

# Emilie de Ravin and Joshua Janowicz File for Divorce for Second Time



By Sanetra Richards

One couple is headed to Splitsville, for the second time. Emilie de Ravin and husband Joshua Janowicz have filed for divorce once again, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). “Emilie and her husband have filed for divorce,” de Ravin’s rep, Jeff Raymond, released in a statement. “They have recently been living separately and remain friends.” The couple first filed for divorce in January 2007, seven months after their wedding ceremony. Janowicz was served the papers two years later, however, and it was not finalized. This time around may be for good. The 32-year-old cited irreconcilable differences with the *Once Upon a Time* actress. The two have been separated since November.

**How do you know when to call it quits on a long-term**

## relationship?

### Cupid's Advice:

Every couple goes through their fair share of issues, whether minor or major. Sometimes you are left questioning if separation is the best solution. Like the saying goes, "Warning comes before destruction" – which typically means the signs are always there before things really take a turn for the worse. Unfortunately, it is especially hard to break it off when you have been in a long-term relationship, simply because there is tons of history. Cupid has some ways to help you decide when it is time to call it quits:

**1. Tension is so thick:** ...you can cut it with a knife. The elephant has become evident in the room. Do not try to avoid the issue. Your relationship is on the rocks – you and your partner are constantly bickering and there is no resolution. It could possibly be time to call it quits.

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**2. Absolutely no improvement:** You should be able to recognize growth individually and as a couple. One specific aspect of a relationship is being each other's support system. If the relationship is stagnant and there is no hope for bettering, consider going your separate ways.

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**3. The flame has fizzled:** The passion, the romance, the simple yet complex "I love yous" have all seemed to vanish over time. If there is no reason to why all the kind gestures have disappeared and communication is going downhill as well, it just may be time to part.

**What can lead you to calling it quits? Share below.**

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# Adam Levine on His Upcoming Wedding: 'It All Feels Very Natural'



By Sanetra Richards

"Here comes the bride . . ." And groom! Adam Levine is ready to get his hands dirty in the wedding planning business. The 35-year-old Maroon 5 singer told [People](#), "I definitely feel like I'm sitting in the chair I'm supposed to be sitting in right now," said Levine. "It all feels very natural." In case you missed it, 'The Voice' judge is set to marry Victoria's Secret model Behati Prinsloo. So how exactly is he getting in on the planning this summer? "I'm probably doing more than you think and less than you think, as well," says the Sexiest Man Alive. And his thoughts on what the wedding will be like? "It won't be typical, I can tell you that."

## How can the groom be more involved in wedding plans?

### Cupid's Advice:

Believe it or not, a groom can actually take part in the wedding planning (seems quite bizarre since so many bridezillas exist). Your husband-to-be can actually bring many great, festive ideas to the table. Cupid has a few ways to include him in all of the madness:

**1. Ask for his creative insight:** Does your love have an eye for art? He could possibly offer some great suggestions when it comes to choosing colors, decorations, and arrangements. Do not be afraid to ask for his opinion. It could lead to fabulous wedding pictures and endless compliments.

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**2. Money man:** If you are not quite the person to handle finances well (or at least enjoy it), definitely include the groom in this process. He could set up the budget list and Microsoft Excel spreadsheet on what all needs to be handled. By the end of planning, you may actually be calling him the "Money Man" as well.

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**3. Music and drinks:** What a wonderful combination. Put your groom to the test to see if he can handle a wonderful music selection AND choose the beverages for the big day. These are two things that will get guests going throughout the ceremony and reception. Hopefully, he will be able to accept the challenge and execute flawlessly.

**How would you include your groom in wedding plans? Tell us about it below.**

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# Mourning A Loss: 'Glee' Star Becca Tobin's Boyfriend Matt Bendik Found Dead



By Sanetra Richards

A year after the loss of fellow cast mate Cory Monteith, *Glee* star Becca Tobin is mourning the loss of boyfriend Matt Bendik. The 35-year-old was found dead Thursday, July 10th, in his Pennsylvania hotel room. According to [EOnline.com](http://EOnline.com), the Philadelphia Medical Examiner confirmed it was indeed Bendik's body; however the cause of death is still unknown. The Philadelphia Police Department is classifying the passing as a "sudden death" and as of now, no foul play or evidence of suicide is involved. Police also stated no signs of drugs or weapons were found at the scene. TMZ released reports saying Tobin was alongside Bendik on his business trip. The couple

socialized with friends on Wednesday night, and nothing strange was suspected. "Matt was in Philly for business. No one knows what happened as of right now," says a source. "It is extremely sad and tragic. He was such an amazing guy. He was so in love with Becca—they did everything together. They were so in love."

## **How do you grieve the unexpected death of your partner?**

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

Coping with the loss of a loved one is no easy matter. In fact, it is the exact opposite. But exactly how do you handle the death of your significant other? The person you planned to spend the rest of your life with. The one who had you head over heels. For some, they are able to say goodbye and I love you for the final time. Unfortunately, not everyone is given the chance. However, a common factor for those who lose someone special is the grieving process. Cupid has a few ways to mourn the loss of your partner:

**1. Understand everyone's grieving process is different:** Some people result to isolation, some lean towards various addictions, while others may participate in irregular behavior or act completely fine. What ever your mechanism may be, realize that your way of handling is not similar to anyone else's. Your relationship with this person was unlike anyone else's, just like your way of healing.

