly said on Good Morning America that they both "can't wait" to welcome their child to the world.

How do you decide the right time to get married?

Cupid's Advice:

Marriage is considered to be a big milestone and significant moment in a couples relationship. Deciding if you are ready to take that next big step and get hitched comes at different times for every person. Cupid has some advice on how to decide if it's the right time to get married.

1. It's something you both want: If you and your partner have discussed the topic of marriage before, chances are you are both thinking about it. Another thing you hopefully discussed when it came to marriage, is if it's something you can both potentially see in your future. Getting married is a big deal, so to make sure you are both ready and be sure to talk about it and see if your views and ideals on marriage are the same and if not if you can work through them.

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2. The timing is right: You know what the say, timing is everything. When you decide to get married it should be at the right time in your lives, where you are both stable and in a happy relationship. Other things you might want to think about are, if you are both financially secure and are at points in your life where you're ready to make the move from dating to engaged to married.

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3. You can see yourself growing old with them: If you are thinking about long terms plans with your lover, chances are you know that person is it for you. Much like love, when you know you know, and you can just feel it. Have you sat and thought about it you can bring it up to your significant other and see if they feel the same way and if they do, getting

married could be just the right thing for your relationship to grow and evolve further.

What do you think are some ways to decide of it's the right time to get married? Share in the comments below.

Haylie Duff Is Engaged to Boyfriend Matt Rosenberg





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'Tis the season for wedding bells! Actress and singer Haylie Duff announced her engagement to boyfriend Matt Rosenburg on Thursday, April 3rd. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, the 29-year-

old posted an Instagram photo of the two smiling and her showing off her nice sized rock, with the caption reading, "The future Mrs. Rosenburg #Love @mr_sts." She went onto share the news with her food blog's fans: "This week has seriously just become the best week of my life! As if announcing The Real Girl's Kitchen tv show wasn't enough, Matt just took me by total surprise and proposed…on April Fool's Day of all days! The moment was genuine and sweet (like him!) and I couldn't wait to say yes!"

What are three unique proposal ideas?

Cupid's Advice:

Planning a wedding proposal is far from an easy task. Just like the wedding, it takes preparation (and lots of meditation). You have to strategically map out every single detail, from who is going to be involved, where it is going to be, and what day! Not to mention, you have to keep it a secret. Before you can worry about all of this, thinking of how you want to ask for your partner's hand in marriage is most important. Cupid has a few cute ideas to make things a little bit easier:

1. The museum: Ask your local museum if you could place an enlarged framed photo of you and your partner in the photography section with the proposal as the caption. Take your significant other to the city's museum for what will seem to be a regular date. Look at the various pieces and critique each, as usual. Once you get to your 'proposal piece,' wait for his or her reaction as they read the picture's caption.

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2. Write 'note' cards: Send or leave your love sweet note cards throughout the day, whether it is of a favorite quote or a reminder of their beauty. Do about five to ten cards. On the final one, ask for their hand. Priceless moment!

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3. Deliver it in the mailbox: Make sure your significant other is the one to check the mail the day you want to propose. Set the ring in the mailbox beforehand. Watch him or her as they open the mailbox to see the box among the other envelopes. VoilÃ! Here is your chance to propose.

Do you have any unique proposal ideas? Share your thoughts below.

Johnny Depp Confirms Engagement to Amber Heard Again





By Sanetra

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Johnny Depp has been hit by Cupid's arrow and is not afraid to show it! The 50-year-old actor confirmed on his appearance at the *Today Show* that he is nothing short of head over heels for actress fiancée, Amber Heard. According to *UsMagazine.com*, he gushed about Heard during the April 4th interview, saying, "She's a wonderful girl. She's sharp as a tack. A southern belle and sweet as can be, and very good to me." He also explained he has been wearing a woman's engagement ring, whilst a source told *Us* that it actually belonged to Heard but was too big: "The fact that I'm wearing a chick's ring on my finger is probably a dead giveaway. Not very subtle."

