

# Lance Bass Proposes to Michael Turchin Again on Anniversary of Engagement



By Kaley Allard

'N SYNC alum Lance Bass has this adorable thing down pat! Bass, 35 proposed to fiancée, Michael Turchin on the anniversary of their first engagement. [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com) reports that Bass gave Turchin a gold band complete with black diamonds this time around, which Turchin then posted on Instagram with the caption, "Who gets proposed to a second time on the first anniversary of the first proposal?? This guy!!!" There is no denying that the couple is adorable, but it will be even cuter when we finally see them walk down the

aisle – let's hear the wedding bells!

**What are three special ways to declare your love to your partner?**

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

Deciding to declare your love and propose to the one you love is a very big decision, one that comes with many things to consider. You want to make the moment magical and one to remember, so here are three pieces of advice from Cupid on how to make the proposal special, not sloppy:

**1. Don't go too big:** If you are preparing to propose to your partner, you may think it best to do so in a very big way. There are too many videos of an individual proposing at a stadium or other large gathering and the proposal fails. It may be that the significant other is not ready, or that the way the proposal happened made them uncomfortable. Instead consider something more intimate that involves just the two of you.

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**2. Be creative:** If you are the one proposing, either man or woman you should still get on your knee, it's tradition! But that does not mean that you do not have to be creative. Consider making the proposal into a scavenger hunt, or make it a surprise prize at the end of a game. Being creative does not mean putting the ring in food or drink – no one wants to put on a dirty engagement ring!

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**3. Pick a memorable location:** Whether it be the place you had your first kiss, first date or first place you said 'I love you.' Not only will your partner be surprised by this location he or she will be even more touched that you remembered where these monumental events occurred.

How have you declared love to your partner? Please share below!

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## Ashlee Simpson Ties the Knot with Evan Ross at Diana Ross' Estate



By Kaley Allard

“I now pronounce you husband and wife.” These are the words that Ashlee Simpson and Evan Ross heard during their August 31st wedding. The ceremony was held at the Connecticut estate

of the grooms famous mother, Diana Ross, who also served as the wedding planner, which has been confirmed by [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). Simpson was walked down the aisle by son Bronx, 5, who is fathered by her first husband, musician Pete Wentz. Simpson's sister, Jessica, served as the Matron of Honor while her niece and nephew served as the flower girl and ring bearer. Cupid wishes them well on their new journey as a married couple!

**What are some advantages of getting married at home?**

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

Getting married at one's home may not be everyone's piece of cake; some individuals want grand ballrooms for their guests to dance in, but for some getting married in one's backyard may just be the trick. Here are some pieces of advice from Cupid when considering a wedding at your home:

**1. Free venue:** Weddings are not cheap and if you are able to host the ceremony and wedding at home, do it! It's a great way to save money which you could then put back into the wedding in the form of favors or in more expensive food options.

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**2. Intimate setting:** The memories that your home holds will hopefully have you smiling even more on your big day, while also helping you stress a little less. So many good things have happened in your home so far, why not add a wedding ceremony to that stack of happiness? Not only will you appreciate the down to earth, home-y feel of your wedding, your guests most likely will as well!

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**3. Privacy:** Another perk to having your wedding at home is the added privacy. With a larger venue that may be hosting

multiple events, you won't need to worry about unwanted guests waltzing their way into your reception.

If you and your partner were married at home, how did you enhance the space for the wedding ceremony? Please comment below!

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# Jenny McCarthy Marries Donnie Wahlberg



By Kaley Allard

Donnie has been taken off the block! According to

[UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), Jenny McCarthy wed NKOTB alum, Donnie Wahlberg in a small ceremony in Illinois that only lasted 20 minutes! The two have been together since July 2013, and their engagement only lasted four months. In an interview, McCarthy had this to say about the ceremony: "Really, I'm so bad [at planning]. The problem is, I consider myself to be kind of like a dude ... Like, I just kind of want to show up and drink." While she may have just wanted to party, let's hope that she put her own touches on her very special day!

**How do you decide what size of a wedding is best for you?**

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

Deciding what size of a wedding to have requires thoughtful consideration and careful planning. For most of us in the public sphere, we are limited in how big we can go; needing to fine tune each detail before the big day arrives. Cupid has three things to consider when deciding the size of your wedding:

**1. Your personality:** Are you and your partner down for a big party every weekend, or are you more homebodies who enjoy a movie on the couch? The personality types of you and your can help you judge whether or not you want a large bash with or a small intimate gathering.

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**2. Family sizes:** Do you and or your partner come from large families, or one with a small extended family? If you come from a large family it is difficult in deciding who not to invite, especially if it is a tight knit family. If this is the case you may end up deciding whether to have a large guest list or some angry distant relatives.

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**3. Availability of resources:** Unlike A-list and even B-

list celebrities, those of us in the public sphere have a limit to the amount of money we can spend on a wedding. It is extremely important to set a budget and decide how much you can actually spend, this will help determine how big your event can be as well as how many guest mouths that you will be able to feed.

**What are some things you and your partner discussed when deciding the size of your wedding? Please share below!**

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## **Shakira Expecting Second Child**



By Kaley Allard

It's true! Pop star and dancer Shakira is pregnant with her second child with Gerard Pique. The news of Sharkira's pregnancy broke during an interview with *Cosmopolitan en Español*, and was confirmed by [People](#). We wish the happy couple the best of luck with their next bundle of joy!

