

# 5 Celebrity Couples Who Look Hot At The Beach



By [Katie Gray](#)

Travel season is in session! Now that the weather is getting colder, our favorite [celebrity relationships](#) have decided to flock to warmer weather on tropical vacation getaways. (Especially with the holidays and new year approaching, [celebrity couples](#) notably take trips during this time of the year.) Nothing says “I love you” better than spending time with your loved one in hot climates. Perhaps we will even see some destination celebrity weddings take place!

## Cupid has compiled five celebrity

# couples who look hot on the beach:

**1. [Bradley Cooper](#) & Irina Shayk:** Bradley Cooper is one of the highest paid and most recognizable actors in Hollywood. Since 2015, he has been in a celebrity relationship with model, Irina Shayk. The celebrity couple had some fun in the sun in Italy last year at the beach. She has graced the cover of *Sports Illustrated* before, and I'm sure these two will be soaking up the sun some more soon!

**2. Mark Wahlberg & Rhea Durham:** Mark Wahlberg is the man! You may know him from famous films like *The Departed* and *Planet of the Apes*, or from his music career as Marky Mark and the Funky Bunch. He also owns a chain of Wahlburgers restaurants, with his brothers, which they also have a reality show for. He's a husband to Rhea Durham and the pair have four children together. They spent some time in Barbados a couple of years ago in December together, and are bound to travel again during the winter. The celebrity couple has been spotted soaking up the sun on many occasions!

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**3. [Channing Tatum](#) & Jenna Dewan-Tatum:** Actors and dancers, Channing Tatum and Jenna Dewan-Tatum are such a cute married celebrity couple! They have been spotted at many pool parties and beaches through the years. They have indulged in getaways to the beach in Italy, as well. The dancing duo also are proud parents to a daughter, whom they have family days with. We're sure they will all have a family beach day in the future!

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**4. Miles Teller & Keleigh Sperry:** You may know actor Miles Teller from the *Divergent* series films or *The Spectacular Now*, to name a few. Since 2013 he has been in a celebrity

relationship with model Keleigh Sperry, and the pretty pair have spent some time at the beach. This low key couple are definitely in love!

**5. Gregg Sulkin & Bella Thorne:** Young love! Fellow actors, Gregg Sulkin and Bella Thorne, have been reportedly dating on and off for the last couple of years. They have been photographed enjoying the sunshine on several occasions. We hope their futures are smooth sailing, whether together or apart. Keep on the sunny side of life.

**Who are your favorite celebrity couples who enjoy beach days? Share your thoughts below.**

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## **Budget-Friendly Tips for Holiday Weddings**





By Cara Davis and Kayla Garritano

The countdown to the holidays has begun! The holiday season can be the only time of year that's simultaneously joyous and stressful. For some, this season will bring with it the event of a lifetime: a wedding. Those planning holiday winter weddings have several opportunities to save money and lessen the stress burden for themselves and their guests. You can be glamorous like a [celebrity wedding](#), but keep it all in a budget!

## These tips will be sure to give you a holiday wedding that won't break the bank!

**1. Deck the halls:** Most event locations will have already decked the halls for the holidays, allowing you to piggyback their efforts for a low-cost wedding. Go with Christmas hues of gold, red and green – or go for a silvery winter blitz. Strings of white Christmas lights will transform any room into a holiday paradise. Beautiful, and affordable.

**2. Silver bells:** Create budget large-scale ornaments as decorations using styrofoam balls. Spray-paint them and cover them in glitter. Or you can create groupings of bare branches spray-painted white and covered in silver glitter. Sounds like a winter wonderland! Paper ornaments can play as great wedding invitations or wedding favors.

**3. Seasons eatings:** Comfort food is a popular winter wedding choice (think soups, pasta, pot pies and mac-n-cheese). Don't shy away from cost-cutting measures like serving family-style or buffet. Consider a hot chocolate, cider, eggnog or coffee bar to which your guests can immediately help themselves (plus, you'll save hundreds by skipping the alcohol).

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**4. Marshmallow world:** Gingerbread houses make quaint table centerpieces, as do natural greenery and berries. Cocoa mixes or cookie cutters also make inexpensive wedding favors. You can also buy a bunch of marshmallows, chocolate and graham crackers to make a s'mores kit!

**5. Peace on Earth and online:** Couples are increasingly using online wedding planning tools, like creating or sending save-the-date and invitations online, personal websites and online RSVP services. They are also using social media to communicate wedding details. Brides and grooms also have the option of registering online for gift cards at sites like CardAvenue.com, which is a great option for guests already overwhelmed with holiday shopping lists.

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**6. Jingle Bell Rock:** If you chose to have your wedding around the holidays, it's likely a favorite time of year for you. As such, incorporating favorite holiday tunes into your wedding reception is a must, and a fantastic way to get your guests

into the holiday spirit. Pandora or Spotify are excellent, economical methods to pipe in some yuletide carols at the appropriate time during your reception.