What are some ways to show your excitement about your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

You are not ashamed in letting the world and your partner know that you are more than happy to be with him or her. If possible, you would shout it out at the highest mountain top. In the meantime, you would rather show your joy and gratitude in other ways, but not exactly sure how to. Here are a few of Cupid's tips:

1. Speak of your partner: This will come naturally if you are happy with your significant other. You will find yourself wanting to bring up their characteristics that make you blush or have butterflies. For instance, if they are sincere in helping others, you may want to let others know.

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2. Compliment daily: Giving your partner a few kind words here and there is a reminder of what you like about them. It also reminds you of why you are in the relationship. Keeping the flame lit is a way to keep the connection fresh and exhilarating!

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3. Inform others: Share with everyone that you are now committed. Tell family, friends, even the neighbors! Do not be afraid to broadcast it (unless you all have mutually agreed to let it remain a secret). Remember: If the highest mountain top were accessible, you would do it.

How do you show your excitement about your relationship? Share below.

Sara Gilbert and Linda Perry Tie the Knot





By April Littleton

According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Sara Gilbert and songwriter Linda Perry tied the knot Sunday, March 30. The couple started dating in 2011. The former child star came out as a lesbian in 2010 when she announced she had been in a relationship with TV producer Alison Adler. They split a year later. Gilbert can be seen on *The Talk*, which airs at 2 p.m. on CBS.

What are some ways to plan a private wedding ceremony?

Cupid's Advice:

You're ready to marry the person you love, but you're not sure if you want to make a huge event out of it. Some people prefer a quieter, intimate ceremony. How do you go about planning something smaller without hurting anyone's feelings? Cupid is here to help:

1. Tell family and close friends: Only tell your loved ones about your plan to exchange vows. You won't hurt anyone's

feelings if you keep details about your upcoming nuptials relatively quiet. Let your family and friends know you won't be changing your mind about the simplicity of your wedding, and you would appreciate it if they kept all ceremony and reception details to themselves.

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2. Location: Choose a location that would be appropriate for a small wedding. Look at places such as gardens, public parks and farms. If you already have a venue picked out, make sure it's something your partner likes as well.

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3. Stay off social media: Don't drop any subtle hints on your Facebook, Instagram or Twitter account. Until you walk down the aisle, it might be best to stay off all social media sites. You might accidentally spill some private information with just a simple "like".

What are some other ways to plan a private wedding ceremony? Comment below.

Surprise! Savannah Guthrie Is Married and Pregnant





By Louisa Gonzales

Savannah Guthrie and Michael Feldman secretly tied the knot this past weekend in a private ceremony. According to <code>People</code>, the couple said their "I do's" in front a small gathering of family and friends, about 80 to 90 people. The NBC anchor Guthrie, 42, and Feldman, 45, told their quests to keep their marriage a secret until Guthrie could reveal the information herself on air during the Today Monday morning. That wasn't the only surprising news the lovebirds revealed that day. After the pair broke the news of their plans to keep their marriage hush-hush until the right time, they told quests, while the NBC News "Special Report" music played in the background, that they were expecting. Sources reported after the big news, every one of the guest "jumped" to their feet in excitement. This will be the romantic mates, who first met and began dating in 2008, first child together.

What are some advantages to keeping your wedding under wraps?

Cupid's Advice:

Every couple wants different things and has different ideas on marriage. Once you're engaged and decide to start planning your wedding, know that you'll most likely face a few

struggles along the way, but it will be worth it in the end, once you see your beau walking down the aisle or standing in front of you. A marriage is between you and the other person you choose to spend your life with, and if you want to keep your wedding private or have a big affair, it's your choice. Cupid explains some advantage to keeping your wedding under wraps:

1. It will make it more special: Getting married is one of the biggest and most sacred moments that will happen in your life. How romantic and intimate would it be to share your special day with just the people closest to you, as opposed to the whole world. These days everyone is posting every detail about their lives on some sort of social media, which in some cases can take away the magic of it all. By keeping your marriage just between you, your lover and the people you cheirsh it will show how much you honor and want to protect this special moment and your significant other.