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**2. Allow yourself to feel every emotion:** Five stages come along with grief, which are denial, anger, bargaining, depression, and lastly acceptance. Building a wall to avoid these feelings will only make matters worse. Instead, release them all – it is perfectly normal.

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**3. Have an emotional support system:** It is always good to have a set of listening ears. Seek someone or a group of people who you find comfort in talking about the death of a loved one and your feelings to. They will be beside you during every moment of your journey: encouraging, listening, and having the utmost of compassion.

**What are some ways to grieve the loss of a significant other? Comment below.**

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## **'Bachelor' Alum Jamie Otis Marries Doug Hehner on New Reality Show**





By Sanetra Richards

A new reality show is taking the saying “love is blind” to an entirely new level. As revealed by [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), *Bachelor* alum Jamie Otis recently married a complete stranger on *Married at First Sight*. The show includes a line of experts – a sexologist, a spiritualist, a psychologist, and a sociologist – who pair participants with their “ideal” romantic partners. To add to the mystery, the contestants are completely unaware of who their future spouses are until they are introduced at the altar. On Tuesday’s premiere episode, Otis was set to marry software salesman Doug Hehner. Before the nuptials, she was all for finding her soul mate from the experiment – that is, until the moment of truth arrived. “She was freaking out. And it seems like she doesn’t know what’s going on,” the 31-year-old groom said “It was a tense moment.” In the meantime, there were a number of thoughts going through the 27-year-old’s head. “I’m getting married right now to someone I don’t know,” she said in her voice over. “I’m thinking I just made the ‘worst decision of my life’. I am so scared.” Viewers will have to watch next week to see how the rest of their “blind wedding” turned out!

**What are some perks to going on a blind date?**

**Cupid’s Advice:**



Going on blind dates may seem kind of taboo in today's world. However, with the right attitude, you may just find yourself up for the idea. Below, Cupid shares a few benefits that are attached to blind dates:

**1. You have no preconceived notions:** Typically, when you're going out with someone for the first time, you already know *something* about your date, whether it be because you've met, talked online, or simply Googled him. But in this case, you probably don't know anything about your potential partner. Go into the date with an open mind – you never know who you might meet!

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**2. You can put your best foot forward:** Now is your chance to make a great first impression. The person sitting or standing across from you has no idea what you're like – they may not even know your last name! So show off your best characteristics and really impress them.

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**3. It makes a good story:** There are two reactions to the people who go on **blind** dates: You either laugh at the disastrous horror stories they share, or you “aw” at the romantic endings that sometimes result. Whichever one your **blind** date ends up being (or if it's somewhere in the middle), your closest friends will be excited to hear the details.

**Have you ever been on a blind date? Share your experience below.**

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# Eva Mendes and Ryan Gosling Are Having a Baby; Pregnancy Revealed



By Sanetra Richards

Yes, you read the headline right! [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com) reveals a source has confirmed that pregnant Eva Mendes and longtime boyfriend Ryan Gosling are expecting a bundle of joy. The news was verified shortly after rumors circulated around the web about the 40-year-old actress' seven month pregnancy. This will be the first child for the Mendes and Gosling. In an interview with Ellen Degeneres at the beginning of the year, the *Hitch* star joked about the pregnancy rumor frenzy that was happening: "It's so ridiculous," she said. "It all started because I didn't want to go through the scanners at the airport. You know those X-ray scanners, which are really creepy? They basically see you naked, right? And not only that, but there's a radiation aspect to it, so I always opt

out.”

## **What are some ways to keep your pregnancy under wraps?**

**Cupid’s Advice:** Expecting a baby is quite exciting! You are bringing a tiny human into the world, and there’s no feeling that could possibly compare. For now though, you and your partner don’t want anyone else to know your big news. Cupid has some tips to help you hide your baby-to-be:

**1. Don’t tell a soul:** If you are waiting until you’re further along in your pregnancy to break the news, your best bet is to keep your lips sealed. You can tell a couple of close friends and family members; however, everyone else is off limits!

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**2. Avoid hint-dropping:** You may be extremely tempted to post cute baby-related things on your social media accounts...but don’t! People will probably figure out what you do not want to reveal. Remember, the ultimate goal is to keep this a secret until you’re ready to share.

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**3. Toss the fitted clothing:** Use your wardrobe to your advantage! Maybe you have some flowy, shift dresses to wear when out and about; opt for those instead of your tight tees and button downs. No one will suspect a baby bump is underneath.

**How do you keep your pregnancy under wraps? Share your suggestions below.**

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# Justin Theroux Says He Fell in Love in a “Real, Legit Fashion”



By Sanetra Richards

Believe it or not, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), Justin Theroux says he fell in love in a “real, legit fashion” with Jennifer Aniston. They have a normal, romantic relationship. In the August issue of *Details*, the 42-year-old *Leftovers* actor revealed they connected immediately just by reminiscing on a few memories of the “Waldorf grade-schooling they both received.” The two met back in 2007, when mutual friend Robert Downey Jr. introduced them to one another: “He and Jen fell in a real, legit fashion,” the actor told *Details*, “and he was willing from the jump to make sacrifices.” Since then, Theroux has been sure not to let the attention influence his ego or

his relationship. “It doesn’t feel like a hardship; it doesn’t feel difficult,” he explained. “It can be an annoyance, but it’s not the end of the world. You have to center on what its core thing is, which is that you met someone you fell in love with. “

## **How do you know that you’re truly in love?**

**Cupid’s Advice:** Finding love is one of the greatest feelings of all time. You’ve had your fair share of admirers in the past, but now, you think this special someone is here to stay. And guess what? You may actually be in love! Cupid has some ways to tell if you’re feelings are real:

**1. Nothing feels better:** Your head is up in the clouds; your heart flutters every time you see them; and you can’t stop daydreaming about the future – all of these feelings are undeniable. A relationship has never felt so great before. So what truly makes this time different? Ask yourself a few questions to see if you have indeed been shot by Cupid: What will I sacrifice for my partner? Do I see a future together? Is commitment an issue? Your responses will let you know if you’re in love or not.

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**2. You have a strong connection:** You and your partner have developed a foundation that you’re continuing to strengthen. You share the same morals and beliefs, and your bond is unbreakable. If this describes your relationship, the love bug may have bitten you!

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**3. There are no comparisons:** If you can’t even fathom being with another person and no one else can make you happier, the answer is quite simple. You’re in love!

Tell us about a time that you knew you were truly in love!  
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# LeBron James and Wife Savannah Are Having Their Third Child



By Laura Seaman

It's official! LeBron James and wife Savannah Brinson are having a third child. Rumors started in March when Pat Riley, the president of the Miami Heat, said at a press conference, "Savannah now is going to have a little baby girl to join her in the fight against the two boys an LeBron, which she needs." [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com) confirmed the pregnancy of the couple, who were married in September and have two sons, LeBron James Jr. (8)

and Bryce Maximus (6).

**How can having a big family bring you closer together as a couple?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

Having a big family can be a lot to take on, and with more people comes more opportunities for family drama and toes being stepped on. However, they're your family, and sometimes it's great to have such a big support group around for you and your partner. Through the ups and downs, they're always around, and when it comes to moral support, the bigger the better. So here are some advantages to having another child:

**1. You can spread the love around.** In small families you might feel a bit cramped, always socializing with the same people and having the same conversations as your partner, maybe butting heads once in a while. With a big family, you can spread out and talk to many different relatives in one evening without having to hang around your partner the entire time. By the end of the night you'll both have different stories to tell each other and continue the fun.

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**2. You will have more role models for your relationship.** With many different relatives come many different couples to share stories with. Use this opportunity to learn from their experiences and use what they've learned in your own relationship.

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**3. You'll get more support during tough times.** Sometimes you and your partner will face rough patches, but with big families come a lot of comfort. They can talk to both of you, give their point of view, and help you fix whatever wrong. The

more advice and comfort you get the better, and there's much more to go around with a large family.

Do you have a big family? How has it helped your relationship? Let us know in the comments!

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## Matchmaker Nicole Richie: "I Set Up Cameron Diaz and Benji Madden"



By Laura Seaman

Nicole Richie recently admitted to setting up brother-in-law Benji Madden with Cameron Diaz. "I approve of anything that's going to make Benji happy," Richie said after being asked if she approved of Diaz during her interview on *Watch What*



*Happens Live*. “I’m happy for anyone who is happy, and I want everyone to be surrounded by love.” According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), a viewer later asked if the star played matchmaker and had been the one to introduce the new couple, to which she answered, “Yes. I’m going to take full responsibility for everything!”

**What are some ways to help your friend find a mate?**

### **Cupid’s Advice:**

There are plenty of reasons to set up your single friend. You could go out on double dates! It also might make them happier, get them out of the house more, or maybe just stop them from moping about being single. No matter the reason, Cupid is here to help you help your friend by finding them a mate:

**1. Help them set up an online profile.** It might take some convincing, but if you can get them to agree to it, setting up a profile on a dating website is a great way to get your friend to meet potential partners. After all, that’s what the sites are for. And who better to help them list all their little quirks and charms than their friend?

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**2. Set them up with another friend.** If you trust someone enough to be their friend, you can probably trust them enough to treat your other friend well. You already know how amazing these two people are, so setting them up together might seem like a no-brainer. Just be careful, because there’s always the chance that it won’t end well and the two friends ask you to pick sides.

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**3. Be an amazing wingman (or wingwoman).** If your friend is shy, they might need an extra push to go socialize on a night

out. You can scope out the place for someone who is attractive and seems like their type, then cook up a plan to get them talking. Make sure your friend is okay with this! Otherwise you might have a pretty awkward encounter on your hands.

**Have you ever set up a friend? How did it work out? Let us know in the comments!**

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# Pamela Anderson and Rick Salomon: Filed for Divorce Again



By Laura Seaman

Second time isn't the charm! It seems like this couple just wasn't meant to be, as Pamela Anderson and Rick Salomon

recently split up yet again. The couple has been married twice, with the first marriage ending in 2008 only months after the wedding. According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), they were then spotted together on the beach in 2013. "It's recycling," Anderson joked, then saying "No, I'm very happy. We're happy. He's a great guy." The couple secretly got remarried, but are now filing for divorce for the second time in their on-again-off-again relationship.

**What are some things to learn from an on-and-off relationship?**

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

On-and-off relationships can go one of a few ways: They could constantly follow the pattern and you'll never truly have a stable relationship, the cycle breaks and you decide to really dedicate yourselves to the relationship, or the cycle breaks and you decide to part ways for good. No matter how your rocky relationship ends, here are some things to learn from it:

**1. Be happy by yourself.** Maybe you went back to your ex because you didn't like being single. It can be a big change if you've been in a lot of relationships or your previous one lasted a long time, but it's a change you have to deal with. You can't be happy with someone else until you're happy with yourself, so learn to be happy and single before considering your ex (or anyone else) again.