**How do you know when it's time to expand your family?**

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

Deciding whether or not you should expand your family is a very difficult decision, there are many things to consider before adding a bouncing baby to your family. Here are the three top things to consider before having another baby:

**1. Financially sound?:** Before you and your partner considering adding another child to your troop, first decide whether or not you can afford another baby. Babies bring a lot of joy into a family, but they also bring a lot of dirty diapers and other expenses.

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**2. Number of Kids:** It may have been awhile since you and your partner had a baby around the house, but you should look at the number of children you already have. Is a 4 person household the perfect size for you, or should stick to having only 1 child.

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**3. Future plans:** Another important thing to discuss with your partner is what goals you had for your family and as individuals. Was another baby in the works, or do you need to focus on your careers, or your relationship. Discussing goals is an important discussion to have before expanding your



family.

What were areas of conversation before you and your partner had another child? Please share below!

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## Britney Spears Splits with Boyfriend David Lucado



By Kaley Allard

According to [People](#), Britney Spears is once again a single woman, tweeting “Ahhhh the single life!” This news comes after Spears heard of a video where Lucado was seen making out with

another woman. Britney seems to be coping fairly well and has a lot to keep her occupied in the coming months. Hopefully her dream of a fairy tale ending will come true soon.

## **What are some ways to address cheating rumors?**

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

Being cheated on is not a good feeling; you question whether or not there was something wrong with you or if you did something wrong. If you know for a fact that your significant other has cheated on here are three ways to deal with that news without landing yourself in trouble:

**1. Address it head on:** This piece of advice may seem difficult but it is the most important. If you suspect cheating in your relationship and have enough truth behind you, you should not be ashamed to confront your partner about it. No one wants to discuss infidelity, but the only way to move forward, either together or apart.

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**2. Figure out why:** The only way to move forward is to find out the real reason for why your partner cheated in the first place. Is he or she unsatisfied at home or have you grown apart in the last few months? Whatever the case the only way to work through to try and repair things is to understand why your partner went else where for emotional and/or physical intimacy.

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**3. Consider outside help:** It can be very difficult for couples to address and fix infidelity issues on their own, and while it may seem embarrassing, therapy can sometimes help. Having a third person there to help you discuss and work through issues at hand can help shed light on issues that you or your partner may have never noticed before as well as helping to make

conversation easier than if it were just the 2 of you.

What are some ways that you have addressed cheating rumors in your own relationships? Please share below!

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# Celebrity Couple Angelina Jolie and Brad Pitt Tie the Knot!



By Kaley Allard

It's official! Famous celebrity couple [Angelina Jolie](#) and [Brad](#)

[Pitt](#) have finally tied the knot. Reported by [UsMagazine.com](#), the pair, who has been in a celebrity relationship for 9 years, said “I do” in a small chapel in France. The [celebrity wedding](#) would not have been complete unless their children were involved. Sons Maddox, 13, and Pax, 10, walked Jolie down the aisle, while Zahara, 9, and Vivienne, 6, were the flower girls. It was an intimate celebration filled with family and love. What more could the happy celebrity couple have asked for?

**This famous couple was able to incorporate their children into their celebrity wedding. How do you involve your family in your wedding ceremony?**

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

Planning a wedding is not something that you can accomplish in one Saturday afternoon; it takes a lot of time and effort. There are a lot of details that need to be looked at, and one of those is including your loved ones in the ceremony. Here is some relationship advice for how to include your family on your special day:

**1. Have a small ceremony:** A great way to include your loved ones is to have a small and intimate gathering. There will always be that one other person you want to be there, but instead of inviting your roommate from your freshman year of college or your co-worker from your first job, keep your guest list short so you can spend time with those you truly love.

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**2. Include your children:** If you or your significant other have children from previous relationships and love, don't forget them on this big day. The ceremony is as much about them as it is to you and your partner. It isn't only two people coming together, but two *families* coming together.

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**3. Co-mingle as newlyweds:** Encourage your relatives to pick a side, not a seat. It will be a great way for extended family to meet your partner's loved ones. During the reception, make it a point for you and your significant other to go around and thank everyone for coming. It'll show how much you care, and they will feel more included on your special day.

**What ways did you and your significant other include your loved ones in your wedding? Share your experiences below.**

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## 'Glee' Star Heather Morris is Engaged to Longtime Boyfriend





By Amanda Boyer

After welcoming their now 11-month-old son Elijah last year, *Glee* star Heather Morris is engaged to longtime boyfriend Taylor Hubbell, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). No surprise that the actress was “beaming when spotted wearing her engagement ring.” Morris exclaimed back in 2011 that she was ready to marry Hubbell and have kids with him. Fast forward three years later, her dreams are coming true!

**How do you celebrate your engagement with family and friends?**

### **Cupid’s Advice:**

Getting engaged is such an exciting time for every couple. It’s certainly a cause for celebration! Cupid has a few ideas for how you can commemorate the special occasion:

**1. Host a dinner party:** Invite your loved ones over for an intimate dinner party. If you haven’t introduced your parents or siblings yet, now is a great opportunity. This is the perfect setting to enjoy a nice meal and celebrate two families coming together.