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2. Less stress: There's a lot of pressure when it comes to getting married, why add-on more pressure with worrying about what other people will think? For a private or secret wedding to work you need to only let the people closest to you know, to decrease the risks of word getting out. With smaller and more intimate wedding gatherings, there is less stress and worry about pleasing other people. Plus, the stress that comes with planning a wedding for everyone, takes away from the fact you are getting married for yourself, because you and your sweetheart want to.

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3. It will keep the wedding yours: The choice to get married is one of the biggest decisions any couple will make. Choosing to keep your wedding under wraps will show how important and

special the pending marriage is to you. It will also keep you focused and help you remember what's important when planning for the big day. The one's getting married are you and your partner, no one else, so the two you should get the wedding you want without hearing from other people on how or when you should get married. The less people who know, the bigger the chance you'll won't let other people influence you.

What do you think are some advantages to keeping your wedding on the down low? Share in the comments below.

'Little People, Big World's' Jeremy Roloff Is Engaged





By April Littleton

According to <u>People</u>, TLC reality star Jeremy Roloff is engaged to Audrey Mirabella Botti. The 23-year-old announced the news via Instagram. They have been dating since 2011. Roloff's parents, Matt and Amy, announced they were separating after 26 years of marriage last Wednesday.

How do you know when you're ready to tie the knot?

Cupid's Advice:

Lately, you've been thinking more and more about getting hitched to your significant other. You can't imagine your life without this special person right at your side. Marriage is a big step, and you want to make sure you come to a final decision with a clear head on your shoulders. Cupid has some tips:

1. You're confident: You feel extremely comfortable with the way things are going in your relationship. You have the same goals in life, share similar hobbies and the both of you feel completely fulfilled in all other aspects of your life together.

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2. Family and friends: Your loved ones adore your significant other, and are more than happy to watch you take the next step in your relationship with your honey. You don't want to spend the rest of your life with someone your family and friends don't really care for. Keep their opinion in mind as you make this life-altering decision.

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3. Communication: The communication between you and your partner is off the charts. When you fight, you're both able to come to a solution without the argument escalating into something more heated. The way you handles differences with your significant other now will most likely be how you take

care of other problems for the rest of your life. Make sure the two of you share the same amount of respect for each other before you fully commit.

How did you know you were ready to tie the knot? Share your experience below.

Find Out About Ashton Kutcher and Mila Kunis' Engagement





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Mila Kunis and Ashton Kutcher are now on the list of celebrity weddings to lookout for. Kunis has been seen around sporting a few carats on her ring finger. Before the news broke out, the couple kept the engagement hidden. According to a source through <u>People</u>, the <u>That</u> '70s Show cast mates have "been engaged for a couple of weeks."

What are some ways to keep your engagement under wraps?

Cupid's Advice:

Although you are overwhelmed by excitement and joy, you do not want to broadcast your engagement just yet. However, there are some challenges you must overcome in order to successfully conceal the news. Cupid is here to help you out:

1. Secrecy: You must swear by this step, which means seal your lips. Temptation will sneak up quite a few times, and you may want to tell even your closest friends — do not give in. It may seem easier said than done, but definitely can be done if you are serious about not spilling the beans.

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2. Don't be obvious: The talks about marriage and whatnot will only continue with your family and friends, yet it is up to you to shy away from exposing your engagement. Sometimes we feel pressured and want to blabber every single thing — as stated earlier, do not give in. If no hints are given, the engagement will come as a surprise.

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3. Leave the ring at home: The urge to flaunt your ring is all a part of temptation's 'evil' plan — do not give in. If you really want to keep the engagement a secret, wearing the ring is probably not the brightest idea. People are easily drawn to sparkly jewelry and will begin to question you. Instead, you may want to choose something simple that is sentimental and symbolizes your engagement.

How else could you keep your engagement under wraps? Share your thoughts below.

Kim Kardashian and Kanye West Set a Wedding Date in Paris





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Kimye have set the date! According to <u>People</u>, West and Kardashian are planning a ceremony for May 24th in Paris. You may remember the extravagant proposal, which aired on an episode of *Keeping Up with the Kardashians* back in February. However, a source has reported, "It won't be a huge wedding. Around 150 people."

What are some factors to consider when choosing a wedding date and location?

Cupid's Advice:

Your wedding day is one of the most memorable times of your life. Therefore, picking the perfect date and location is crucial. Cupid has some advice to make the planning as less stressful as possible:

1. Ideal scene: Check out various venues so you will have options. You want to aim for the most romantic ambiance. Love should literally be in the air. Also, choose a site that fits your number of guests. For example, if you are expecting a larger crowd, the location should accommodate.

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2. Serenity: Limit the surrounding distractions. Your guests should not be focused on anything else, except the ceremony. Seek for the most peaceful location — after all, it will only add to the romance. You will have your partner's attention and they will have yours.

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3. Weather and time: Although you may not have any control over the forecast, you decide whether to have an indoor or outdoor ceremony beforehand. If you are a fan of a specific outdoor location, keep in mind any unexpected weather changes and your guests' comfort. In addition, be sure to pick a time frame that will also work for your guests, such as family and close friends.

What are other factors to consider while picking a wedding location and date? Share your suggestions below.

Mary-Kate Olsen Is Engaged to Olivier Sarkozy





By Louisa Gonzales

Looks like Mary-Kate Olsen will soon be walking down the aisle. According to <code>UsMagazine.com</code>, Olsen is now engaged to her long-term boyfriend of roughly two years, French banker Oliver Sarkozy. The couple who first made their public debut back in 2012, have been going strong for years now and even live together in a \$6.25 millon townhouse, despite their major age difference. Olsen is 27 while the half-brother of former French president Nicolas Sarkozy, is 44. Sources reveal Olsen's family is happy for them and "love" Sarkozy for her. The real question though is will twin sister Ashley, whose also dating an older man, be the maid of honor?

What are some things to consider when you're dating an older man?

Cupid's Advice:

Finding genuine love is hard and so is finding someone you connect with. Love can come in all shapes and forms. If you found love with someone older it doesn't make your love any less important or significant. However, no matter who you are with there are going to be challenges. Cupid has some advice on things to consider when you're in a relationship with an older man:

1. Does he have children: One of the biggest things to consider before getting involved with an older man is does he have kids? Kids aren't necessarily a bad thing, but you will have to understand him having kids probably means he will want to devote a lot of time and attention to them. You need to ask yourself if you are okay and willing to become a part of an already established families life.

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2.He's been around longer: Having a partner who is older, not only means they will most likely have more experience than you, buy also more baggage. Are you willing to accept everything that comes with them? You older beau might have an ex-wife, his own home,or may have already experienced things you haven't yet. You might miss out on sharing certain "firsts" together, so ask yourself if you are okay with that.

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3. There's a future: You need to ask yourself if you're both want the same things in terms of a future. Both of you might be at similar points in your life now, but it might not always

be that way. Like any relationship you're hoping to build long-term, you need to have similar out look on life and there has to be a strong connection both physically and emotionally. With your lover being older will you still be attracted to him ten years from now or are you emotionally ready to be in a relationship with someone who is maybe more mature?

What are some things to think about when considering on being with an older man? Share your tips below.

'Girls' Star Allison Williams Is Engaged





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Wedding bells will soon be ringing for actress Allison Williams. Although you may be fooled by her role of a single woman on the HBO show *Girls*, in reality the 25-year-old is happily in love. According to *People*, Williams is engaged to her longtime boyfriend, Ricky Van Veen. "I'd love to be a mom — and not have to bring my kids into my trailer ... Or a balance [of both], but you've [got to] call it on the fly to a certain extent," said Williams in a recent statement with *Glamour Magazine*. Also, during a Larry King interview in reference to her now fiancé, Williams stated that her father "likes him a lot."

What do you do if your parents don't approve of your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

One of the main things we tend to fear the most in the beginning stages of a relationship is the meeting of the parents step. We want it to go smoothly with absolutely no problems — all rainbows and unicorns. So the thought of your parents disliking your companion only adds to the discomfort. However, this does not always mean you should end the romance right away. Cupid has a few tips on what to do if your parents disapprove of your significant other:

1. Don't fret: For many, a parent's opinion matters the most, but do not let this tear your relationship apart. You may constantly find yourself between a rock and a hard place if you allow outsiders, including parents, to jeopardize your companionship.

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2. Speak well: Try to avoid sharing any negative comments about one to the other. Your parents have already formed a perception of your partner in their heads, and all it could possibly take is an emotional rant to worsen the situation (same goes for the other). Inform them of the good things that

are happening in your romance.

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3. Give them time: Some say first impressions are everything and maybe even a deal breaker; while others believe in second chances. If you follow the first two steps thoroughly, there is a possibility your parents will eventually come around. Don't be afraid to all come together and share dialogue . . . cordially. Once it is shown you and your partner are genuinely happy, they will likely be happy for you. Keep in mind, your parents will always have your best interest at heart.

What are some ways to keep the peace between your parents and partner? Share your thoughts below.

Matthew Rhys Says He Couldn't Keep Up a Fake Marriage in Real Life





By Brittany Stubbs

As good of an actor as he might be, faking it doesn't continue off-screen for Matthew Rhys. While his character keeps up with fake identity just fine in FX's show *The Americans*, Rhys denies being able to do it himself, according to *People*. "I get anxiety just playing a fictitious part on a drama series," the actor, who plays a KGB spy posing as an American, told reporters. "When I think of those men who actually live a duplicitous life and have multiple marriages or partners, I don't know how they do it." Good news for the woman in his life!

What do you do if you feel like you're not being yourself in your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Nothing is worse than not feeling comfortable in your own skin, especially when it comes to the most intimate part of your life. Cupid has some advice:

1. Reevaluate your partner: If you feel you're not being true to yourself, it's important to consider your partner's influence on this behavior. Are they to blame? If you feel

they're making you self-conscious and you can show who you really are, then you might not have met the person fit for you.

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2. Appreciate yourself: Sometimes the only way to allow yourself to be "you" is to remind yourself how great you are. That may sound cheesy, but you're one of a kind, so you might as well take advantage of what you have to offer.

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3. Unveil the mask: The only way to stop acting is revealing who you truly are. Once you start showing the real you, you'll feel more comfortable in both your own skin and your relationship itself.

What do you do if you feel like you're not being yourself in your relationship? Share your thoughts below.

Former 'Bachelor' Star Kacie B. Is Engaged





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Third time's a charm! After two previous attempts, former *Bachelor* contestant Kacie Boguskie has found her groom, at last. According to *People*, the 26-year-old announced her exciting engagement to music executive Rusty Gaston on February 16th through an Instagram post with the caption, "I cannot believe I get to MARRY my best friend. I am so blessed to have such an amazing man!! I just want everyone to know!!!" Shortly after being rejected twice on the show during seasons 16 and 17, Boguskie met her now fiancé and the rest is history!

How do you rise above a bitter breakup?

Cupid's Advice:

Your mind may be running a million miles per minute and you may think the world is ending after a bad breakup, but those feelings are only temporary. It is possible to overcome and snap back even better than before. Cupid has some advice:

1. Come to terms: Understand it is a breakup — it happened for a reason. The relationship could have been toxic or maybe you

all were not completely compatible. Whatever reason there may be, do not be afraid to accept it. You might even catch yourself exhaling a deep sigh of relief afterwards.

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2. Treat yourself: Moping around eating ice cream and bonbons does not do any good . . . as tempting as it may sound. If your schedule permits, call a few friends and have a day/night out on the town. Whether it's a spa appointment or a chick flick movie date, have fun! If you prefer to stay home, engage in a hobby, such as reading a novel or gardening. Your mind will be taken off of the sour thought of that breakup.

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3. Wait patiently: Don't be in a rush to pursue another relationship. It will come when you least expect it. In addition to the patience, leave behind any emotional attachment that could taint your next possible love interest. You'll be at your best when Cupid aims his arrow and strikes again.

What are some different ways to rise above a bitter breakup? Share your thoughts below.

Leighton Meester and Adam Brody Secretly Marry





By Brittany Stubbs

Not even three months since the news of Leighton Meester and Adam Brody's engagement, the couple are officially married! The lovebirds tied the knot in a super-secret wedding, confirms multiple sources to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>. While the news of the nuptial came as a surprise to most, the twosome has always kept their private lives pretty quiet, neither commenting on their romance publicly. Although they've both had past relationships, neither of the stars have been previously married.

What are some perks to having a secret wedding?

Cupid's Advice:

While it's often fun to celebrate life's biggest moments with all your friends and family, sometimes all you need is that one person. Cupid has advantages to having a secret wedding:

1. Less work: When planning a secret wedding, you don't have to worry about a ton of save the dates, invites, and RSVPs. While this might seem like a huge deal, these formalities require more time, money, and stress than they seem.

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2. Keeps the ceremony focused: While planning a wedding, couples often get caught up worrying about ridiculous details and lose site of the real point of the ceremony: celebrating their love and commitment to one another. By having a secret wedding and not constantly discussing the plans and details with the rest of the world, you're less likely to lose site of what is importance.

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3. More romantic: There's something so exciting and special about a secret romance. While technology today allows us to share every thought, moment, and meal we have, it is so romantic to have one aspect of your life kept between you and your love.

Would you consider having a secret wedding? Share why or why not below.

Find Out How Kanye West Proposed to Kim Kardashian





By Louisa Gonzales

Just because one of the most romantic holidays of the year has come and passed, doesn't mean we still can't celebrate great romantic moments, as viewers saw on the latest *Keeping Up with the Kardashians*. According to *UsMagazine.com*, although fans already know that Kayne West proposed four months ago to Kim Kardashian on her 33rd birthday in San Francisco, now thanks to the reality show they now finally witnessed first hand how it happened, Sunday, February, 16th. During the episode, we all got to see the day leading up the main event and then finally saw the big proposal, which happened at the AT&T Park stadium, home of the San Francisco Giants. It was a beautiful moment for the couple and for all the family, friends and fans who got to see it.

What are some surprise proposal ideas?

Cupid's Advice:

Getting engaged is a special moment for many couples. The memory of getting engaged to your lover is something you'll cherish and remember for the rest of your lives. Cupid has advice on some great surprise proposal ideas:

1. Play a game and leave clues: One way to make your proposal surprising and unique is to set up sort of game. Play game where you leaves clues for your partner to find until it leads all the way up to your ultimate popping the marriage question. For example, throw a party with friends and family and have them all wear t-shirts each with a different letter of "will you marry me" and ask for a picture and afterwards when your soulmate asks to see, it will read out the question. There are other alternative games you could create and play to make your engagement one to remember and unexpected for your other half.

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2. Use food and other things your partner loves: Think about some goodies and other things your lovebird loves and plan to ask somehow involving them. Some ideas are to maybe arrange a gift basket filled with the different assortment of sweets and foods they like inside a basket and have the ring hidden somewhere inside. You can also take your honey to a restaurant and have the chef write it out on their plate or hide the "will you marry me" question in a fortune cookie. There are number of ways to go about getting engaged, just make sure to keep it fun and unique, but remember to keep it true to you and your love.

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3. Ask the question somewhere unexpected: A fun and cool idea would to take your significant other out to a specific place where you planned in advance with people or friends to help you get engaged. One idea is to take them to a park or the beach where an artist will draw a picture of the two you and in the picture it will show you asking your love bug the "marry me" question and with them responding with a "yes". You can really use anything to your advantage when finding cool ways to ask for your sweethearts hand in marriage, it can be you asking your local movie theater to show the question

during the previews or something specifically unique to them such as putting it in the ad's section of the newspaper they alway read.

What do you think are good ideas for a surprise proposal? Share your ideas below.