If you had a holiday wedding, how did you save money? Comment below!

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# 10 Holiday Gift Ideas Your Special Someone Will Love Just in Time for Date Night



By Linda Guma and Kayla Garritano

The start of the holiday season means the inevitability of shopping for the perfect gifts for all of your loved ones. And with the holidays comes the romance. If you get to spend the holidays with that special someone, make sure it's one to remember. The more consideration you put into your present, the more meaningful it'll be. So, when you're on [date night](#) with your partner for a special holiday treat, make sure they open a present they'll be sure to love.

**If you're looking for gift ideas that don't involve the usual or traditional ugly Christmas sweater for your partner this year, Cupid is here with some relationship advice and ideas:**

**1. Personalized compilation:** Make a personalized CD or playlist for your partner by putting together his or her favorite tracks. Don't forget to include any romantic tunes that remind you of special moments you experienced together, such as your first slow dance. And, of course, mix it up with some holiday numbers, to celebrate with the joyous spirit.

**2. Customized calendar:** Nothing says "I care about you" more than something home made. With a new year fast approaching, a calendar can come in handy. Select 12 photos of you and your partner and paste them on the pages for each month. Circle important dates, and write headers for your anniversary, among other special occasions.

**3. Matching wrist watches:** This is a great way to punch up your style, as well as a guilt-free way of pampering yourself with a present. Buy matching watches and ask your jeweler to engrave a message on the back, such as your names and the

words “forever” and “always.”

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**4. Tickets to your favorite show:** If you’re really not into personalized gifts, you can always find a thoughtful way to experience something together. Buy two tickets to a show that you and your partner both love, whether it’s a movie, a concert or a ballet performance of *The Nutcracker*. Surprise your partner to a dinner at a [famous restaurant](#), followed by their favorite show.

**5. Photo frame collection:** It’s a simple idea, but a classic way to keep the loved ones close at hand. Buy your significant other a silver-plated frame, and insert a photo of the two of you. To make it extra mushy, inscribe “I love you,” or a love sonnet by your partner’s favorite poet.

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**6. Massage coupons:** A thoughtful way to express your love this holiday season is to create some free massage coupons. Your partner will surely appreciate them after a stressful day and finally get the chance to relax a little with you.

**7. Breakfast-in-bed tray:** You don’t have to rise and shine for this celebration. Treat yourselves to a bed tray and the luxury of having breakfast in bed together. Maybe pop in a movie and just cuddle under the covers!

**8. Vacation getaway:** Be spontaneous! Organize a weekend trip for two. Choose a tropical place to escape the winter chill or simply tour a neighboring town you’ve never visited. Your partner will appreciate your effort to plan the holiday trip. It’s a great way to get away from your daily routines and reconnect with your honey.

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**9. Get-out-of-chores passes:** Get your arts-and-crafts on by making some paper passes to let your partner skip out on their chores. You'll have to take over the cooking or cleaning probably, but it's a great way to show your love, and it can be a fun, goofy way to get out of something, all in good fun!

**10. Lovers pillowcases:** Get some personalized pillowcases to touch up your bed. For instance, you can get some signs embroidered that say "His" and "Her," or "Mr. Right" and "Mrs. Right." If you want to keep with the holiday theme, decorate it with some snowflakes and mistletoe. It's a different take on putting your face on a mug or a t-shirt. Make it your own!

**Got any creative ideas for what to get your partner this Christmas? Share your ideas below.**

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## Celebrity News: Best Ugly Christmas Sweaters





By [Katie Gray](#)

It's now sweater weather for our favorite celebrities and [celebrity couples](#). 'Tis the season to be jolly and take out your cute, ugly Christmas sweaters! Regardless of your religion and what holidays you celebrate, everyone likes to rock an "ugly Christmas sweater" in the winter time. In fact, it's super common to have these sweater-themed parties. Whether you're going to a party, a red carpet event, work or are staying at home, it's always fun to sport one of these looks during this time of the year. Deck the halls with lots of cozy, cute, ugly Christmas sweaters!

## Cupid has compiled the five best celebrity ugly Christmas sweaters:

**1. 5 Seconds of Summer:** Boy band 5 Seconds of Summer includes: Calum Hood, Ashton Irwin, Michael Clifford, and Luke Hemmings. Not only can they sing, but they can rock the ugly Christmas sweater look effortlessly! Last year at the huge Jingle Ball radio event, each member wore a personalized ugly sweater just

for the occasion!

**2. Harry Styles:** Pop singer Harry Styles enjoys a good, “Christmas jumper,” as he has posted previously on his Instagram. His name says it all – he has style – even in an ugly Christmas sweater!

**3. