Joshua Jackson and Diane Kruger Show the Love at After Party





This weekend,

typically-private Diane Kruger came to the Broad Stage in Santa Monica to support her boyfriend Joshua Jackson, who was appearing in *The 24 Hour Plays*. Though they refrained from PDA during the red carpet event, the two were very passionate during the after party, spending time together in a quiet corner. A source told *People* that the two appeared to be "totally in love" and were "really sweet" to watch, making engagement rumors seem even more likely.

How do you show your partner you care in public?

Cupid's Advice:

We all want to let the people we love know that we care about

them. However, the ways to show this are very different in public than they are when you're at home. Kruger and Jackson set a great example of simple ways to share your feelings when you and your partner are out:

- 1. Simple PDA: Though it's best to save the sloppy makeout sessions for the privacy of your own home, there's nothing wrong with some simple and sweet kisses and handholding to show you care. Even just a glance into your beau's eyes can say a lot about how you feel toward them without disturbing others.
- 2. Support them: Just as Kruger came out to support Jackson in The 24 Hour Plays, you should make an effort to go to the events your partner feels are important. Being there for your partner shows both your sweetie and the rest of the world that your relationship is important to you.
- 3. Make time for yourselves: Even at a crowded party, there are ways that you and your partner can find a bit of privacy. Though it's great to be with a large group of people, try to spend some alone time with just your beau. Whether it's sitting in a secluded corner or taking a trip outside, making a little bit of time for just the two of you can show you care.

How do you let your partner know your feelings when you're in public? Leave a comment below.

Nikki Reed Says Having Kids

Right After Marriage is a Mistake





Nikki Reed is sure

that she and her husband, American Idol finalist Paul McDonald, want kids, just not any time soon. The 24-year old Twilight star told People that she thinks "it's a mistake for people to get married and then just [have kids right away]. I feel like it is the pressure of the family making them do it. We want to travel and be able to fly on an airplane without a baby and just have freedom." Of course, the couple's busy schedules are also major obstacles keeping them from having kids right now.

How do you know how long to wait to have kids after marriage?

Cupid's Advice:

It takes careful consideration, planning and commitment to decide to expand your family and have a baby with your

partner. Before you make this huge decision, make sure these things are in order:

- 1. Happiness: Before having children, ensure that you're not only largely happy with yourself, but also completely happy with your marriage. Many people think that having a baby can fix their relationship, but if you're not already happy, it will just create more problems.
- 2. Support: It takes more than two people to raise a child successfully. If you're considering having kids, make sure that you have a solid support system in line. Friends, neighbors and relatives can all help you when you need it and are all essential to being a good parent.
- 3. Finances: Most of all, a couple needs to make sure that their finances are in order. With an extra family member, you and your partner will need to buy everything from a crib to food, and these expenses won't go away when your baby becomes a child. Try to commit to at least 18 years of bills before you can even consider starting a family.

How did you know it was time to start a family? Share your experiences with a comment below.

Kim Kardashian and Kanye West Spend the Day in Paris





The new couple that

has been causing all the buzz, Kanye West and Kim Kardashian, was spotted together in one of the most romantic cities, Paris. West had just been returning to the City of Love for his 'Watch The Throne Tour' encore performance, and Kardashian joined him, according to <u>People</u>. The pair was staying at the Four Seasons Hotel George V and stepped out for brunch and dessert on Father's Day Sunday. West, 35 and Kardashian, 31 took a drive in a white Lamborghini convertible later that day, and sat in traffic for a while, but at least in each others' company.

What are some of the most romantic cities for couples?

Cupid's Advice:

- 1. Paris: There's a reason so many celebrity couples are spotted in Paris. Who wouldn't want to have a candlelit dinner and champagne under the Eiffel Tower? Also, with the charming cafes and beautiful buildings, the city is irresistible for love.
- 2. Venice: When people think of Venice, they think of a romantic ride on a gondola ride down a narrow quiet canal, while viewing the beautiful buildings around them with someone they love. And it's all too true!

3. Rome: This city is also an ancient beauty. Nothing sets the mood more than beautiful ancient art and a nice stroll down the lovely streets of Rome.

What places do you find to be the most romantic? Share your thoughts below.