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**2. Plan a weekend trip:** If you've been wanting to visit a nearby spa or head to the beach for a few days, your engagement is an excellent excuse, so pack your bags for a mini vacation with your new fiancé. Or you can invite your close friends along and use the time to share details about your proposal and even start planning your big day.

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**3. Take your engagement photos:** You know you want to show off that newly engaged glow! Find a photographer and spend a few hours taking pictures with your beau. You can use these photos as a way to announce your engagement via social media. Plus, they'll come in handy when you pick out your save the date – many couples take a more casual approach with their initial invite and include this personal touch.

**How did you announce your engagement to your family and friends? Share your stories below!**

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**Former 'Bachelor' Sean Lowe Writes: "My Wife Is Hot and I'm in Love"**





By Amanda Boyer

[Sean Lowe](#) has taken his love for wife Catherine Giudici, who he met on season 17 of [The Bachelor](#), to a new level. While the famous couple often posts sweet Instagram photos of each other, this time, the Texas native published a blog post on his Patheos page titled “Caught in Her Web.” As reported by [UsMagazine.com](#), he shared how and when he first fell for Giudici as well as the things about her that he loves most, ending with, “So in conclusion, my wife is hot and I’m in love.” After seven months of marriage, the celebrity couple is still very much in the honeymoon stage.

**Former *Bachelor* Sean Lowe and winner Catherine Giudici are always expressing their feelings for each other. What are some ways to show**



# your love to your partner?

## **Cupid's Advice:**

If you want to show your significant other just how much you care but are not sure what to do, Cupid has some love advice for you:

**1. Write a note:** Take a cue from this *Bachelor* star and write down your feelings! If you have to leave for an early meeting or are going on a weekend trip with friends, hide a sweet card for your love to find while you're gone. Let him know that you're thinking of him and can't wait to see him again soon. This small gesture will go a long way!

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**2. Surprise them:** It's easy to get into a daily routine of work, household chores, and social engagements and let your relationship and love life fall to the back burner. To combat this regularity, be spontaneous and plan a Tuesday night date at your favorite restaurant or head to the bowling alley with another couple. Your partner will appreciate that you took the initiative to do something special and unexpected.

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**3. Try something new together:** Has your beau always wanted to go rock climbing or sky diving? Plan an adventure-filled day for the two of you. Even if you're a bit nervous, step out of your comfort zone, knowing that your partner will be there to hold your hand when you get scared.

**What are some ways you show your love to your partner? Share your thoughts below!**

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# Back Together? Justin Bieber and Selena Gomez Snap Cozy Pic in Canada



By Amanda Boyer

So maybe they are on-again? According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), Justin Bieber and Selena Gomez look like it! On Monday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, the couple was spotted out to dinner at Dave & Buster's in Hollywood by some fans taking pictures. Later the following day, Bieber also posted a picture of Gomez on his Instagram and then quickly deleted it. On Wednesday, August 27<sup>th</sup>, Bieber

uploaded another photo of him and Gomez together cuddled up in Canada. According to sources, this pair is getting close and spending a lot of time together again.

## **What are three important conversations to have before reuniting with an ex?**

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

Sometimes it's good to give second tries to relationships. Want to give it a try? Cupid has some advice on how to talk things out:

**1. Ask questions:** Are there still feelings there for one another? Why did the relationship fail in the first place? All questions to ask. It's important to address past issues so that you can then move forward.

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**2. Seeing passed what happened:** Some things are forgivable/forgettable, while others are simply things you can't get past. Determine which category your past issues fall into, and then go from there.

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**3. Things are going to change:** Come to terms with the fact that things are going to change moving forward. There's a reason things didn't work out in your relationship the last time, and the only way it's going to work on moving forward is if some important things change.

**Have you ever gotten back with your ex? Share how you got there by leaving a comment below!**

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# Arie Luyendyk Jr. Is “Pissed” He’s Not the Next ‘Bachelor’



By Kaley Allard

Former *Bachelorette* contestant Arie Luyendyk Jr. will not be given another shot at relationships and love on *The Bachelor* Season 19, according to [UsMagazine.com](https://www.usmagazine.com), and he’s not happy about it. A source recently said that Luyendyk is “pissed” that he was not chosen. Luyendyk tweeted his dismay saying, “I’m not the *Bachelor*. Have fun on the farm people.” Hopefully Luyendyk’s poor attitude and angry social media posts do not affect this year’s *Bachelor* pick, Chris Soules.

# Even for The Bachelor, finding relationships and love can be difficult. How can you branch out and find new ways of meeting a partner?

**Cupid's Advice:** Trying to find 'the one' is by no means easy, and for the majority of us, it takes a lot of work. Spending your time trying to find a significant other can become tiresome and you may even feel defeated. Below are three seemingly easy ways to meet new people, and if you're lucky one could end up being your soul mate:

**1. Online dating websites:** We have all seen commercials for couples who have found relationships and love on such sites as eHarmony and Match.com. If you aren't meeting people through friends, family or events, give online dating a try.

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**2. Speed dating:** The concept may seem ridiculous but speed dating is an effective and easy way to meet many new people all at once. While we aren't saying that you will necessarily find 'the one' on your first round, you may if you give it a few more goes.