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**2. Get some impulse control.** Sometimes you might get the urge to text or call your ex 'just to chat', or to check their Facebook page to see how they're doing. Resist the urge and distract yourself. If you give in to these nagging wants, you'll only pull yourself back into the relationship without fully being out of it and having a clear head.

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**3. Make some changes.** If you had certain routines with your partner or had your schedule revolving around them, it might be difficult to get used to life without them. This can add to the pressure of wanting to get back together, but if you make some changes and live your life more like *you* want to, the pressure will slowly drift away.

**Have you been in an on-and-off relationship? What did you learn from it? Let us know in the comments!**

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## **Eric Hill's Death Casts a Shadow on 'Bachelorette' Hometown Dates**





By Laura Seaman

On week eight of this season's Bachelorette, a tragedy stuns the reality stars just after their hometown dates. A former contestant, Eric Hill, died in a paragliding accident. According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), the cast was told after returning from their hometown dates and given time to mourn the loss, though the cameras were still rolling. The rose ceremony was even more emotional than usual, with bachelorette Andi Dorfman saying, "Tonight was always gonna be tough, but I don't think anyone could've imagined that it would be like this."

**What are some ways to support your partner through a tragedy?**

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

Nobody truly knows how to handle a tragedy; if they did, maybe it wouldn't be such a tragedy. However, if your partner is going through a very emotional time, you can try to handle the situation the best way you know how. Here are some tips for helping your partner through tough times:

**1. Give them any alone time they might need.** For some people, piling on the attention and affection might seem like a good idea, but sometimes what your partner might really need is time alone to think, reflect, or just acknowledge their

feelings. Respect their wishes and keep your distance.

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**2. Be the help they need.** This could mean keeping your distance, or it would mean being the shoulder to cry on. There are many ways to support your partner, and you have to be willing to try all of them, even if they are out of your comfort zone. If your partner needs you to be there and listen, you need to be there and do just that. If you need to take a few days off work to make sure they're okay, do so.

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**3. Don't tiptoe around it.** Tears and heavy emotions can be awkward and stressful, but you can't just avoid them. The last thing your partner needs is someone who ignores their pain or pretends like nothing is going on. Acknowledge their emotions and be there in the moment. This is a huge part of any relationship!

**Have you ever had to help your partner through a tragedy? How did you handle it? Tell us in the comments below!**

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## **Cameron Diaz and Benji Madden Visit Her Parents in Florida**





By Laura Seaman

Benji Madden and Cameron Diaz are enjoying the sun and surf in Orlando, Florida, while also taking another step in their relationship. Over the Fourth of July weekend, not only did Madden enjoy the beach with Diaz, but met her family as well. “She goes there every summer and spends time hanging out on the beach with her aunt and her mom,” a source tells [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). “She is super laid back and didn’t hesitate for a second to introduce him to her family.”

**What are some unique ways to introduce your partner to your parents?**

### **Cupid’s Advice:**

It can be awkward and nerve-racking to take the step of introducing your partner to your parents. These are the people who raised you, and to some parents, nobody will ever be good enough for their baby. Instead of going with the classic approach of having your partner over for a family dinner, try some of these unique introductions:

**1. Go on a family trip.** A trip to the beach seemed to go well for Diaz and Madden, so maybe it could work for you, too. A nice relaxing trip to the lake or beach is a great way for

everyone to unwind and make the welcoming process go much smoother. A day off makes everyone happy, and happy parents are a great start.

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**2. Go to a party together.** If there's a birthday party or other family event coming up, it might be a good idea to bring your partner along. Parties are fun and help people unwind, so it's the perfect way to relieve the tension of a first meeting. It's also a great way for the entire family to meet your partner instead of just hearing about them from your parents.

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**3. Go to a show together.** It could be a concert, a movie, or a theater performance. If both your parents and your partner like the show, they can bond over their similar likes and have a conversation about the performance. It will be a good bonding experience and you'll have fun with it.

**How did you introduce your partner to your parents? Let us know in the comments!**

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**New Celebrity Couple Joe Manganiello and Sofia Vergara Spotted Cozying Up in Louisiana**





By Laura Seaman

*True Blood* actor Joe Manganiello and *Modern Family* star Sofia Vergara are the hottest new [celebrity couple](#). The two met at the White House Correspondents Dinner while Vergara's engagement to Nick Loeb was still on. "It's very, very new," an insider tells [UsMagazine.com](#). "They're having fun and getting to know each other." The famous couple made celebrity news after being spotted at a diner in Louisiana in May kissing and taking pictures with fans.

## How do you know when you're ready to move on to a new relationship and love?

### Cupid's Advice:

Break-ups can end in many different ways. Some splits are mutual and leave both parties feeling more liberated and happy, like Vergara's break-up from Loeb. Others are messy and

leave one or more parties hating love and stuffing their faces with food. Well, no matter which break-up you went through, consider this dating advice to know when you've truly moved on from your ex:

**1. You have no problem deleting their number:** If you're truly over your ex, you know that there's no chance of them randomly texting or calling and begging to get back together, so you should be fine with deleting their number. It's better to do this so that you don't "accidentally" text them one night.

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**2. You're not jealous if they're with other people:** They're single now, and they should be able to see other people without worrying how you feel. If you're really over them, you shouldn't feel anything more than maybe a short pang of hurt before forgetting about it. Besides, you're single too! Just like Vergara, you can start dating other people when you feel you're ready.

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**3. You aren't angry about the relationship ending:** If your ex was the one to end things, you were probably angry at them for a little while. However, if you're really over them, you shouldn't be angry anymore. After all, it was probably for the better, and you should know that if you're over them.

**How did you move on from your relationship and love after a bad break-up? Share your dating advice with us in the comments below!**

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# Jill Duggar Celebrates Second Week Anniversary



By Shannon Seibert

With one of the most unique fairytales, newlyweds Jill Duggar and Derick Dillard shared a romantic evening on the town to celebrate two official weeks of marriage. The *19 Kids and Counting* star Instagrammed a photo of her and her new hubby at the dinner table, grinning from ear to ear. The pair shared their first kiss together on the day of their wedding and have seemed elated ever since, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com)

**What are some unique milestones to celebrate as a couple?**

## **Cupid's Advice:**

Everyone knows the first year anniversary, the 25, and 50 year markers are traditionally significant to a marriage, but each couple can celebrate relationship markers that are significant to them individually. When celebrating your time with your

beloved, take into account these special dates that we've pulled together for you and your hubby.

**1. 100 day anniversary:** The lucky 100! You and your honey have spent 100 days together as husband and wife, and hopefully there are many more to come. 100 is a traditionally lucky number so celebrate this day with all things 100. Come up with 100 things you love about each other, 100 things you want to do together as a couple, and maybe 100 places you want to go together.

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**2. The anniversary of your first kiss:** For some this is the same as the first date, but for others this can be something different entirely. The first kiss became the first of many, and it's a relevant milestone to celebrate. Kissing is highly romantic and a first kiss is usually greatly anticipated. Couples such as Duggar and Dillard who waited until their wedding day for their first kiss, this occasion can seem more monumental. Marvel in your past anticipation and be thankful that you'll have many more kisses to anticipate.

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**3. The anniversary of the day you first met:** Some couples met when they were five years-old, for others they met a little over a year ago. Every couple has a story and this occasion is perfect for reminiscing in yours. Utilize this day as a time for seeing how much you've changed as a couple from the beginning. Chances are, you aren't the same people you were. In fact, there's an even greater chance that you've made each other even better than you used to be.

**What are some creative milestones that you've celebrated with your man? Share with us in the comments below!**

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# Former 'Saturday Night Live' Writer John Mulaney Is Married



By Shannon Seibert

John Mulaney married Annamarie Tandler this past weekend in Boiceville, NY at the Onteora Mountain House. The scenic view perfectly highlighted the couple's beginnings since the former *Saturday Night Live* writer met his love on a getaway to Martha's Vineyard. Instead of asking guests for wedding gifts, the pair suggested donations to the Innocence Project, an organization that helps wrongfully convicted individuals through DNA testing, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com)

**What are some perks to tying the knot in the mountains?**

## **Cupid's Advice:**

It's not everyday that you hike a mountain to get hitched. Feel on top of the world by wedding the love of your life on a mountain top. A scenic wedding opens the door to millions of incentives for your special day. These three definitely rank high on the list for your special day with your new hubby:

**1. Your relationship is literally held high:** You and your man are elevated on one of nature's highest pedestals. In ancient cultures, gods and goddesses lived on the mountain tops, and most momentous ceremonies happened upon mountain tops. On your wedding day you are announcing to the world your love, so why not literally shout it from a mountain top? Conclude your vows by shouting your "I dos" for all to hear.

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**2. The mountain serves as a symbol:** Mountains have an incredible foundation. They symbolize strength, constancy, firmness, and eternity. Mountains unite sky and ground, lightning, thunder, nature, and wind. They encompass all of the natural elements in just one scene. This can equate to love. Just like your marriage vows describe, love encompasses a lot as well. Sickness, health, for richer and poorer, there is a lot to consider that creates the bond of love. You can apply these concepts to the theme of your wedding, and how you plan to spend the rest of your life with your love.

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**3. You'll have unique pictures:** The scenery is one of the best perks of wedding on a mountaintop. There are so many different ecosystems and elements to play around with. You can look out and see all that surround you, catch an amazing sunset, and stand at the highest point for miles around. This mountain will become a permanent monument to your marriage that will

be around for millions of years to come.

Did you have a scenic wedding? Tell us your story in the comments below!

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## Jessica Simpson and Eric Johnson Include Their Kids in Lavish Wedding



By Shannon Seibert

Jessica Simpson and Eric Johnson married this past Saturday in a beautiful Independence Day weekend wedding. The pair took a special approach to their wedding day and had their children be a part of the ceremony. Two year-old daughter Maxwell was the flower girl and their 13-month-old son Ace served as the

ceremony's ring bearer. Additionally, the couple shared their special day with more than 250 guests, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com)

## **What are some ways to include your children in your wedding?**

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

Not only is this a special day for you and your new hubby, but this is about creating a family unit. By joining together in marriage you vow to cherish not only each other but your children. Make your children a part of your wedding in order to establish a sense of what it is like to be a real family:

**1. Have your children be a part of the vows:** Family is the strongest bond. In lieu of just you and your husband-to-be exchanging vows, exchange vows with your children as well. Promise to hold each other above all else; promise to love and cherish each child; promise to respect and honor each parent, and so forth. These promises will grow to be much more than words, and will help set a foundation for a loving household and family relationships.