Oprah Grills Kardashians on Kim's Brief Marriage to Kris Humphries





Oprah Winfrey

interviewed the entire Kardashian 'klan,' but it was Kim and her abrupt marriage to Kris Humphries that peaked her interests the most. Winfrey admits that she had never seen any of the Kardashian reality shows, making her question all the more why they have become such a cultural phenomenon and the cause of much media speculation. <u>People</u> reports that Winfrey took to Facebook to express her thoughts and wrote, "This interview I'd say was another level of forthrightness and honesty. Why did she leave after 72 days? Her answer leveled me." We'll have to wait for Kim to open up about her muchtalked-about divorce when the highly anticipated interview airs on OWN.

How do you avoid getting married before you're ready?

Cupid's Advice:

Many people like Kim Kardashian get lost in the fairytale perception of marriage when, like relationships, it comes with ups and downs for which you have to be prepared. Here are some ways to avoid rushing into marriage:

- 1. Don't say 'yes' just because your partner proposes: Proposals are most often unexpected, which means you don't have time to think about the consequences of your answer because you are caught up in the moment. If you feel any hesitation, do not say 'yes.' It doesn't mean you don't love your partner; the timing could be wrong. Explain your reasoning, and they will understand.
- 2. Focus on the present, not the future: When you've been dating someone, it's easy to get lost in the romance and talk about your hopes for the future. These talks could be giving your partner false hints and hope. Do not get carried away in talking about marriage and children to a person you are not sure you want to marry or have kids with.
- 3. Set a goal: Set a goal, and stick to it. Plan a certain age that you would like to be married so that when the time and age comes, you will know you are making a reasonable decision.

How would you avoid getting married too early? Tell us below.

'Bachelorette' Contestant Ryan Calls Emily Maynard a "Trophy Wife"





On Monday night's

Bachelorette, suitor Ryan had a few words to say that Emily Maynard was not too pleased about. On their one-on-one date, he called Maynard a "trophy wife," to which she aptly responded, "Trophies don't talk back," according to <u>People</u>. Soon after, Ryan was sent home — not without protest, of course.

What are some warning signs that your partner views you as a prize?

Cupid's Advice:

Every girl wants to be placed on a pedestal by her partner. However, sometimes being seen as special can get out of hand, and soon your partner is treating you like an object. Here are some warning signs that your partner views you as a prize:

- 1. He's controlling: If your significant other is controlling the way you dress or act, you need to leave immediately. He isn't seeing you for the person you are, but rather the partner he'd ideally like to have so he can't really love you for you.
- 2. He calls you "mine": There is nothing sweeter than the person you're dating telling you "I'm yours." However, once they're calling you theirs, they're claiming you as property rather than a person to be loved.
- **3. He uses you:** A deadbeat boyfriend who's always coming to you for money (and other assets) only sees you as a walking ATM. There's no chance for a real relationship in that situation.

What are some ways to prevent being treated like a prize? Tell us your story below.

Chris Brown and Drake Reportedly Brawl Over Rihanna





Early this Thursday,

the entourages of singers Chris Brown and Drake got into a massive and violent fight at W.i.P., a downtown NYC club. Though the two singers never attacked each other directly, their posses traded blows and Brown was cut by a bottle thrown in the process. Most suspect that this brawl broke out over Rihanna, whom the two have both been romantically linked to in the past. A source told <u>Us Weekly</u> that although Rihanna is very glad she wasn't there, she "loves this drama" and, after speaking to Brown and Drake, still "thinks it's crazy."

What do you if someone you're interested in has another admirer?

Cupid's Advice:

It's always hard when a crush seems to have feelings for someone else, but if you approach the situation carefully, you'll find that you're very capable of winning out or moving on. Here are some tips for doing those:

1. Sort out your feelings: When you realize that someone else likes the same person you do, take the time to rethink your situation. Do you genuinely want to be with your crush, or are you just pining for them because they might become unavailable? If you're only acting out of jealousy, it's time

to move on to another person.

- 2. Approach your crush: If you've realized your feelings for someone are strong and genuine, then the easiest way to ensure they end up with you and not someone else is to ask them on a date. Don't sit around and wait for them to come to you if you really care about them. If things go well, you shouldn't have to worry about their other admirers.
- 3. Be ready to move on: When someone has another admirer, there's always a chance that they will end up with them instead of you. Make sure you remember that there are always other people out there if things don't work out.

Have you ever had to compete for a crush with another admirer? Tell us what you did below.

'The Bachelorette' Season 8, Episode 6: The Dos and Don'ts of Trusting Your Gut





By Marni Kinrys, of

WingGirlMethod.com

If there is one thing I can say about Emily Maynard, it's that she has a super human strength for trusting her gut, instead of listening to her heart. This is a skill set that most women do not have but should definitely work on developing.