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**3. Blind dating:** Everyone has heard the horrors of blind dating, like what the heck was my friend thinking? While you may not find your soul mate on your first date, you have the opportunity to meet new people and possibly make a friend along the way.

**What are some effective ways that you have used to meet new**

people? Please share below!

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## Usher and Nicki Minaj Heated Up the Club in Usher's Music Video



By Kaley Allard

When two attractive individuals get together, the temperature in that room is only going to go up, and that's exactly what happened in Usher and Minaj's new video, 'She Came to Give it To You.' First reported by [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), 'She Came to Give

it To You, ' showcases the best of both worlds with these two: killer vocals and equally as killer dance moves.

**What are some creative ways to incorporate dancing in your relationship?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

When life gets in the way it may be hard for you and your partner to find ways to let loose and have a little fun. Consider these three suggestions from Cupid on how you can add more dance into your relationship:

**1. Ballroom dancing:** You and your partner should consider taking a ballroom dancing class or joining a club. It's an easy way to have some fun with your partner while also burning some calories.

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**2. Hit up the club:** What better way to have fun with your partner than by hitting up the local dance club? Bright lights, loud music and maybe a few cocktails will help you let loose and enjoy yourselves while also shaking your groove thing.

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**3. Dance in the kitchen:** While you and your partner are cooking a romantic meal for two, put on some tunes and shake your money maker. Cooking is not fun for everyone, so why not make the chore more enjoyable by waltzing in the kitchen?

**What have you and your partner done to add more fun into your relationship? Please share below!**

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# Pamela Anderson Calls off Divorce from Rick Salomon



By Kaley Allard

Pamela Anderson just cannot make up her mind! The blonde bombshell called off her divorce to second time husband, Rick Salomon. Originally reported by [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), according to court records obtained from LA Superior Court, Anderson petitioned to end the divorce on August 21st. But how long will this last? A well connected source told *Us* that Anderson is “staying with him for now because she doesn’t have the heart to hurt him.”

**How do you know when you’re ready to call it quits on your marriage?**



## **Cupid's Advice:**

Deciding to call it quits on your marriage is a difficult decision and one that should not be taken lightly. Not only are there legal and monetary implications, there could also be emotional damage if in the end you realize you made the wrong decision. Here are signs to help you decide if it is really time to call it quits:

**1. Love lost:** After being with the same person for a long time you may realize that you no longer feel the same way about them. The reality that you no longer love your spouse is sad, but it happens more than you think. While the spark may die down once life gets in the way, if you have not felt the spark and you cannot find it anywhere, maybe it is time to do what is best for both of you and move on.

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**2. Don't get along:** Are you and your spouse constantly fighting? Or do you not even talk to one another anymore? Whatever the case may be, these are most likely signs that the two of you have underlying issues that need to be hammered out. As cliché as it sounds try going to see a therapist and if that does not work maybe it is truly time to pull the plug on your relationship.

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**3. People change:** Whether you rushed into your marriage or you knew each other for 10 years before you tied the knot, it is possible that since that time you and/or your partner have changed. It may be that you have grown in your maturity or the goals you once had have now changed. Sit down with your partner and decide whether or not you are both still on the same path in life.

**What are some things you and your partner discussed before**

getting a divorce? Please share your stories below!

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# 'Bachelor in Paradise' Contestant Jesse Kovacs Denies Threesome: "I Fell Asleep"



By Ann Luther

After this week's episodes of *Bachelor in Paradise*, you'd think the show was set in the Bermuda Triangle instead

of Mexico. The scrumptiously scandalous moments were centered around none other than Jesse Kovacs, who arrived on Monday night's episode and was swept away on not one but *three* dates with beautiful ladies on the show: Jackie Parr (from Sean Lowe's season), Christy Hansen (from Juan Pablo Galavis's season), and Lucy Aragon (also from Galavis's season).

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## **Jesse Kovacs Talks About Celebrity Flings on *Bachelor in Paradise***

It's easy to see why these women were drawn to the handsome newcomer, but Kovacs thinks it was more than just an instant attraction. "I don't feel like the girls were smitten. I think I was open-minded and didn't act as if I was unavailable," he shares in our exclusive celebrity interview. "Plus, both Christy and Lucy asked other guys on dates. I may have been the last option."

Smitten or not, the bachelorettes asked Jesse Kovacs for his company, and he said yes every time. "As far as attraction goes, I thought Jackie was hot. Christy and I had fun on our date too," the reality TV star explains. "I'm all about meeting new people and experiencing new places, and that's what I tried to do." He added about the often nude Aragon: "I actually didn't want to go on the date with Lucy at first. I was exhausted and had been sick, so I didn't think I had the energy. Ultimately, we had a blast, and I'm glad I hung out with her."

Hung out he did— with *both* women. There was a gasp-inducing, extremely suggestive scene depicting Aragon joining Kovacs and Hansen in a rather intimate setting. Rumors of a threesome surged the Internet as quickly as you can say "o-m-g!"

However, the California winemaker insists, “There was no threesome. I fell asleep.”

At the end of Tuesday’s *Bachelor in Paradise* episode, he gave the rose to Hansen – but don’t expect the pair to be as lovey dovey as some of the other couples by next week’s show. “I literally was only there a couple days, and it’s ridiculous to think you can just fall for someone in such a short time,” he says of their brief celebrity fling.