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**2. Have your kids stand up for you at the ceremony:** Little bridesmaids and groomsmen can be just as adorable as flower girls and ring bearers. By having your children to stand up for you in your ceremony will give them a sense of belonging in the process of you wedding the love of your life. Your daughter as your maid of honor, or your son as one of the groomsmen gives them responsibility to you and your husband. This can show how much you love your children by giving them a position of respect.

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**3. Have your kids share a story or a toast at your reception:** The viewpoint of a child is always a wonderful thing to witness. Have your child share a story at the reception of their time with their father, or stepfather. The significant memories to a child may not seem all that significant to an adult, but hearing the story retold through the eyes of an innocent mind can touch the hearts of many in ways never thought possible.

**How did you incorporate your kids in your wedding? Share with us in the comments below!**

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## Brody Jenner Says He 'Never' Dated Lauren Conrad



By Sanetra Richards

Brody Jenner is letting the cat out of the bag! According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), the former *Hills* star is letting it all be known in his latest podcast, *The Brody Jenner Podcast with Dr. Mike Dow*. In addition to revealing he dated his brother Brandon's wife Leah at one point in time, Brody Jenner and Lauren Conrad never dated, despite what the show may have portrayed. As Dow began to name a few of Jenner's past lovers, such as Avril Lavigne, Kristin Cavallari, Lauren Conrad, and Nicole Richie, Jenner stopped him in his tracks, saying, "That's false. Lauren Conrad and I never dated. Lauren and I have always been just friends," the Bromance stud went on to say. "We worked together on a show called *The Hills* where we had to pretend like we were dating, but we never dated." After clearing up the L.C. rumors, the 30-year-old was also asked about his other "relationship" with cast mate Kristin Cavallari and if that too was staged. "I dated Kristin when we were very young ... when she was on Laguna Beach and I was on a show called *Princes of Malibu* with Spencer Pratt ... we met at a party in Hollywood ... but during [*The Hills*] when we filmed, Kristin and I did not date, we were not hooking up."

**What are some ways to squelch rumors about your relationship?**

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

Have you come across a situation similar to Brody Jenner's and Lauren Conrad's? Ever heard a bizarre rumor about something that happened (or didn't happen) in your personal life and wondered, "Where do people come up with these kinds of things?" But you never knew how to put an end to all the crazy talk. Cupid had some tips for the next time someone spreads inaccurate information about your relationship:

**1. Clear the air:** The best way to probably put an end to all the madness is to state the facts. Without a doubt, the speculations will continue if something is not said. Let it be known that whatever has been disclosed is untrue. Feel free

to reveal any other information that may provide evidence on why it is false.

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**2. Ignore the nonsense:** Not constantly feeding into rumors can also be used as method in helping them die down. Try not to pay it too much mind and all of the gossip will gradually disappear once people notice you are not giving in.

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**3. Talk it over with the person it's affected:** You are certainly not the only one the craziness of a relationship rumor has affected. Be sure to discuss its impact with your partner (or speculated one). They probably want it to come to an end just as bad as you do – and are willing to do whatever it may take to make this happen.

**How do you put an end to rumors about your relationship? Share your thoughts below.**

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## **Penn Badgley Dating Domino Kirke**





By Sanetra Richards

New couple alert! According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), Penn Badgley is now dating Domino Kirke, sister of *Girls* star Jemima Kirke. The lovebirds were spotted in New York City taking a stroll on Wednesday, July 2nd. "They've been dating for awhile. They have a number of mutual friends. It is a very mature and free relationship," says a source. "Domino is a great girl for him, being a musician. Their interests align." Over the years, the 27-year-old actor/musician has been linked to Zoe Kravitz, daughter of Lenny Kravitz, as well as former *Gossip Girl* costar Blake Lively.

## **How can your career lead to a stable relationship?**

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

Balancing a relationship/dating and a career can be considered another job in itself. However, with the right person and the right career, it can be done with little to no trouble. Cupid has some ways this may happen:

- 1. On the same page:** Being with someone who understands exactly what you are looking for and what you need is a breath of fresh air, especially when your career has consumed a good amount of your life. Despite all of this, the two of you have

talked and are all for putting in the effort to make it work.

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**2. Time permits:** Whether your work is super busy or whether it is more so laid-back, you can still be able to set aside some time for a little quality time and TLC with your partner. With a steady career, you have the opportunity to devote yourself to someone and it will not seem like another load added on.

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**3. Still willing to put in effort:** If you and your partner are up for the challenge that may come along with having a relationship and a career (no matter the pace), it can certainly prosper. As stated before, communicate thoroughly and schedule time one for each other, and you are halfway there!

**What are some ways a career can lead to a stable relationship? Share your thoughts below.**

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## **Eric Johnson Hits the Golf Course Pre-Wedding to Jessica Simpson**





By Sanetra Richards

Watch out, Tiger! According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), Jessica Simpson's fiancé (now husband), Eric Johnson, spent a day with his groomsmen on the golf course on Thursday, July 3rd. The former NFL player shared a few games and laughs as they prepared for and celebrated the wedding. Johnson and about 20 of his best bro friends enjoyed themselves at Sandpiper Golf Course in Santa Barbara, California: "They were a really attractive group!" an eyewitness tells Us, including the group joked about being in town for a "secretive" wedding. "They played 18 holes and drank lots of Bud Lights!" The father-of-the-bride was also included in the bunch says another onlooker. "There were definitely a lot of Southern accents," says the witness. "The guys were all super hot!" The source went on to add, "When they all arrived, they were really boisterous, greeting and hugging each other. They had a really good time." The couple of four years definitely felt the fireworks as they exchanged vows over the 4th of July weekend.