Just as the men on 'The Bachelorette' rewarded her for seeing through Ryan's suave exterior, I want to do the same. Emily is a woman who knows what's best for her long term and I can't help but have extreme respect for her, if not a little crush.

This super power that Emily possesses, is learnable and something that all women need to focus on. It will stop them from falling for jerk's and d-bags.

Here is my list of Do's and Don'ts for Trusting Your Gut:

Do Not — Keep a man in your life because you think they're awesome. One of the worst things for men is being stuck in the friend zone. It's basically like kicking them in the balls day after day after day. I am so happy Emily was honest with Travis and let him go before his feelings got more intense. I know it hurt Travis in the moment, but in the long run it will help him tremendously. His heart was blocked and closed off

for two years. I think it will now be open again.

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Do — See past a few insecure flaws. I wanted to yank Doug out of my TV, give me 30 minutes of coaching and then sit him back on that couch with Emily. I'm not 100% of this but I think Doug is the kind of guy that's a gentleman, until given permission not to be. I am so happy Emily kept him around, to explore who he is for one more week. But, if he does not get his act together next week, she's going to have to set him free. Which will be a shame, because he is a solid man that I think would make Emily very happy. Show her the Grrrr...... Doug!!

Do Not — Be swayed by words of persuasion. I was so nervous for Emily when Ryan kept talking to her, using persuasive tactics, after she said she would not be giving him rose. YES there was some sincerity from Ryan's end, but I believe those emotions were driven from the pain of losing the competition rather than losing Emily. You could tell she was so torn, but fighting what her libido wants vs. her heart. I'm glad she chose to let him go. It will give her more space to let the other men into her life.

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Do — Ask the tough questions. Emily is the queen of understanding that if you want to know something, you gotta to ask to hear it. I know I was not alone when I was shocked by her interaction with Doug. Wow!! She asked for him to open up and he did. Every day women may be missing out because some great men don't show you their greatness until you deserve to see it.

Emily is helping women see the importance of selecting a GOOD, solid partner. A message that I feel is lost in most Bachelor seasons. Keep up the good work Emily. I truly believe you are

EXCLUSIVE: 'Bachelor Pad 2' Winner and Newlywed Holly Durst Tells Us About Her "Perfect" Wedding and Honeymoon





By Whitney Baker

Fans know Holly Durst as the bubbly winner of 'Bachelor Pad

2,' but now, she's content just being a newlywed. Durst and Blake Julian, who met while competing on the reality show, tied the knot in South Carolina on June 2, 2012. The big day was perfect and more than she ever imagined. "I'm so happy! I love married life. It's just the best," she gushes.

Durst says her best piece of advice for brides-to-be is to hire a wedding planner. She adds, "I planned my whole wedding on Pinterest. I wanted to make sure that I remembered all of the little things."

For Durst, it was those small details that made the day so special. Even her wedding dress had a personal touch. She always thought she'd wear a Cinderella gown, but she tried "so many of them on and always felt overwhelmed." Her final pick, however, was the perfect fit. "It elongated my already long body. I made it my own by removing the rhinestones and adding a sash."

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Surprisingly, Durst's favorite moment of her wedding happened before the ceremony. "Blake and I both were in the same room, but we couldn't see each other — there was a wall in between us. We got to reach around and pray together right before the wedding," she reveals.

Even though Durst was the star of the show, she wanted to make sure that her guests felt loved too — especially the single ladies. She added a personal touch to the bouquet toss, making the lucky girl who caught it feel even luckier. "I wrote a little note and stuck it in the flowers," she shares. "I told her to be patient, and when she finds love, it's going to be perfect. I hope that, someday, she experiences the same love that I have with Blake."

As for their honeymoon in St. Lucia, Durst says, "It was so good! I didn't want to come back."

The couple took a very practical approach to planning their trip. First, they wanted to stay in the same time zone. She tells us, "We thought about Fiji or Bora Bora, but we would've wasted so much time traveling. The Caribbean was a perfect choice."

Plus, Durst let Julian make most of the decisions. "He actually did all of the searching, and I just okayed things," she says. "I planned a wedding, so I let him plan the honeymoon!"

During their time in St. Lucia, the couple enjoyed the amenities at an all-inclusive resort. They signed up for "everything" — pool and beach volleyball, paddleboard racing, ping-pong. They even rallied the other honeymooners into playing too. Durst explains, "One day, we left the resort and did an excursion around the island. We came back, and everyone was like, 'No one did anything today because you guys weren't around!' We were the ones grabbing other people to join."

Now that they've returned from paradise, it's back to reality. As they settle into life as man and wife, they are keeping busy. According to an interview with Wetpaint, Durst, who has no desire to film her love life for reality television anymore, revealed that she would love to be a judge on 'Bachelor Pad 3.' However, when we asked her about any upcoming plans to do so, she simply replied, "No." Perhaps she changed her mind when ABC announced that ex-fiancé Michael Stagliano would be one of the cast members.

As for tuning in to watch the show? Durst hesitantly replied, "We'll see. I have so much to do!"

You can keep up with Durst on Twitter and her personal website, HollyDurst.com. Be sure to check out her new children's book 'Chocolate Socks' as well. Congratulations to the happy couple!

Cupid wants to know: Will you be watching 'Bachelor Pad 3'

Justin Bieber Rents a Helicopter for Romantic Ride with Selena Gomez





Justin Bieber makes

his mark as the king of romance once again when it comes to his pop star girlfriend Selena Gomez. The 18-year-old treated his lady to a lovely helicopter ride in Toronto on Saturday while the two were in town to perform at Sunday night's MuchMusic Awards. According to <u>People</u>, a source from Toronto says their five-star date in the air was "a relaxing and romantic break from work" and the two "were very excited." The couple's helicopter ride adds to a long list of unique dates Bieber has planned for Gomez since the teen stars started

dating publicly last January. With that said, the next date the Biebs will plan is sure to be a step up from the rest.

How do you show your mate you care with a grand gesture?

Cupid's Advice:

The best way to show someone how much you care is through your actions. Here are some tips to effectively get your deepest feelings across without saying a word:

- 1. Plan a surprise: Surprises are extremely thoughtful and show how much you value the happiness of the one you love. Surprise your sweetie with tickets to their favorite concert or even a trip to their favorite place.
- 2. Breakfast in bed: Take the time to cook a wonderful meal first thing in the morning. Show them you thought of them before they ever stepped out of bed.
- **3. A thoughtful gift:** Buy a gift your honey has wanted for quite some time. Not only will the purchase show you that listen to them, but it'll show you care enough to follow through.

What grand gesture would you use to show how much you care? Share your ideas with us.

Julianne Hough Proclaims Love for Ryan Seacrest On Air





Julianne Hough has

nothing to hide when it comes to the love she has for her man. The *Rock of Ages* star declared her love for boyfriend Ryan Seacrest on Friday while promoting her new musical movie on his radio show. According to *People*, 22-year old Hough closed the flirty interview with a simple, "Alright. Love you. Bye" after Seacrest complimented the movie and shared how proud he was of his gorgeous gal. The radio host was later teased by members of his staff for not returning the 'I love you.' But between Seacrest's praise over his girlfriend and Hough's declaration, love seems to be the least of their worries.

What are some ways to tell your partner you love them for the first time?

Cupid's Advice:

Telling your significant other you love them for the first time is a huge step in any relationship. Here are some tips to help you communicate your feelings in the best way:

1. Go on a special date: Plan an amazing, romantic date that

sets the mood for what you want to say. Show your honey how the night is different from the rest.

- 2. Present a nice gift: Great gifts can easily serve as an 'I love you.' Imprinting those three magic words on a piece of jewelry can be a unique way to always remember the moment.
- **3. Invite them to meet your family:** Show your sweetie how important they are by allowing them to meet your family. A family dinner is a great step to take right before you say 'I love you.'

How did you tell your other half you love them for the first time? Share your story with us.

Giveaway: Towne & Reese Jewelry — As Seen on 'The Bachelorette' Star Emily Maynard





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By Whitney Baker

If you've been watching this season of 'The Bachelorette,' you've surely taken note of Emily Maynard's fabulous wardrobe. Week after week, she continues to impress us with her easy sense of style, transitioning effortlessly from date to date. Whether she's wearing jean shorts and a crochet sweater for a day by the water or a one-sleeve gown at the Rose Ceremony, one thing remains the same: her eye-popping jewelry. And now, CupidsPulse.com readers have the opportunity to win one of two Towne & Reese jewelry giveaways OR receive 15 PERCENT OFF the entire Towne & Reese collection, including the highly-anticipated Fall 2012 Collection, from Pea Pod Paper & Gifts. Use the discount code cupidspulse at checkout.

