Amber Holcomb Bids a Sad Farewell to the 'American Idol' Stage





By Kerri Sheehan

American Idol viewers were disappointed to say goodbye to 19-year-old Texas native Amber Holcomb last night. After her elimination from the competition was announced, Holcomb broke down in tears as she belted out her last song "I Believe In You and Me," originally sung by Whitney Houston. "Before the performance, we watched the video of memorable clips, and that always gets to me every single week. It was just a lot. It was really overwhelming."

While her impromptu waterworks may lead some to think that the elimination blindsided the singer, Holcomb says otherwise. "They always say an Idol can feel it when it's time, and I'm not going to lie; I honestly did feel like I was

the next to go." However, she realizes that even though the competition has reached an end for her, it's not the end of the experience. She gets to join the other contestants for the tour this summer. "I was really sad, but at the same time, I told myself that I still get to go on tour. I'll see them all again, so I was happy. Tickets are on sale today, by the way!"

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Speaking of the connections she made during her time on American Idol, it seems the relationship between Holcomb and former cast-off Burnell Taylor is still brewing. Holcomb played it coy when asked about the New Orleans crooner, only saying, "We text a little bit, but we're just really excited to go on tour together and see each other then."

In addition to the tour, Holcomb has big plans for her future. The southern songstress believes that there is room in the industry for someone with her prowess, and she plans to keep the onstage persona she developed on the show, something that judge Nicki Minaj often praised. "My style, personally, it changes depending on my mood. I feel like, right now, there's nobody like me, so why fix something that isn't broken?"

The sky is the limit when it comes to her career. "I see myself in magazines, on every television channel, on Billboards, on the Grammys — all that good stuff." She also hopes to dabble in acting and thinks *Glee* is "really relatable right now" for her. When it comes to singing, Holcomb names Minaj, Lil Wayne, Rihanna and Frank Ocean as artists she hopes to collaborate with someday.

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As a shout-out to her fans, she exclaims, "I want to say thank you to everyone who supported me. Expect great things from

To keep up with Holcomb, you can follow her <u>Twitter</u> or catch her on the American Idol <u>tour</u> this summer.

Celebrity News: Bethenny Frankel Learns Divorce is Not Amicable





By Kerri Sheehan

Skinnygirl mogul Bethenny Frankel is surprised that her divorce is not turning out as amicably as she hoped. Her and her estranged husband, Jason Hoppy are reaching a divorce settlement and while they did sign a pre-nuptial agreement back in 2010, the division of their property is still in

discussion. A key issue in their divorce will be deciding the custody of their 2-year-old daughter, Bryn. Frankel recently told <u>People</u>, "I really did think it would be amicable. I absolutely did."

What are some ways to keep your divorce simple and civil?

Cupid's Advice:

Everyone and their mother have heard the horror stories that come hand and hand with divorces. With that many emotions running wild and free there's bound to be some intense divorce drama. Cupid has some advice:

- 1. Patience: Often in divorce people think the quicker it's over, the better off both parties will be, however this is not always the case. Many times taking things slowly and thinking everything through is the best way to go. Rather than rush through the process let the proceedings happen at their own pace.
- 2. Be firm with your decision: Once you make the decision to cut the tie from your spouse make sure you don't waver. Going back and forth won't help anyone in the situation so being resolute about your decision is the best avenue to take.
- 3. Communication: In many of life's important instances, communication is the key to success. While there will likely be a plethora of things you want to say to your partner, make sure that you let them get in their words too. Communication is a two way street that must be tread on lightly, especially when it comes to ending a relationship.

Do you have any advice that helped keep your divorce simple and civil? Comment below and let us know!

'The Bachelor' Sean Lowe Buys Louis Vuitton Bag for Catherine Giudici's Birthday





By Kerri Sheehan

Reality television stud, and *The Bachelor* Sean Lowe treated celebrity love Catherine Giudici to a Louis Vuitton purse and a nice dinner for her 27th birthday. "We had a big party with family and friends last night and then tonight we're just going to go out to a nice dinner and just celebrate a little bit more," Lowe told *UsMagazine*. Lowe realized how much Giudici has sacrificed to move out to Los Angeles during his *Dancing With the Stars* stint and wanted to spoil her a little on her special day.

'The Bachelor' Sean Lowe went all out for celebrity love Catherine Giudici's birthday. How do you make your partner's birthday special?

Cupid's Advice:

A significant other's birthday is always a prime time to show them that you care. How do you show your partner how much they mean to you? Cupid has some suggestions:

- 1. Keep it specific: Does your other half have a certain band they love? Is there a restaurant that tickles their fancy? Maybe a favorite author is doing a book signing nearby? You can never go wrong with a heartfelt gift that shows you're listening to their likes.
- 2. Spoil them: A birthday is the one-day of the year that should be all about your partner. Pull out all of the stops and make that day one they are sure to remember! Relationships and love is all about being there for the other person and showing them how much you care. Their birthday is the perfect opportunity to showcase that.
- 3. Do something out of the ordinary: This tip is especially helpful to those who are in a long-term relationship. Keep the excitement alive by doing something totally crazy that your partner wouldn't expect. Skydiving, parasailing, or even throwing a surprise party are all in the realm of possibility.

Have any great ideas about how to make a birthday special? Share them with us below!

Celebrity Couple: Channing Tatum and Jenna Dewan-Tatum Hold Hands on Dog Walk





By Meghan

Fitzgerald

Monday April 29th, the adorable couple Channing Tatum and pregnant wife, Jenna Dewan strolled around Hampstead Heath park in London with their two dogs. <u>UsMagazine</u> reports that along their afternoon stroll, <u>Magic Mike</u> actor Tatum helped his wife over a fallen branch. The 32 year old <u>Witches of West End</u> actress looked comfortable in pregnant chic clothing.

What are some little ways to show your partner you care?

Cupid's Advice:

One of the essentials to being in a relationship is to show your partner how much you care about them. There are numerous

little ways you can do this with. Bringing home their favorite Thai food for dinner, doing the laundry, taking out the garbage, surprise them with flowers. Cupid has some more advice:

- 1. Mixed CD: Making a mix CD for your significant other is one of the best ways to show your partner you care. Include "your" song, their favorite songs, songs that have meaning between the two of you, or songs that remind you of your mate. Put the mixed CD in a handcrafted case, and express how much you love them through the descriptions and title.
- 2. Cook dinner: An easy way to show your partner how much you care for them is to make them a home cooked dinner. Surprise them with a romantic dinner of their favorites. Include a fine wine, appetizers, a full meal, and a dessert. Play the mixed CD you made for them and enjoy a low key dinner for two. Put in that extra effort to create a meal for your mate.
- 3. Cute texts: Surprise your partner with cute texts throughout the day. Text them in the morning wishing them a great day. Text them goodnight love. Send over a quick text of how much you love and care for them. Text them how you feel about them, and express your emotions through text messages. Your partner will realize how much you care for them by the texts they send over.

How are little ways you've shown your partner you care? Explain below.

Celebrity Couple: Johnny Depp

and Amber Heard Go Public with Their Romance at Rolling Stones Concert





By Meghan

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This past Saturday at the Echoplex in Los Angeles, Amber Heard and Johnny Depp stepped out from the shadows with their low-key romance at a surprise Rolling Stones concert. <u>UsMagazine.com</u> reported that the actor, 49, and his *Rum Diary* costar, 27, were photographed holding hands in the crowd of the concert. According to <u>Hollywood Life</u>, the couple has kept their relationship on the down low, reported to have started dating shortly after Depp and ex, Vanessa Paradis ended last June.

How do you keep your relationship away from prying eyes?

Cupid's Advice:

It is not necessary for the rest of the world to be in your business. Cupid has some advice:

- 1. Communication: When you are in a relationship, you need to talk with your partner of who you want to talk to, what you want to talk about, and the secrecy of your relationship. If you want eyes all over your relationship, talk about your relationship to everyone. If you don't want you or your mate to talk about your business, make sure you talk about it.
- 2. Discreteness: It is easy to keep your relationship away from others if you keep your partnership on the down low. Like Johnny Depp and all of his relationships, keep your business to yourself only. No one else needs to know about your fights, relationship status, or love. You and your mate are the only ones who need to worry and talk about your relationship.
- 3. Happiness: If you want to keep people away from your relationship, act happy as anything. Even if you and your beau are not exactly happy, play it off as you are. People are more likely to pry into your relationship if they know that you and your partner are having problems. So put on a smile and it will ward off any unwanted eyes.

Have you kept your relationship away from prying eyes? Explain your experience below.

Celebrity News: Tony Bennett Gives Away Daughter Antonia

at Her Wedding





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Tony Bennett was more than thrilled to give away his singer daughter, Antonia, at her wedding recently. He enthusiastically tweeted, "Congratulations to my beautiful daughter, Antonia. What a fabulous wedding." He also included a picture of the two walking down the aisle. A source told <u>People</u> that Bennett and his wife, Susan attended the wedding at the Beverly Hills Hotel. Love was in the air this past Sunday night.

What are some ways to include your parents in your nuptials?

Cupid's Advice:

Your parents love you. At times, their love is constraining and stressful and unwanted. However, they put you on this planet and you should attempt to include them as much as possible in your nuptials. Cupid has some advice:

- 1. Toast: It is easy and simply to include your parents in your nuptials by dedicating a special toast to them. Nothing is more meaningful to your parents than telling them over all your friends and family how much you love them. Your parents will be honored that you took the time out of your special day to write and make a speech for them.
- 2. Memorable gift: The most memorable gift you can give your parents on your wedding day is a picture frame or a photo book. Either gather pictures of you and your parents and compile them into a book. Or round up pictures of you and your fiance and put them together. Your parents will be able to look back on the day their child got married. And also be able to show your pictures off when visitors come around their home.
- 3. Family heirloom: Something old, something new, and something blue. It is a common wedding expression and is followed by couples everywhere. With something old: include a piece, jewelry, clothing, anything that has meaning in your family. You parents will recognize how much you care for them by keeping the tradition in the family. The bride can even copy or replicate your mother's wedding gown.

Have you included your parents in your nuptials? Share your experience below.

Celebrity Couple: Justin Bieber and Selena Gomez

Confirm Rumors They're Back Together!





By Andrea

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It seems that Jelena is back in the spotlight! Justin Bieber and Selena Gomez are back together and according to <code>Usmagazine</code>, they announced it by posted pics for the world to see. The pictures were posted on each of their Instagrams. One picture shows Bieber with his shirt off and Gomez hugging him from behind. The picture, captioned by Bieber, stated, "'You've been makin music for too long babe come cuddle'—her." Rumors about the couple rekindling their love have circulated ever since they were seen kissing backstage during Bieber's concert in Norway. Gomez also went on record to say that the fans should not take every move they make seriously. The couple broke up in December 2012, but a source close to Gomez said, "Justin pursued Selena and she gave in." Will the relationship last this time? "Who knows with them?" the

source said. "They're always back and forth!"

How do you keep rumors at bay in your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Rumors can endanger even the strongest relationships. How do you keep your relationship above water in a sea of gossip? Cupid has some suggestions:

- 1. Comment: When a rumor is being spread about your love life, comment on the rumor if someone asks you. Let them know the truth. If you choose not to comment, the lies will spread and no one will know what is real and what isn't.
- 2. Closeness: You and your sweetie need to have a tight bond and trust each other. This way when rumors are being spread, neither of you will be insecure enough to fall for it.
- **3. Verbalize:** Put the rumor out there for people to see. By acknowledging it in public, people will see that it is clearly just a rumor. Talk about the rumor with your partner so they know that the rumor is floating around so they can help publicly debunk it.

How do you keep rumors at bay in your relationship? Comment below and let us know!

Celebrity News: Julianne Hough Relaxes in Miami One

Month After Split From Ryan Seacrest





By Andrea

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Julianne Hough is maxing and relaxing post breakup with Ryan Seacrest. The actress was spotted tanning and hanging out on the beach in Miami with pal Nina Dobrev. Hough and Seacrest dated for nearly two years, but broke it off in March. The rumored reason they pulled the plug on their relationship was due to Seacrest's busy schedule. "Dude works all the time," a source told <u>UsMagazine</u>. "[Seacrest] never sleeps. It's a lifestyle she couldn't handle anymore. Work always, always came first [for him]. She wants a more low-key life."

What are some ways to keep your mind off of a breakup?

Cupid's Advice:

Breaking up is never easy. How do you keep your mind off the

pain you are feeling? Cupid has some suggestions:

- 1. Stay away: After a breakup it is best to stay away from your ex and block them on social media. By keeping them close during your time of healing will make it near impossible to heal. You need your time away to get over the feelings you have but having them around will make you wish the breakup didn't happen and it will be impossible to forget about.
- 2. Friends: Going out with friends and having a good time is a great way to forget about a breakup. Your friends are bound to keep you distracted and happy so you won't be thinking about the heartbreak you are feeling.
- **3. Stay active:** Keeping yourself active will take time away from thinking about your ex-beau. You will be on the go so time will fly and you won't have any free time to linger on the breakup.

How do you keep your mind off of a breakup? Comment below and let us know!

Celebrity News: Miley Cyrus Says It 'Feels Right' to Wear Engagement Ring and Be Committed





By Andrea

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Miley Cyrus recently opened up to *Elle UK* about her engagement to Liam Hemsworth. The couple got engaged a year ago. "We have a house together and dogs. It just seems right to be wearing this ring and to be committed," Cyrus said. "But we keep our relationship low-key and don't talk about it any more." According to *UsMagazine*, Cyrus has decided to keep her personal life and relationship to herself and away from the spotlight. "We were too nice to the world and gave them too much insight — into my life and my puppies and my house — and I just don't feel they get that privilege any more," Cyrus explained. "Like on my Twitter, I'm much more . . . not conservative, but you don't see a picture of my dogs. You don't get that personal stuff any more."

How do you know when you're ready to get engaged?

Cupid's Advice:

Getting engaged is a huge step in a relationship. You love the person you are with, but how do you know whether or not you're ready for that step? Cupid is here with some ways to help you decide:

- 1. You enjoy every moment: If you enjoy the ups and the downs with your beau then you are ready for the long haul. Marriage is not always exciting and fun so you know you are ready for an engagement if you are happy with your partner no matter if you are having a bad, boring, or sad moment together.
- 2. No more dating: If you are ready to burn that little black book of yours, then you are ready to be tied down. If you feel that your honey is the only one for you and no one else could make you happier, then you are ready for that step towards holy matrimony.
- **3. Future plans:** If the two of you are already planning for a future together, you are ready for that proposal. You two see a future together and are making plans together so you are both serious enough about the relationship to take this step.

How did you know you were ready to get engaged? Comment below and let us know!

Illusionist David Copperfield Keeps His Relationship Magical By Relaxing in The Bahamas!





By Royal Young

World renowned illusionist, David Copperfield, talks with us about keeping the magic alive, not only when he's performing a show, but in his personal relationship as well. Copperfield, performs over 500 shows a year and has won 21 Emmy Awards. He has accomplished mind-boggling illusions such as walking on the Great Wall of China and making the Statue of Liberty disappear. His newest passion is focused on educating people about the joy of relaxing in the Bahamas. Copperfield who enjoys The Bahamas with his family owns a chain of eleven islands "Musha Cay and the Islands of Copperfield Bay" which he calls the most "magical vacation destination in the world."

For more videos from CupidsPulse.com, check out our <u>YouTube</u> channel.

Kate Hudson's Fiance Matthew

Bellamy Throws Her a Surprise Bday Bash





By Jessica

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Kate Hudson's fiancé and lead singer of the band Muse, Matthew Bellamy threw a surprise party for her 34th birthday. According to *UsMagazine.com*, the party was held at a friend's place in New York City's West Village neighborhood. "Kate loves to dance and she was just really happy talking to everyone," a source reveals. "She looked beautiful and beaming in a tight metallic dress."

How do you surprise your partner on his or her birthday?

Cupid's Advice:

Your partner's birthday is coming up and you want to make the occasion special for them. Cupid is here to show you how:

- 1. Pop the question: You and your love have been dating for almost two years and have begun talking about marriage. With your partner's birthday coming up, now's the time to buy that ring. Surprise her in front of all her friends by proposing on her birthday. She will love the romantic gesture—and will especially love sharing the moment with the people closest to her.
- 2. Special gift: For your partner's birthday, get him/her a big present they are sure to squeal about in excitement. Buy concert tickets to their favorite band—get them a smaller present to throw them off at first. Wait a few minutes before giving them the tickets. They will love the anticipation—and of course the present as well.
- 3. Vacation: What better way to celebrate a birthday than on a beach with your love? Throw your partner a small surprise party a week early and reveal to him then that you planned a week long trip to The Bahamas for the actual day. He will love the big gesture and appreciate your efforts.

How did you surprise your partner on his/her birthday? Share below.

President Obama Rocks Michelle's Bangs at Correspondents' Dinner





Bv Jessica

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This past Saturday, President Barack Obama kicked off his hilarious White House Correspondents' Dinner speech at the Washington Hilton in Washington, D.C. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, the president stated he wanted to keep things lively and energetic for his second term. He then launched a slideshow of funny Photoshopped images of himself sporting his wife's famous new bangs. "I think this looked pretty good, but no bounce," he said.

What are some ways to support your partner's style choices?

Cupid's Advice:

Your boyfriend has a very distinctive style and is proud of it. You want to show him know how much you love his unique taste in clothing. Cupid is here to show you how:

1. Embrace their style: Your boyfriend has always loved wearing denim jackets and tight jeans. Now that he is working a lot, that style isn't exactly an option anymore. Encourage your man to wear the clothes he likes on the weekends. This way, he doesn't feel like he had to give up his own style for his job.

- 2. Compliment them: After your partner gets a new haircut, he is unsure if he likes the way it looks or not. Let him know your opinion. If you like the way it came out, reassure him of that. Your love will value your opinion over everybody else's.
- 3. Tell your friends: You're out with some friends and your partner is wearing a new outfit that you just love. Rave to your friends about it—your man will love hearing you compliment him to your friends. By doing so, you are letting him know how attracted you are to him—which will make him feel even more loved.

How do you support your partner's style choices? Share below.

Michael Jordan Ties the Knot with Yvette Prieto





By Jessica

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Former NBA star Michael Jordan tied the knot with model-fiancée, Yvette Prieto. According to <u>People</u>, the wedding took place in Palm Beach, Florida on Saturday. "They've been planning for months and months," says a source of the nuptials. "He wanted to give Yvette everything she's ever wanted."

What are some ways to make your wedding unique?

Cupid's Advice:

The day you have been dreaming of since you were a little girl is finally nearing. You want to make your wedding day as special and memorable as possible. Cupid is here to give you some unique wedding ideas to make the day even better:

- 1. Pick a song: While walking down the aisle, choose a song that holds a special meaning to you and your fiancé. The first song you danced together to, a song that represents your love for each other, or even just a song you both enjoy listening to. By doing so, you will be creating an even more special moment to share for the rest of your lives together.
- 2. Embroidered ring pillow: Before sending your ring barer

down the aisle, surprise everyone by having a meaningful quote from your vows embroidered or needlepointed onto the pillow. Every time you look at the pillow, you and you love will remember those beautiful, sacred vows, keeping your love strong and timeless.

3. Guilty pleasure station: You have been dieting for months, hoping to look great in your wedding dress. Well, the day is here and you look amazing—now it's time to indulge! Set up a 'guilty pleasure' food station at the reception. Serve chicken finger, macaroni and cheese, potato skins—all your favorite guilty pleasures. All of your guests will love the cute and unique idea—and their stomachs will enjoy it too.

How did you make your wedding unique? Share in the comments below.

LeAnn Rimes and Eddie Cibrian Celebrate Their Second Anniversary





By Meghan

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According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, singer LeAnn Rimes and husband Eddie Cibrian celebrated their second wedding anniversary with a low key dinner in Toronto, Canada last Monday. <u>PerezHilton</u> reported that Rimes, 30, tweeted about her evening, saying, "Beautiful anniversary, low key and lovely. Thx for all your sweet well wishes." The cake read, "If you break down, I'll drive out and find you. Happy 2nd anniversary."

What are some surprises you can plan for your anniversary?

Cupid's Advice:

Planning for any anniversary can be pressure-filled situation. Throwing a surprise in there does not make it any easier. Cupid has some more advice:

1. Dinner date: Does your partner love to get dressed up in their favorite Ralph Lauren dress and hit the trendy bar down the street? Or the Swedish night club three blocks down? If they enjoy these things, they will enjoy going out to dinner for your anniversary. Surprise your mate with a romantic dinner on your anniversary and top it off with a trip to their

favorite night spot.

- 2. Bubble bath: Who doesn't enjoy a soothing bubble bath with the love of their life? For your anniversary, plan a romantic champagne filled bubble bath with your partner. Leave a trail of rose petals from the door to the bedroom, to the bath. Have two bottles of champagne by the side of the tub. Add smoothing music, or your mate's favorite music as they walk in the door.
- 3. First date: Recreate your first date with your partner for a surprise anniversary. It will show your mate how much you care and love them. It will show your beau that you fully remember your first date and are willing to recreate it for an anniversary. Do everything you did on the first date and sit back for the results.

Have you planned surprises for your anniversary? Share below.

Real Housewives Star Gretchen Rossi Proposes to Slade Smiley





By Meghan

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<u>People</u> confirms that <u>Real Housewives</u> star Gretchen Rossi recently proposed to longtime boyfriend, Slade Smiley, and he said "yes." Her marriage proposal to her mate will be televised on <u>Bravo</u>. "I've never been so overwhelmed with just sheer joy and happiness!" Rossi tells <u>Life & Style</u>. A source said, "Gretchen always does everything out of the box, so no one is too surprised she was the one who proposed. She really wants kids with Slade, so that was a big motivator."

What are some unique ways a woman can propose to a man?

Cupid's Advice:

Even though it is not as common for a woman to propose to a man, there are still numerous ways to carry it out. Let your creativity flow and think about your mate when you have the proposal in mind. Cupid has some tips:

1. Take it back: When proposing to your beau, keep in mind all of the times you've had together. Travel back in time to your first date, your third anniversary, or your first Christmas dinner together. Make it memorable by sharing emotions, feelings and events you have attended together. This is a laid

back and creative way to show your partner how much you love them.

- 2. Stand tall: You are proposing to your man, so this is not the norm and this whole event is unique. When asking your partner to marry you, remain confident. Don't back down, and do not stray away from what you want to do. Stand tall.
- 3. Don't rush: When preparing to propose to your man, do not rush it. It is essential that you plan out the proposal just the way he would like. If he is more low key and mellow, plan something personal. If he enjoys extravagant parties and surprises, put your back into it and plan the proposal to the ground. It doesn't have to be perfect, but it does have to be heartfelt.

Have you proposed to a man before? Share your experience below.

Poppy Montgomery Welcomes a Baby Girl





By Meghan

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Poppy Montgomery, who stars in *Unforgettable*, and her boyfriend, Microsoft executive Shawn Sanford welcomed their first child last Monday April 22nd, according to *People*. The couple welcomed daughter Violet Grace Devereux Stanford at 7:57 a.m., weighing in at 6 lbs, 12 oz. and measuring 19.5 inches long. According to *E! Online*, the pair released a statement, saying: "Overjoyed with the arrival of our beautiful angel and filled with gratitude that she is happy, healthy and thriving."

How do you support your partner through an unplanned pregnancy?

Cupid's Advice:

Unplanned pregnancies are obviously surprises. They are not expected nor are they always easy to handle, so it's important to have a support system. Cupid has some advice:

1. Family: Your partner is going to need support through their unplanned pregnancy. Family members tend to dish out a lot of stress, as they tend to smother the mom-to-be. They want to know every single detail of the pregnancy and don't expect you

to keep secrets. It's important to stand by your partner to block some of this onslaught.