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The blue-eyed co-owner of Liquid Lounge in downtown San Diego will be gracing our television screens for at least another week. Apparently, there may be even more drama to come for poor Jesse Kovacs. He lets us in on what those teasing trailers may have left out for our gossip-hungry pleasure: “I’m not sure they will show this, but I get confronted by a few castmates. Basically, they wanted to tell me how much of a coward I was. Not sure that makes any sense – it didn’t to me.” We shall see...

*You can keep up with Jesse on Twitter @JesseAKovacs. Be sure to tune in to Bachelor in Paradise on Monday nights at 8/7c on ABC!*

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## **Hayden Panettiere Reveals She’s Having a Girl on Emmy’s**

# Red Carpet



By [Courtney Omernick](#)

Monday night at the 2014 Emmy Awards, [UsMagazine.com](#) reported that Hayden Panettiere revealed the gender of her first child in an interview with Giuliana Rancic on the red carpet. Panettiere and fiancé Wladimir Klitschko are having a girl! The couple announced that there would be an addition to their family this past May.

**How do you reveal the gender of your child to family and friends?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

These days, couples have come up with many different ideas about when and how to reveal the gender of their baby to

family and friends. Even sites like Pinterest have boards dedicated to these ideas. As having a baby can be a crazy time during a couple's relationship, the reveal doesn't have to be elaborate, but you and your significant other might want to give it a personal touch. Below are some suggestions:

**1. Video:** This is a great way to share the news with family and friends who are all over the country. You can simply reveal the gender by making a quick announcement, or you and your partner can add parts of your ultrasound video into the reveal video. The possibilities are endless!

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**2. Gender reveal party:** Baby showers have been popular for decades, but have you ever considered throwing a gender reveal party? This is a great excuse to get a large group together and share your surprise. Consider revealing the gender through pink or blue cupcakes, placemats, party favors, etc.

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**3. Paint your belly:** If you're looking for something that's a bit "out of the box," you might want to show up to a large family gathering, or your baby shower, with a painted belly. Cover your stomach with your shirt until it's time for the big reveal. Blue for boy or pink for girl!

**How did you reveal the gender of your baby? Comment below!**

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# Sofia Vergara Sends Picture

# Message to Missing Joe Manganiello at Emmy's After Party



By Amanda Boyer

'Modern Family' star Sofia Vergara showed up at the 2014 Emmy Awards on Monday, August 25th thrilled to showcase the night on her Instagram account. While Vergara was posting selfies of herself and her cast celebrating, one picture stood out. It was a photo of her gown and curves with the description "Where r u Big Boy?" According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), it was a message to her missing boyfriend, Joe Manganiello.

**What are some ways to spice up your relationship with social media?**

## Cupid's Advice:

There's no getting around social media these days, so why not use it to spice up your relationship? Cupid has some tips:

**1. Throw it back:** Post Thursday #tbt and Friday #flashbackfriday pictures from your relationship. Whether he or she is right next to you or across the country, it shows you care about the relationship and enjoy going down memory lane.

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**2. Share your memories:** Show the trips and celebrations you have had with your mate by posting pictures, status updates and tweets.

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**3. Distance does not matter:** Social media makes you feel closer when you are apart, so download Snapchat or Instagram so you have an additional outlet for communication.

How do you show your relationship through the social media world? Tell us your thoughts!

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# Celebrity Gossip: Malin Akerman Flirts with Leiv



# Schreiber's Brother at Emmy's



By Amanda Boyer

In the latest celebrity dating rumors, single mom and recently-divorced Canadian star Malin Akerman showed up to HBO's Emmys after-party on Aug. 25 showcasing a brand new Miley Cyrus-inspired haircut and confidence as she was doing some flirting of her own on the dance floor, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). Celebrity gossip states that Pablo Schreiber, brother of Liev and actor in *Orange is the New Black*, was the one that was spotted with Akerman in the Pacific Design Center in Hollywood on Monday night. Has a new famous couple been born?

# You'll stay out of the celebrity gossip tabloids, but you still want to have fun without flopping! What are some creative ways to flirt with a new guy?

## Cupid's Advice:

Flirting is a time-old practice, but it's easier said than done. Cupid has some creative dating advice to help you step it up:

**1. Be interested:** Show how involved you are in the conversation with him by asking follow-up questions and responding with affirmations along the way.

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**2. Body language is key:** Take a cue from Akerman and be confident! Look him in the eyes when flirting. No guy wants to see the back of your head instead of your smile!

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**3. Tease him:** When he least expects it, text him, "Can I tell you a secret?" It not only shows you're interested, but that you can trust him! When he says, "Sure, tell me a secret," respond and say, "Never mind." Now, he's left wondering, and he'll no doubt bring it up next time he sees you!

**What's your best flirting tip? Share your dating advice below!**

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# Jesse Kovacs on 'Bachelor in Paradise' Controversy: "Guy Talk Isn't Always Meant to Be Shared"



Interview by [Lori Bizzoco](#). Written by Shannon Seibert.