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Giveaway ends at 5pm on Monday, July 9th so act quick!

Congratulations to our winners, and thank you to everyone who signed up!

Ashley Grulich won the Daisy Turquoise Ring, and **Elizabeth Gottier** won the Brooke Earrings in either Mint Green or Crystal.

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Series Premiere of 'Miss Advised': Love Is in the Air





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In the premiere of Bravo's new docu-series 'Miss Advised,' three single relationship experts can't seem to practice what they preach. The show follows Julia Allison (Los Angeles), Emily Morse (San Francisco) and Amy Laurent (New York) as they struggle to stay afloat in the deep-end of the dating pool. Each of the girls is a highly-regarded expert when it comes to giving romance advice, but they are admittedly not the best at following it. Take a sneak peak below.

Watch: Julia's 73 point checklist for her lovers.

Watch: Sex with Emily.

Watch: Amy sets the rules but then breaks them.

Bravo Sets A Date With New Docu-Series "Miss Advised"





"Miss Advised" Premieres Monday, June 18 at 10PM ET/PT

Bravo Media premieres "Miss Advised," a docu-series about three single relationship experts who make a living dispensing dating advice, but struggle to make their own love connections. The series follows Julia Allison in Los Angeles, Amy Laurent in New York City and Emily Morse in San Francisco, as they maneuver through the dating world disregarding their own advice. When it comes to falling in love, these experts need to practice what they preach.

In the premiere episode, dating columnist Julia Allison makes a big move to Los Angeles on a quest to find Mr. Right. With a 73-point checklist to guide her, Julia is ready to settle into the storybook romance of her dreams. Matchmaking maven Amy Laurent has built an empire in New York City by bringing perfect matches together all thanks to "The Rules." But when an old flame comes back to town, she struggles to follow her own guidelines. Radio host and sex expert Emily Morse proclaims that monogamy is an epidemic, but when her happily-married brother comes to visit, Emily admits that she would be open to falling in love.

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"Miss Advised" cast includes:

Julia Allison

Julia Allison is a columnist, television personality, Internet entrepreneur, public speaker and unabashed social media junkie. A media and relationship expert, Allison has made over 1,000 television appearances on every major network and has written for publications such as Newsweek, New York Magazine, Huffington Post, Cosmopolitan, The Chicago Tribune, Teen Vogue and The New York Post.

Amy Laurent

As the founder and president of the exclusive Amy Laurent International matchmaking agency for the past six years, Laurent has maintained an 85% success rate finding her clients serious relationships within 3 months. She has been featured in publications such as The New York Times, Miami Herald, Oprah Magazine, Men's Health, and Cosmopolitan, and is widely

regarded for her professionalism and personal ability to make her clients feel at ease. Laurent's first book "Eight Weeks to Everlasting — How to Get (and Keep) the Guy You Want" will be released in summer 2012.

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Emily Morse

Emily Morse is the host of "Sex with Emily," a live radio show and top downloaded podcast on iTunes. Morse has appeared as a guest expert on countless radio and television shows, as well as been featured in The New York Times, Los Angeles Times and San Francisco Chronicle.

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RHONY: The Real Housewives of New York City Flirt With Each Other's Husbands





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Carole, a new housewife, openly comes on to Ramona's husband, saying that she only flirts with husbands when their wives are sitting with them. LuAnn and Ramona decide to make peace, but LuAnn suspects it won't last long. Heather also makes a point to invite only a few of the housewives to her next business trip to London. Check out the highlights for this week's episode below!

Watch: LuAnn's daughter deems her past the point of having kids.

Watch: Everyone's f*cked Harry.

Liam Hemsworth's Ex Speaks Out About His Engagement to Miley Cyrus





Liam Hemsworth and

Miley Cyrus may be marrying young, but they have support in the most surprising places. 22-year-old Hemsworth's exgirlfriend, Laura Griffin, admitted to <u>Celebuzz</u> that she's surprised, but happy for the couple. She said, "If they are in love and are happy why not? I'm very happy for him." Griffin and Hemsworth dated for six years before Hemsworth left her for Cyrus in 2009.

How do you handle an ex you're not over moving on with someone else?