- 2. Every step: Be by the side of your mate through every step of the pregnancy. Attend doctors appointments, and put pictures up on your fridge. Talk to your family about every aspect of the pregnancy and be the person people go to for help. Be the rock to your partner's pregnancy.
- 3. Lend your shoulder: Because unplanned pregnancies are unexpected, your partner may be on an emotional rollercoaster each and every day. You may not be able to do anything to change the situation, but you can certainly lend an ear (or a shoulder) and be someone they can confide in.

Have you supported your partner through an unplanned pregnancy? Share your experiences below.

Perez Hilton Opens Up About Fatherhood





By Lisa Estall for

CelebrityBabyScoop

New dad <u>Perez Hilton</u> attended the launch of <u>Paul Frank's 2013 Summer Collection Event: Let's Have A Fun Day!</u> at the W Hotel in Hollywood, Calif. last Monday (April 8). The party included an interactive photo booth, mini-manicures, braid bar, personal fragrance station, make up station, and VIP eyewear station. Custom summer beverages and appetizers were served as guests took part in the night's activities.

Celebrity Baby Scoop spoke exclusively to Perez — who welcomed his **son Mario Armando Lavandeira, III,** or **Perez Hilton Jr.** — on February 16.

CBS: What is your favorite part about being at this event?

PH: I am a fan of Paul Frank and I am here because I got invited. [laughs] It's fun to get out of the house and I try to get out a couple of times a week because I have a baby now. He is on a schedule, which is very helpful. He's napping right now and I'll stay here for like 45 minutes then I'm going back for nighttime feeding, bath time, and bedtime.

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CBS: Tell us about your fatherhood experience thus far.

PH: Being a father is awesome and everything I could have hoped for and more.

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CBS: What do you have planned for this summer?

PH: I plan on just being here with my baby and not traveling much. I really have nothing planned, which is exciting.

Perez also has been sharing photos of his son on his <u>Facebook</u> page. What a cutie!

Sharon Osbourne Says She's 'Devastated' by Ozzy's Drug Relapse





By Andrea

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Sharon Osbourne recently spoke out about her husband, Ozzy Osbourne's prescription drug and alcohol abuse problem on an episode of her talk show *The Talk*. "Everybody knows he's been struggling with this his entire life and I never knew that he was using prescription drugs," she said, according to <code>UsMagazine.com</code>. "I knew he was drinking occasionally, but I didn't realize to what extend. It's our business — we're dealing with it. We're not getting divorced. However, am I happy? No. Am I upset? Yes, I am — I'm devastated right now. He's been using alcohol and prescription drugs for the last year-and-a-half...and he has been in a very dark place. That's true. It's very true. It's a disease that not only hurts the person that has the disease but it hurts the family," she continued. "It hurts people that love you and we're dealing with it."

How do you help your partner fight an addiction?

Cupids Advice:

Your partner has a serious addiction and you want to help them get over it. How can you do that? Find out below:

- 1. Tell them to quit: Tell your partner that you want them to stop. Tell them you want them to get help, and let them know you will be there for them throughout the process.
- 2. Be supportive: Find out what you can do to help them quit. Ask professionals what steps you should take from whatever program your sweetheart chooses to go through. Be there for them to show them you believe in them and you have hope for them. Don't let them give up on themselves.
- **3. Remove stressors:** Try to remove any stressors or triggers that will make them run back to their addiction. They are at a delicate moment in their lives so they need to be treated with care.

How did you help your partner fight their addiction? Comment below and let us know.

'Ready for Love' Stars Ernesto Arguello and Ben Patton Discuss Reality Dating





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These reality dating shows are not as simple as they look. According to Ernesto Arguello and Ben Patton from *Ready for Love*, it actually entails a lot more heartache than television networks let on. "It is more stressful going to that garden than anything else," Arguello tells *People*. Both him and Patton agree that letting women go is a difficult experience. "The garden is unreal," says Patton. "You're essentially breaking up with someone. You're not just saying, 'Hey, here's a rose for you. And you guys didn't get a rose,' and walk off." They also have to deal with the challenges of the kissing scenes. "It's like hearing your own voice on voicemail," says Patton.

What are some non-traditional ways to find love?

Cupid's Advice:

It's not easy to find love. Going out and meeting people is getting more and more difficult to do. What are some other ways that we can find love? Cupid has some suggestions for you:

1. Online: Some people don't have time to go out and meet

people, and others may be too shy. Online dating sites are a great resource and sigles are starting to use them much more often. There are so many types of dating sites to choose from that you are bound to find someone who meets your criteria.

- 2. Social Media: While Facebook and social media sites are a great way to keep in contact with friends, some use it as a way to meet people and start new relationships. Technology has become such a big part in our everyday lives that meeting your future spouse on Facebook is as casual as meeting them in a coffee shop.
- **3. Speed dating:** By attending a speed dating session, you are able to meet different people in a matter of minutes to see if they are worth going out with on a (second) date. This is helpful if you are normally too busy to be able to go out and meet people.