Fans recognize Jesse Kovacs from season five of *The Bachelorette*, where he fought for Jillian Harris's heart, and season one of *Bachelor Pad*, where he caused drama with ex-girlfriend Elizabeth Kitt. Now, he is standing at another rose ceremony, waiting to see if he will get a rose on *Bachelor in*

*Paradise* tonight. “It’s funny because, during this rose ceremony, I was sick as hell. I don’t think they show it, but I was off in the jungle puking my brains out,” Kovacs tells us in our celebrity interview. “So I wasn’t even concerned about getting a rose.”

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## **Jesse Kovacs Talks About Return to Reality TV for *Bachelor in Paradise***

Arriving in Tulum, Mexico this week, his first date was with Jackie Parr (Sean Lowe’s season). He knew nothing about the format of the show; he did, however, know that it was worth it if finding relationship and love was a possibility. “It’s all about the experience for me,” he shares. “If you’re open-minded, you can meet someone anywhere. It doesn’t matter if it’s on reality TV or if you’re in the coffee shop, at a bar, or at the post office.”

What wasn’t aired is that Robert Graham pulled him aside and gave him a brief rundown of the situation. “I did know that Marquel and Jackie went on a date but still felt confident that she would want to go on a date,” he confirms. He also says that everyone was super nice and inclusive. “Graham Bunn and I pretty much hung out the entire time,” he adds.

When the winemaker first got to the island, he had three or four days of date after date after date and then a rose ceremony, leaving him with little free time to get to know any of the guys except for his roommates. “I’m talking with the guys in my hut as if I were talking to any of my buddies about a girl I was seeing, totally not realizing that there were microphones in the ceiling,” he reveals. “Certain things were relayed back to the girls – and of course, guy talk isn’t always meant to be shared.”

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Teasing his storyline further, he admits that something happens that leads to tension between him and one of the guys. Plus, he gets mixed up in a big misunderstanding that causes him to head home early. “That will all come out later,” he assures us. He says that he looked like the bad guy, although he was telling the truth about what happened.

Despite everything, Kovacs doesn’t have any regrets and speaks highly of his experience. “It is what it is. Realistically, I should’ve known better.” Given he walked into a similar storm between AshLee and Clare, we had to get his opinion on the situation with the ladies. “I definitely feel like AshLee is always concerned about how she will be portrayed,” the reality TV star says. “Her edit or cut was the most important thing to her. I noticed this right away.”

## **His Recent Relationship and Love Life**

He may not have found a relationship and love on *Bachelor in Paradise*, but we do know is that he had a serious girlfriend since viewers last saw him on *Bachelor Pad*. “She was in San Diego, and I was living in Los Angeles. We spent every weekend together – we’d go to the beach, and I’d bring a bottle of wine,” he candidly shares. “We moved in together, started a business, and then split up seven months ago.”

Outside of the show, Kovacs tells us that he isn’t looking to settle down again anytime soon. Instead, he’s staying busy with his entrepreneurial endeavors. He recently opened a lounge called Liquid in downtown San Diego, and he’s still managing Kovacs Brothers Wine with his brother. “We have some wine that we’re probably going to release in early September,

and then we're going to be harvesting again," he says of what's next.

*You can keep up with Jesse on Twitter @JesseAKovacs. Be sure to tune into Bachelor in Paradise on ABC on Mondays at 8/7c!*

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## Beyoncé and Jay Z Lock Lips at MTV Video Music Awards



By Kaley Allard

Recently, there have been rumors swirling that power couple Beyoncé and Jay Z were headed for splitsville. As reported by

[E! Online](#), the two put that gossip to rest when they kissed at the 2014 MTV Video Music Awards as the rapper presented his wife with the Michael Jackson Video Vanguard Award. Beyoncé thanked God, her daughter Blue Ivy, her husband, her fans, and MTV for this award and couldn't hold back the tears.

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

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

The human race is a self-centered one. We want others to pity us in times of need or to praise us in times of joy. When you are in a committed relationship, that attitude must change in order for your partnership to stay strong. Here are three ways to support your partner's career and show how much you truly care:

**1. Surprise them:** If your partner receives a promotion at their job, surprise them with a nice dinner or even a simple card. Anything to say how proud you are of this exciting announcement will make the promotion even more special.

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**2. Lend an ear:** If your partner is worried or stressed about a project at work, take the time to actively listen to their concerns. Allowing them to vent will show them that you really care about what's going on and that you're there to help them work through any issues they may have.

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**3. Plan a date night:** If your partner loses their job or even just has a really rough day at the office, take them out for a night of fun and relaxation. Put off discussing the tough situation until tomorrow, but don't put it off for good. If needed, help your partner in their job search. No matter what,

be positive – tomorrow will be a better day!

What have you done to show your support for your partner's career? Please share below!

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## 'Bachelor in Paradise' Drama: AshLee Frazier Says She Wishes She Could Take Back Quarrel With Clare Crawley



By [Sarah Batcheller](#)



Audiences were left with mouths agape and eyes wide after last night's episode of [Bachelor in Paradise](#). As the competition heightens in Tulum, Mexico, the ladies are baring their claws and bringing some World War III-style drama to the tiki hut. In particular, reality TV star AshLee Frazier has left everyone shuddering in fear...and well, we hate to say we told you so!

## **Exclusive Celebrity Interview about Bachelor in Paradise Drama**

In our [exclusive celebrity interview](#) with the Texas native on Aug. 5, Frazier admitted that she stirred the pot in paradise, informing us, "There's a little quarrel that happens with me and another cast member. Unfortunately, I wish it didn't happen, but it did. I wish I could take that part back, for sure." Regardless of the drama, sources tell us that Capital L stays for the entire *BIP* season.

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Clare Crawley, who is currently coupled with Zack Kalter (a contestant from Desiree Hartsock's season of *The Bachelorette*), lashed back at Frazier after finding out that the Houston fashionista was bad-mouthing Crawley to her man. While sharing a hammock, Frazier dished to Kalter about Crawley's rumored sexual rendezvous with Juan Pablo Galavis (from *The Bachelor* Season 18, when Crawley finished as the runner-up) and called her "cuckoo" in an effort to change Kalter's mind about his budding relationship and love with Crawley. She didn't realize until after the damage was done that a hidden camera captured her every word.

Frazier's move may have been less about a vendetta against Crawley (who asked Frazier's *BIP* beau Graham Bunn on a date on

the first episode) and more about closing in on Kalter. In our previous interview with Frazier, she stated, "The whole point of going to paradise was to meet Graham. There were no ulterior motives." But a source close to us says that Frazier was good friends with Kalter before going on the show and that she may have had a desire to "team with him" if things didn't work out with Bunn.

**Related Link:** ['Bachelor in Paradise' Star AshLee Frazier: "My Goal Was to Know Graham Bunn"](#)

In tonight's episode, audiences will witness what happens after Bunn refuses a rose from Frazier, walks off, and is followed by ex-girlfriend-turned-bestie Michelle Money. What's interesting about this turn of events is that Frazier previously told us that she enjoyed her time with Money and that the single celebrity mom gave Frazier her blessing to go after Bunn.

We haven't seen any developing friendships between Frazier and the other girls, but her closest ally is yet to arrive; Christy Hansen from Juan Pablo's season shows up tonight. "When Christy comes in the house, she is such a doll," Frazier shared. "She and I become really good friends. It's so nice to make a really good friend." We can't wait to see all the new match-ups!

*You can keep up with AshLee (and Bachelor in Paradise fashion!) on her fashion blog and Twitter @ashleefrazier. Don't forget to catch her and the rest of the cast on Mondays at 8/7c on ABC. Plus, a special episode airs TONIGHT at 8/7c!*

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# Adam Levine and Behati Prinsloo Make Debut as Married Couple



By Kaley Allard

Women around the world wept when the news of Adam Levine's engagement and wedding was announced. The Maroon 5 lead singer is easy on the eyes, so it's surprising that it took someone so long to nab him! As reported by [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), *The Voice* coach and his Victoria's Secret model wife Behati Prinsloo attended the 2014 MTV Video Music Awards in their first official outing since they said their vows earlier this summer. The pair were gorgeous and looked so in love as they strolled down the red carpet. We wish them a lifetime of

happiness!

**What are the pros of being a married couple rather than just being in a relationship?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

Being in a committed relationship with someone is a wonderful experience, and when the two of you decide that it's time to get hitched, your love reaches a new level. You both care for and trust each other enough that you're willing to commit for the rest of your lives. Here are a few perks that go along with being a married couple:

**1. Honeymoon phase:** One thing that people always talk about is the so-called honeymoon phase that newlyweds experience. There is an overwhelming sense of joy now that your wedding is finally over. It's time to relax and just enjoy each other's company as a married couple.

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**2. You're now a unit:** After you and your partner officially tie the knot, those around you will see you as one. Your marriage shows your family and friends that you have made a lifelong commitment to one another and are completely dedicated to each other. Your relationship has hopefully grown stronger because of this big step!

**What positive experiences have you had now that you and your partner are married?**

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# Miley Cyrus Makes Celebrity News With Homeless Date at VMA's



By Kaley Allard

Miley Cyrus may have been all about having fun at the 2013 MTV Video Music Awards, but this year, she was strictly business. The [latest celebrity news](#) cites that in order to raise awareness about youth homelessness and promote her fundraising campaign, she brought a homeless man named Jesse as her date. When Miley's hit song "Wrecking Ball" took home the Video of the Year award, she let Jesse take the spotlight and give her acceptance speech. Cyrus was brought to tears by his speech, and instead of hitting up post-VMA parties, the duo headed

to In-N-Out Burger to celebrate, according to [UsMagazine.com](https://www.usmagazine.com). She posted an adorable photo on Instagram to commemorate the evening. While her twerking days may not be over, at least Cyrus is taking a break and advocating for causes that are truly important to her. This celebrity news melts our hearts!

## How can you and your partner incorporate charitable causes into your relationship?

### Cupid's Advice:

For most of us, extra time and money are hard to come by. This fact makes it difficult for working couples to help charitable organizations. Do not fear! Cupid has some dating and love advice to help you and your partner contribute to those causes that are near and dear to you without making you eat Ramen noodles for the rest of your lives:

**1. Donate money:** Instead of spending money on that five-star restaurant, you and your partner should consider giving those funds to a charity that means something to both of you, whether it be to an animal rights group or to bring clean drinking water to third world countries. Make it a monthly tradition and pick a new organization each time!

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**2. Donate time:** Instead of spending your day mindlessly sitting around the house or wandering around the mall, make your Saturday useful by volunteering with your partner. There are so many opportunities to help out in even the smallest of communities. Look into local nursing homes, soup kitchens, and animal shelters, just to name a few options. It'll make you feel good to help others in need, and those

who you helped will be forever grateful.