Cupid's Advice:

It's tough to see someone you love being happy with someone

else. Here are some tips on how to handle an ex you're not over moving on:

- 1. Find your own happiness: You don't need one person to be happy and if they've moved on, they clearly don't need you. Find what makes you happy.
- 2. Don't burn bridges: Your relationship worked for a reason. Don't be afraid to make friends with your ex and their new partner. It may even be beneficial for you.
- 3. Take it in stride: It's time for self-improvement! Your ex moving on is a sign that it's time for you to move forward, too. Take steps for bigger, better things and new love.

How do you handle an ex you're not over moving on with someone else? Let us know in the comments below.

Chris Brown Watches Rihanna from Afar at NYC Club





Singers and exes,

Rihanna and Chris Brown are anything but predictable, making it difficult to keep up with their roller coaster relationship. What's known for sure about the pair is that both artists have an undeniable love for partying, so running into one another is inevitable. Last Monday night, the pop star was under her ex's surveillance, when they both showed up to the New York City hotspot, Avenue, reports <u>People</u>. Although Brown was reportedly surrounded by close friends drinking champagne and taking shots, he couldn't refrain from looking over to Rihanna's table, who apparently was with her latest suitor.

What are some ways to avoid an awkward confrontation with your ex?

Cupid's Advice:

Since you can't ban your ex from going to your favorite places, there's always a risk you'll run into him or her. Here are some ways to avoid confrontation if you happen to have a run in with a past flame:

1. Pretend you don't see them: This doesn't have to be as immature as it sounds. If you happen to notice your ex is at the same place you are, don't make it obvious. Discreetly keep

it to yourself; that way, if they see you, the ball is in their court.

- 2. Don't try to show off: The worst thing you can do is attempt to make your ex jealous by dangling a new prospect in front of him or her. This behavior will not only make you look silly, but your attempt will send a message that you're trying way too hard, which gives your past lover a reason to confront you.
- 3. Play it cool: Don't get upset or flustered and remember that they're most likely feeling the same uneasiness. Take a deep breath, smile and carry on as you were. A light conversation may be nice, but it's certainly not necessary.

What have you done to avoid an awkward confrontation with an ex boyfriend or girlfriend? Share below.

Kim Kardashian and Kanye West Buy His and Her Shoes





Kim Kardashian is

lucky to be in a relationship with Kanye West, if only for her love of shoes! According to <u>People</u>, Kardashian tweeted a picture of her and West wearing the highly sought after Nike Air Yeezy II, with the caption "His & Hers!#AirYeezys." West designed these limited edition sneakers that are going for a retail price of \$245, but are over \$90,000 on eBay. Even though adult men were camping outside of stores for these sneakers, it's the gal dating the designer, who's rarely spotted in anything but heels, who gets the first pair!

What are some ways to coordinate your style with your partner's?

Cupid's Advice:

- 1. Formal attire: It may sound cheesy, but why not relive some high school prom memories and match his tie to your dress? If you're going to a fancy event, coordinating your outfits can be fun and looks great in pictures.
- 2. Casual wear: If you and your man are going for a day time look, sport matching flannels. They're comfortable for him and can easily be dressed up with some jewelry for you.
- 3. Accessorize: Hats, scarves, and sunglasses are great items

that both you and your man can rock. Aviators look great on almost anyone, and you don't necessarily have to be going to a baseball game to wear the same cap.

What are some other ways to coordinate your style with your partner's? Tell us below.

Justin Theroux Says He's the 'Luckiest Guy in the World!'





Justin Theroux could

not be happier in his current relationship with Jennifer Aniston. "I always go to bed thinking I'm the luckiest guy in the world," he told *Extra*. The couple recently went on a romantic vacation to Paris together and where they were spotted linking arms as they walked past the Tuileries Gardens. Although Aniston is known for her rocky relationship

past, she insists that Theroux is nothing like Brad Pitt or John Mayer. "The relationship is completely different than the other ones," Aniston's friend told <u>UsMagazine.com</u>. "Everything about Justin feels right."

How do you show appreciation about being happy in a relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

- 1. Speak: You don't have to constantly tell your man how great he is, but every once in a while let him know how lucky you feel to be in such a great relationship. Remember to always be considerate about the little things, too. Say please and thank you, compliment him when it's deserved, and tell him you love him every day.
- 2. Go on dates: Remembering to spend time alone, no matter how busy each of you are, is the most important way to show you care. Go out to eat once in a while or take walks after dinner. Stay connected to each other by separating yourselves from everyone else.
- 3. Plan a surprise you know he'd like: Is your guy a huge Lakers fan? Get him tickes to the next game! Does he love going to the beach? Make a day of it. Even doing small things like stocking the fridge with his favorite beer or cooking his favorite dinner are great ways to show you care.