What are some non-traditional ways that you found love? Comment below and let us know.

Find Out About Katherine Russell Tsarnaev, Boston Marathon Bomber's Wife





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Katherine Russell grew up in Rhode Island and went to college at Suffolk University in Boston. She was from a Christian household and graduated top in her class from her high school. Her plan was to join the Peace Corps, but all of that changed when she met Tamerlan Tsarnaev, according to *People*. Now, she is known as the Boston Marathon Bomber's widow. It all started when she went to a nightclub and one of her girlfriends introduced her to Tsarnaev. She dropped out of school, converted to Islam, and married Tsarnaev in June 2010. She moved in with his parents and his brother. The couple gave birth to a daughter, but the birth date remains unknown. After giving birth, Katherine worked long hours as a home health care aide while Tsarnaev stayed home and took care of their daughter. "She really loved the work," says a family source. "I think it was the one thing she could do separately from him." Katherine's attorney states that she was unaware of the plans of the bombing.

What do you do if your partner does something of which you don't approve?

Cupid's Advice:

You love your man and you always thought the two of you had a future together. Then, one day, he does something that is against your values and morals. What should you do? Cupid has some advice:

- 1. Why: Try to listen to why your partner did what they did. Listen to their reasoning and see if they had a legitimate reason for making the move that they did. If they did something that is forgivable, then try to see it from their point of view. If what they did is not forgivable, you need to reconsider the person you are with.
- 2. Talk to him: Tell them you do not approve of what they did. Let them know it is not acceptable in your mind and they can not do things that you are uncomfortable with. If they love you, they will respect that you don't approve and they won't do it.
- 3. Leave: Do not stay with them if they are doing something that is really against your beliefs and is not willing to refrain from doing it for you. Your comfort, beliefs, and self respect is much more improtant than being in a relationship.

What would you do if your partner does something that you do not approve of? Comment below and let us know!

Katy Perry Calls Divorce From Russell Brand a 'Very Tiny Elephant'





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<u>UsMagazine.com</u> reports that a year after her divorce, the 28 year-old singer, Katy Perry is now more comfortable talking about her past relationship. According to <u>Hollywood Reporter</u>, Perry stated, "It's a very tiny elephant . . . It's like a little Tchotchke now," referring to her divorce. "The Big D — you can say it." Since her split with Brand, Perry has been in an on-and-off again relationship with John Mayer.

How do you cope with the aftermath of a split?

Cupid's Advice:

Coping with the aftermath of a split is not always the most graceful or welcoming thing to do in life. Although it is not an ideal situation, it is best to pick yourself up and move on. Of course moving on is one of the hardest aspects of life. But you can make it work, and eventually you will. Cupid has some more advice:

- 1. Get rid of belongings: So you just had a split from your partner, what is the next step you might ask. Get rid of everything they ever gave to you. You will never be able to even begin the coping process if you are frequently seeing him all over your room, and your house. Either give their belongings back, or be a dramatic rom-com and burn it all. The burning part releases some repressed emotions so if that's you, go purge.
- 2. Stay busy: Make sure you keep yourself busy with anything besides thinking of your split. Call your parents. Call your friends. Make lunch plans and follow them. Don't stay inside day and night. Get there and experience life. Even if your life may seem like it's over, it is not. Do not be a hermit, go and be with other people. Always try to be with other people after a breakup.
- 3. Rebound: You just went through a breakup, go and rebound it up. Of course it is not really healthy, and you may feel crappy about yourself afterwards. But you will get your mind off of your ex. This rebound relationship is a distraction from your life and thoughts about your past relationship. It's a quick fix, and something fun to do while your heart is trying to mend together.

Have you coped with the aftermath of a split? If so, how? Explain below.

Insiders Say Taylor Swift Was "Really Bitter" That John

Mayer Performed at the AMAs





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April 7th was the night of the Academy of Country Music Awards, and 22 year-old singer, Taylor Swift was spotted in a eye-capturing gold dress and was planning on performing with Keith Urban and Tim McGraw. *UsMagazine.com* reports that Swift's ex, John Mayer took the stage first at the event in Las Vegas. According to *PerezHilton*, a source revealed, "She said she had to go on earlier than him. John just being there irked her." Apparently Swift put a "stink" on about her exboyfriend's performance.