**What are some unique bachelor/bachelorette party ideas?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

You are preparing for the big day . . . your wedding day! After weeks of preparation, and what seemed to be close to

blood, sweat, and tears, you are ready to have a pre-celebration. You want to bring it in with all of your closest pals – but there is only one problem. You aren't quite too sure on what exactly to do. Cupid has some fun and festive ideas to add to your suggestions:

**1. Scavenger hunt:** Why not have your wedding party go on a personalized hunt? Come up with a few questions, which you think they may know the answers to in regards to you and your future Mr/Mrs. and send them out on the search. The winner gets a prize! (Maybe an extravagant wedding favor?)

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**2. Pool party:** Thinking about combining both the bachelor and bachelorette parties for a little co-ed fun? Hosting a pool party would be a great idea and a great time. Invite your closest friends and family to a little outdoor fun in celebration of your special day.

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**3. Camping:** Spend the night leading up to the ceremony outdoors: hiking, setting up the tent, roasting marshmallows for the s'mores – the joys of an adventurer.

**What are some cool bachelor/bachelorette party ideas? Share your suggestions below.**

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**Prince Andrew and Monika**

# Jakisic Call It Quits



By Sanetra Richards

Single again and back on the prowl! According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), Prince Andrew and model Monika Jakisic (also George Clooney's ex) have gone their separate ways after five months of dating. The British Prince was seen out with Dara Tomanovich, a Canadian lingerie model, at a Royal Ascot event last week. A few months ago, Jakisic uploaded a picture of a nice sized diamond ring alongside of a £600 restaurant bill, sparking rumors of a possible engagement to the royal. Despite the rumors, a spokesperson for the Prince told the Daily Mail, "I can confirm the Duke of York is not engaged to Monika Jakisic."

**What are some benefits to splitting up early on in a relationship?**

**Cupid's Advice:**



Breaking up is never really an easy thing to do. However, when it is early on in a relationship, it may actually be quite easier to call it quits and move on. You are probably wondering, "How is that possible?" Cupid has some pros of going your separate ways in the first few months:

**1. Less time invested:** You spent a few months together as a couple, but decided to split after things took a turn for the worst. Luckily, you were able to detect problems with no solutions right away and removed yourself from the relationship (before those months developed into years).

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**2. Able to accept reality:** Everyone knows the first stage in a relationship is the honeymoon phase, which consists of googly eyes, love birds, and kissy faces. You and your [ex] partner went through it, but once it was over, you both saw the chances of actually being in a committed relationship were slim to none.

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**3. Likely to remain friends:** If not too much damage has been done, couples who may have dated for a short period of time find it easier to be friends after the breakup . . . or at least cordial.

**What are some more benefits of splitting up early on in a relationship? Share your thoughts below.**

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# David Arquette Is Engaged to Girlfriend Christina McLarty



By Sanetra Richards

We hear wedding bells! According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), David Arquette is soon-to-be a married man. The 42-year-old actor proposed to his girlfriend, Christina McLarty, while in Malibu on Wednesday, July 2nd. Just shy of a week ago, news broke that Arquette's ex-wife, Courteney Cox, announced her engagement to *Snow Patrol*'s Johnny McDaid. A source reports the *Scream* star asked for the entertainment reporter's hand during a family dinner at the restaurant Mastro's Steakhouse with their 2-month old son, Charlie West, and Arquette and Cox's 10-year-old daughter, Coco. The insider also revealed Arquette had the proposal "planned it for a while" and has "known he wanted to marry Christina for a long time." Coincidental or not, the engagements between the former married couple are days apart. "David was just waiting for the right time," says another source, "He and Courteney both

talked about taking the next step in their relationships ... They both want what's best for each other."

**What are some ways to surprise your partner with a proposal?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

Lately you have been thinking about getting on one knee and asking your love for their hand in marriage. Many ideas have crossed your mind, but you are unsure of how to keep it all a secret. Cupid has a few tips that will help:

**1. Keep them out of the loop completely:** The first thing to do is to keep your lips sealed. Do not disclose any information or clues that will leave your partner curious. Once they begin to think you are about to pop the question, the "surprise" is ruined. This also applies to anyone else who may be in on the game plan. Remember, secret is the keyword!

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**2. Act normal:** Try not to be unusual – be yourself. If your soul mate starts to suspect you are up to something, they will begin to snoop until they find out what is going on.

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**3. Be creative:** Ask the big question in a way they will not expect. Maybe put it in the local newspaper that they read every day, or at one of your most memorable places.

**What are some other ideas when surprising your partner with a proposal? Share your suggestions below.**

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# Dave 'Uncle Joey' Coulier Ties the Knot



By Sanetra Richards

It was definitely a full house in Paradise Valley, Montana this past week. According to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com), Dave Coulier, also known as **Uncle Joey** from the hit sitcom "*Full House*" **married** his longtime girlfriend, **Melissa Bring**, on Wednesday, July 2nd. The couple of nine years welcomed family and friends to spend the week together leading up to the big day. Who was there as the actor/comedian and photographer/producer exchanged vows? Fellow cast mates John Stamos, Candace Cameron Bure, Andrea Barber, Bob Saget, and the creator of it all, Jeff Franklin. Unfortunately, Mary-Kate and Ashley Olsen could not make the festivities. Bure posted an Instagram picture with her co-star on Wednesday. "Parade day in Montana with @andreabarber," she captioned. Alongside the two friends on-and-off screen was John Stamos, who also posted a picture with the groom on Wednesday: "This boy is very happy today," wrote

Stamos. "Know why?"

**How do you compromise when it comes to potential wedding guests?**

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

Inviting guests is just one of the many things on the list of wedding plans. Many times, partners bump heads on the number of guests to invite and of course, exactly who to invite. This may bring a little tension, but Cupid has some ways to avoid the stressful invitation planning:

**1. Choose a number:** First, you and your partner must choose the wedding size. Whether that be something small and intimate with a crowd of 50 or less, or a large and lavish wedding with more than 150 – consult with each other over your ideas. Ultimately, the goal is to reach a number where you are both satisfied.

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**2. Be understanding:** Your partner may want to invite someone you are not too fond of, but you know they love this person dearly. Be willing to do whatever it takes to make your partner happy on the big day . . . even if that means having the annoying family member or friend there.

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**3. Come to an agreement:** Without a doubt there will be some bickering and frustration while choosing the guest list. The best idea is probably to split the number of guests right down the middle. Square and even!

**What are some ways to compromise when selecting potential wedding guests?**

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# 'Duck Dynasty' Star Uncle Si Explains Why Wife Isn't on TV



By [Jessica DeRubbo](#)

'Duck Dynasty' star Uncle Si explains why wife, Christine Robertson, isn't on TV. "Sometimes we film 12 hours a day, and she's just not healthy enough to go through the rigors of that," said Si Robertson, according to [UsMagazine.com](#).

**What are some ways to help your partner through health issues?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

Although it's not a good thing to pretend to be a doctor, there are other things you can do to support your partner through health scares like Uncle Si does to support his wife. Cupid has some advice:

**1. Be there:** It seems obvious, but being there when your partner goes to doctor's appointments and takes medicine can really show you care.

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**2. Research:** In situations where your partner is diagnosed with an illness or disease, learn all you can about it. Knowledge is key in situations like that, and it shows your partner you're invested.

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**3. Make them comfortable:** Give your partner some special treatment as he/she is going through a health scare. Cover them with blankets, rent their favorite movie, or play their favorite music at home.

**What are some other ways to support your partner through health scares? Share your thoughts below.**

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# Robin Thicke Speaks Out About Trying to Win Back Paula Patton



By [Jessica DeRubbo](#)

It's no secret that Robin Thicke has been making some grand gestures to win back his estranged wife Paula Patton. From dedicating songs to her on stage to naming his new album after her, Thicke is determined to do what he can to mend things. The kicker? "I actually have no idea what I'm doing," he said, according to [UsMagazine.com](#). "I'm just kind of flying by the seat of my pants on this one."

**What are three grand gestures to win back your love?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

Sometimes it takes more than an "I'm sorry" to mend bridges in your relationship. Cupid has some advice:

**1. Book a trip to paradise:** The prospect of a vacation is never a bad thing. Be creative, and book a surprise trip for you and your partner. Perhaps go to the first place you vacationed together as a couple, or choose somewhere he/she has always want it to go. Put the tickets in a card, and write



a love note along with it.

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**2. One word: Jumbotron:** If you and your partner enjoy sporting events, plan in advance and get in good with the jumbotron operator. Declare your love so that everyone can see.

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**3. Decorate at home:** Grand gestures don't always have to be expensive. Make an effort to clean your home, and then decorate it with things that speak to your love. Sometimes flower petals or flower bouquets can work wonders in such a setting. Or, perhaps have your wedding video playing when he/she gets home. Whatever the case may be, make it special.

**What are some other grand gestures that will speak volumes? Share your thoughts below.**

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# New Born Baby Bonding the Love Between Bachelorette DeAnna Pappas and Stephen Stagliano





By Laura Seaman

A newborn baby girl has brought DeAnna Pappas Stagliano and husband Stephen Stagliano closer than ever. The couple, married in 2011, told [People](#) about their love as parents: “I didn’t know that you could love like this. Obviously I love DeAnna to pieces and we have a wonderful marriage, but the love that a parent has, it’s just different,” said Stagliano. The now 5-month-old baby Addison Marie Stagliano has brought a happy and completely new experience to the couple. “Nothing can really prepare you for what it’s like to have a child and how your life will change, but I will say we’re really good at it,” said the new mother. “We’re a really good team.”

**How can a child bring you and your partner closer together?**

**Cupid’s Advice:**

Being in love with your partner is one thing, but being in love with your partner while raising a child is another. The process of raising a child puts your relationship through situations to which nothing else could even compare! Through all the dirty diapers, walks in the park, and 6AM wake-up calls, your relationship can become stronger and more wonderful than ever before. Cupid has some advice:

**1. Working together to raise a child makes you a team.** If you’ve ever worked on a project with your partner, maybe you

know a bit of what this feels like. Raising a child requires a lot of work on both ends, so when small achievements like a first step or a first word start happening, you can be proud together and know that all the wonderful things your baby accomplishes are due to the great bond of you and your partner.

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**2. Sharing the love for your baby is powerful.** A love for one's child is unique, but one other person can truly understand; your partner. You both have this strong, amazing love for your child and that shared love is something nobody else can have. It's like a wonderful secret only you two know.

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**3. Struggling together through the process can strengthen your bond.** Raising a child isn't easy, but you're going through all of the ups and downs with your partner. When times get tough, you can both understand what the other is feeling and be a better support system.

**How did your child bring you and your partner closer together? Let us know in the comments!**