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**3. Fundraise:** Sit down with your partner and organize a fundraiser for a local organization that's struggling. Rally your friends and neighbors to help raise awareness or to donate funds. Any way that you can give back to your community will show how proud you are of your home.

**What are your thoughts on this celebrity gossip? Tell us in the comments below!**

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# **Ariana Grande and Big Sean Confirm Celebrity Relationship at VMA's**





By [Courtney Omernick](#)

It was a big weekend for Ariana Grande, who is currently dominating celebrity news! Not only did she perform at the VMA's, but her [celebrity relationship](#) with Big Sean has gone public! According to [UsMagazine.com](#), the "Bang Bang" singer and Big Sean were caught holding hands backstage at the award show. Will this famous couple keep the spark alive in their Hollywood relationship? We sure hope so!

**Celebrity relationships are often discovered sooner than they're meant to be. Luckily, you have more control! What are three creative ways to announce your love to family and friends?**

**Cupid's Advice:**



Announcing a new relationship is definitely an exciting moment! There are butterflies in your stomach and love in your heart. You probably feel higher than a kite! But with Facebook being a worldwide staple, the “surprise” element of announcing a new relationship has been diminished. So we’ve come up with a few ways that you can take a cue from the hottest celebrity relationships and get creative with your announcement:

**1. Utilize the element of surprise:** Like Grande and Big Sean, confirm your relationship with a subtle surprise. For example, if the two of you are going out with friends or to dinner with family, you could try walking into the room holding hands to get the conversation started. Or if you’re really daring, plant a quick kiss in front of your loved ones.

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**2. Take advantage of social media:** Ok, so we can’t deny the use of technology to get the message out there! After all, almost everyone is online these days. Posting a picture of you and your new significant other holding hands, kissing, etc. might be the way to go. This way, you’ll be able to acceptably use a ton of hashtags and get the word out to your favorite people in one easy move.

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**3. Use Snapchat:** Like Instagram, Twitter, or Facebook, this is a great way to get the word out quickly! You can take a picture similar to the one mentioned above and come up with a great caption like, “He’s all mine!” The beauty with Snapchat is that it allows you to select which contacts in your phone receive the message, so you can make it as private as you’d like.

**What are some other fun ways to announce your relationship? Share below!**

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# Jennifer Lopez Reunites with Celebrity Ex Casper Smart at MTV VMA's



By [Courtney Omernick](#)

In the latest celebrity news, [UsMagazine.com](#) reported that Jennifer Lopez was able to spend some quality time with her celebrity ex Casper Smart last night at the VMA's. He sat in front of her at the award show, and they were spotted sharing Skittles and talking. Their [celebrity relationship](#) may have ended, but it's clear that these two are maintaining a good friendship.

# Even the most coveted celebrity relationships come to an end! What are some ways to keep things civil post-breakup?

## Cupid's Advice:

If you're hurting because of a break-up, it can be hard to think about being nice to your former significant other. But, if you're looking to keep things civil, we have some love advice for you:

**1. Give them their space:** Breaking up is hard for both parties. If you truly want to keep things on a level playing field, it's best to give them some space right after the break-up occurs. The other individual is going to be much more open to being friendlier if they've had some time to cope with their feelings.

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**2. Show your support (in moderation):** You want the other individual to know that you still value them as a person, and possibly a friend, so it's important to help them understand, through tiny gestures, that you still support them. However, you don't want to constantly bombard them with "Congratulations" and other happy messages because you could be implying something else.

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**3. Treat them as a friend:** If you want to keep things civil, it's important to treat your ex as you would a friend or acquaintance. Be positive, smile, and keep things light and

happy.

J-Lo is facing the end of her celebrity relationship gracefully. What are some ways you've kept things civil post-break-up? Share your stories in the comments!

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## Carson Daly and Wife Siri Pinter Welcome Third Child



By Ann Luther

London Rose Daly has officially arrived! Carson Daly and Siri Pinter welcomed their third child on Wednesday, August 20th.

London Rose is joining her two older siblings, Jackson James, 5 and Etta Jones, 23 months. Daly told [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), "Watching Jack and Etta meet their new sister was like watching a scene in a movie, directed by God." It's a wonderful life in the Daly-Pinter household!

## **How do you introduce your new child to your older children?**

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

Bringing home a new baby is both exciting and nerve-racking, especially if there is another child in the mix. It's a delicate situation to introduce a new addition to an already-established family dynamic. Cupid has some advice for you:

**1. Explain what's happening:** For younger children, a new baby can be hard to understand. Before the baby arrives, sit your children down and have a talk with them. Tell them what's going to happen and ask if they have any questions. Knowing what to expect will take the edge off of their initial meeting.

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**2. Affirm your love:** Jealousy happens. As a parent, you must be sure your child knows that they are loved. You can explain the concept of infinite love. Even with this new bundle arriving, you won't love your older children any less than you did the moment they were born.

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**3: Make it fun:** Your children are going to become big brothers or sisters! That comes with some responsibility and a ton of fun. Knowing that they, too, have a role in this new baby's life will make your children feel important and get them excited.

**How did you introduce a new baby to your older children? Share your stories in the comments below!**