What are some ways to let go of a past relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Letting go of a past relationship isn't easy to do. You most likely still cling on to text messages, what ifs, old clothes, every minute thing about them. This is not the ideal situation

to be in, however, it's realistic. Their are numerous ways to let go of this relationship. Although it is hard to do, it's possible. Cupid has some more advice:

- 1. Closure: To completely let go of a past relationship, you will need closure. You may not wish to speak to your ex whatsoever but you need to. It is essential that you discover what went wrong and why you officially let things end. Give your ex any belongings you may have of theirs. It will make you feel better by not seeing them. If you must, delete them from social media sites, your phone. Any thing you have to do to not see them in your life.
- 2. Forgiveness: A key component of letting go is to forgive not only yourself, but your ex. If you think there is no forgiveness to be had, think again. The countless nights you spent obsessing about your relationship, the amount of Ben & Jerry's consumed, the fights you may have got into. Forgive yourself for all of them, you are human and are allowed to feel. Even if you don't wish to forgive your ex, do it. It makes the moving on process quicker.
- 3. Focus on yourself: You need a time period after your breakup to focus solely on yourself. It is essential for letting go. Take a day off of work and your daily responsibilities to go to the spa, or walk around the park. Treat yourself to a new gift. Call your parents. Figure out what you want here on out relationship wise. Make sure you are ready to get into a relationship before you hop onto a new mate.

How have you let go of relationships? Share your experiences below.

Celebrity Divorce: Porsha Stewart Admits She Learned Kordell Stewart Filed for Divorce Via Twitter





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Porsha Stewart did say that she was shocked when her husband filed for divorce, and she really meant it. On <u>Watch What Happens</u> Sunday April 21st, Porsha discussed her split with NFL star Kordell Stewart. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, the <u>Bravo</u> star awoke from a nap to find numerous calls from her sister. Her sister asked if she found out. Stewart had no idea it was about her relationship until she hopped out <u>Twitter</u>. 'Kordell divorcing Porsha,'" she said. "And I'm like this is just a crazy joke . . . I found out from Twitter."

How do you tell your partner you want a divorce?

Cupid's Advice:

Obviously it is not easy to tell your partner that you want a divorce. There are no shortcuts, or easy paths to take to try and beat around the bush. When telling your partner you want a divorce, you need to be honest and completely upfront with your partner. If you're not, your life could get messy. Cupid has some more advice:

- 1. Straight up: If you are going to tell your mate straight up if you want a divorce, don't hesitate or back out. You can not beat around the bush, you need to be honest and tell your partner what you're thinking. Be sensitive and thoughtful when telling your beau that you want to split up. Whatever you do, do not stray away from your decision because your mate wants to stay together.
- 2. Let the law speak for itself: If your relationship is on the rocks so much that you haven't been speaking to your spouse at all, it might be appropriate to have the divorce documents speak for themselves.
- 3. Leave a note: Write out what you want to say to your partner, and leave it behind. This may not be the best case scenario in certain situations. However, if you are in a abusive or unhealthy relationship and this is the only way to get out. Do it. Pack up all of your stuff, leave a note, and leave that life behind. If you are with someone who does not love you or wish to be with you every second of the day, leave. And never come back.

Have you told your partner you wanted a divorce? Explain your experience below.

Celebrity News: Scott Disick Discusses Having to 'Relive' Fights on TV





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Having your whole life broadcasted on national television can turn out to be a real struggle especialy in Scott Disick and Kourtney Kardashian's case reports <u>UsMagazine.com</u>. Having their love quarrels filmed for the whole world to see can be trying to their relationship even months after the acutal fight took place. "That, I will say, is one of the real downsides of the whole television thing," Disick tells Ryan Seacrest during an interview on *Ryan Seacrest With the Kardashians: An E! News Presentation*. "Just when I think we've worked through something, and we're finally moving forward, a

rerun will be on, and I'll be upstairs, and she'll call me," he continues. "Like, 'Hey, so I kinda forgot to say I hated you for this one other thing.' And I'm like, 'What? I have to relive this again?'" These lovebirds have been together since 2006. And how is their relationship going now? I would say we're decently happy," Disick tells Seacrest. And what about the wedding bells? "I think if it's not broke, don't fix it. You know what I mean?" he said. "I feel like I used to want to get married more than she did. And then, being that she was always so not interested, I've decided not to be." Kardashian and Disck are parents of son Mason, 3, an daughter Penelope, 9 months.

How do you forgive and move on after a fight?

Cupid's Advice:

After having a fight with your beau, you may still feel angry. You still love them but the words from the fight are still ringing in your ear and you can't get over it. How can you just forgive, forget, and move on? Cupid is here to help you do just that:

- 1. We are humans: Realize that fact that everyone is human and we all make mistakes. If the fight was over a minor issue that can be overlooked, then let is go by telling yourself that your sweetie is enititled to one or two mistakes. As long as your partner knows that it is wrong to do it again, no need to hold a grudge.
- 2. Part problems: Do not keep thinking of the past. If your honey made a mistake in the past that caused a fight, remember, you chose to stay with them and forgive them so you can not keep tormenting them about what they did. Just forget about what happened in the past and look towards the future. As long as your partner doesn't keep doing the crime, stop punishing them.

3. You love them: While in a fit of anger, remember why you love your sweetie. This will calm you down and realize that the fight does not matter to you as much as your love for them.

How do your forgive your partner after a fight? Share your thoughts below.