How do you show appreciation for your significant other? Share your advice below.

Leonardo DiCaprio and Erin Heatherton Enjoy an NYC Lunch Date





Leonardo

DiCaprio and his Victoria's Secret model girlfriend, Erin Heatherton, were spotted having a romantic lunch together in New York City's Candela restaurant on Monday. They were also spotted last week at Manhattan's Darby by a source for UsMagazine.com, who says the couple walked in "hand-inhand" and were "inseparable all night." This is DiCaprio's first serious girlfriend since Blake Lively, whom he split with last summer. DiCaprio and Heatherton seem happy and committed to spending time together despite their hectic schedules.

When are lunch dates more appropriate than dinner dates?

Cupid's Advice:

Even though it seems like a lunch date and a dinner date aren't that different, they can mean very different things. Sometimes, one is more appropriate than the other. Here are some tips on when to have a lunch date rather than a dinner date:

- 1. You're just friends: A lunch date is a lot more casual then a romantic dinner date in the candlelight. If you're not quite in to the other person romantically, lunch is the perfect time to just spend time with them.
- 2. You're still getting to know each other: If you've recently had a dinner date with someone and are interested in getting to know more about them, a lunch date says just that. It means you want to hang out with them during the day too, where a conversation doesn't have to necessarily have to take place with drinks.
- **3. You're in a relationship:** Lunch dates are especially good for partners who have been together for a while already. They give you time to spend time together during the day, which make them normal for longtime couples.

What are some other situations in which you think lunch dates are more appropriate then dinner dates? Tell us below.

George Clooney and Stacy Keibler Explore Lake Como, Italy





George

Clooney and Stacy Keibler are finding amore in Italy. The couple was spotted at Clooney's villa on Lake Como this week, enjoying the sun in a boat ride with friends, according to <u>People</u>. Clooney, 51, and Keibler, 32, have been dating since last summer. This isn't the couple's first romantic getaway: they recently visited Mexico as well.

Where are the most romantic travel destinations for new couples?

Cupid's Advice:

For a new couple, a passionate escape can really seal the deal on a relationship. Here are some of the most romantic travel destinations for new couples:

1. New Zealand: New Zealand is a wonderful place to explore with your love. Be adventurous and do things you've never done before. After all, bungee jumping was invented in New Zealand. If you don't feel so daring, you can relax and enjoy the beautiful scenery—and each other.

- 2. Ibiza: This Spanish island is the perfect place to party. Grab your honey and head to any of Ibiza's famous clubs to dance the night away.
- **3. Costa Rica:** Relax on both the Pacific and Atlantic coasts in Costa Rica. You can experience romance on the beach while you surround yourself with the culture.

What are your most romantic travel destinations? Let us know below.

Will Smith and Jada Pinkett Smith to Celebrate 15-Year Anniversary





For Will Smith and

his leading lady Jada Pinkett Smith, two kids and well over a decade of marriage are definitely worth celebrating... with a high-five and encouraging words like, "We survived another year, homie! Yeah!" according to Jada Pinkett. Come December, 15 years will have passed since the Hollywood parents exchanged their vows in a secret New Years Eve ceremony in 1997. The Madagascar 3 star credits much of their long-lasting marriage to being "the best of friends," telling People at the movie's premiere, "You have to be there for each other. That's how you build great relationships." Despite years of speculation and recent rumors that Mr. and Mrs. Smith are experiencing marital problems, the pair continues to go strong.

What are some ways to celebrate a milestone wedding anniversary?

Cupid's Advice:

Wedding anniversaries mark another unforgettable year spent with the one you love. There is no better way to celebrate your milestone anniversaries than with a meaningful occasion. Here are some ways to spend your special day:

- 1. Renewal of vows: Vows symbolize the love two people have for each other. Renewing vows will let your sweetie know how much you continue to love, cherish and appreciate their presence in your life.
- 2. Huge party: The best way to celebrate a milestone is to have not only your other half by your side, but family and friends as well. Their love and support for your marriage will make the day that much more special.
- 3. Romantic getaway: Travel time with your love is a great way to create a memory that you will never forget. The privacy and romance will allow you both to truly enjoy one another and explore new adventures together.

How would you celebrate a milestone wedding anniversary? Share your ideas with us.

Rumor: Are Katy Perry and Robert Ackroyd Back Together?





Chart-topping pop

singer Katy Perry's relationship may be back on with fellow musician Robert Ackroyd after their break-up less than a month ago. The 27-year old Perry gave the Florence and the Machine guitarist V.I.P. treatment during the Capital FM Summertime Ball in London on Saturday. A source tells <code>UsMagazine.com</code>, "Katy made a real fuss over him and made sure he was well looked after." The two were also spotted together earlier in the week meeting up after the pop star's taping on the <code>Graham Norton Show</code>. Perry and Ackroyd first went public with their

relationship back in March, just months after ex-hubby Russell Brand filed for divorce.

What are some things to consider about getting back with an ex?

Cupid's Advice:

Break-ups are beyond complicated, but sometimes getting back together can make them even worse. Here are some important things to remember to ensure you and your ex make it work the second time around:

- 1. Examine your feelings: Make sure getting back together is something you both truly want and for all the right reasons.
- 2. Start with a clean slate: Starting fresh is crucial in a recovered relationship. Leave the previous baggage and drama behind so you can move forward together.
- **3. Trust is a must:** Depending on how your relationship ended, ask yourself if you still trust this person. Without trust, a relationship never lasts.

What things have you previously considered before getting back with an ex? Share your stories with us.

Jennifer Aniston and Justin Theroux Show PDA in Paris





Celebrity lovebirds

Jennifer Aniston and Justin Theroux aren't afraid to show a little PDA. The two have recently been spotted on vacation together in Paris where an onlooker saw them hugging and kissing at the Charles de Gaulle Airport. The onlooker told <code>UsMagazine.com</code>, "They got airline priority to get through customs and security, but were in no hurry. They were just so happy to be together and starting a visit to Paris as a couple." The next day, Aniston and Theroux took a romantic stroll next to the Tuileries Gardens where Theroux held out an umbrella for them to share when it rained. This affectionate couple has been together for a year since costarring in <code>Wanderlust</code> together.

How much PDA is too much?

Cupid's Advice:

There is nothing wrong with showing love for your partner in public, but there is a line between affection and getting a room. Here are some ways to know your boundaries:

1. **Kissing:** A quick kiss like Kate Middleton and Prince Williams's wedding day kiss is an appropriate public display of affection. The longer the kiss, the more inappropriate it becomes. Don't be afraid to kiss, but do not go over-the-top.

- 2. Cuddling: Places like restaurants and park benches give couples a chance to cuddle in public. But, these public places should not mimic your at-home couch. Putting an arm around one another or holding hands while sitting side by side is just right. If you're sitting on top of your partner, you've gone too far.
- 3. Beware of your surroundings: If you're around a playground with children, even kissing could be too much PDA. Be wary of who you are with and what you are near, because you wouldn't want to make anyone feel uncomfortable or set a bad example.

How much PDA do you think is too much? Tell us below.

Blake Lively Says She Likes Guys Who Dress Well and Love Food





Blake Lively, who

has been linked to stars like Leonardo DiCaprio and most recently Ryan Reynolds, clearly has good taste in men. According to her, it all has to do with food and style. Lively recently told *Marie Claire*, "It's definitely attractive when a man can dress well. What I love most is when someone, guy or girl, is effortless and has this old-timey sort of feel [that] you could take a snapshot of them and they could exist in any time period." Reynolds has a great sense of style and must have a love of food, because Lively admits, "To be around me, you must love food or I'm the most obnoxious person you've ever met." *People* reports that Lively and Reynolds have been spotted together since fall of 2011.

How important is a potential partner's sense of style?

Cupid's Advice:

Style can be the first thing you notice in a potential partner. A neon shirt can mask a great personality and charm. Here are some reasons why it is important to follow fashion trends not only to be stylish, but to help your dating life:

1. Dates in public: If you dress poorly on a date, you'll not only make yourself look bad, but you will also embarrass your partner. How you dress is a reflection of who you are and what

your partner likes, and I'm sure your mate does not like pajama pants on a dinner date.

- 2. Instant Attraction: We're all a little picky when it comes to scoping out potential dates. You're initially attracted to physical details like a great smile, a certain kind of hair and style. When style is a major factor in judging potential partners, why wouldn't you want to dress nice? Better style leads to more dates.
- **3. Having fashion in common:** When you dress well, you most likely love to shop. If you and your partner are both stylish, shopping could become a great daytime date and something to bond over.

How important do you think a potential partner's sense of style is? Tell us below.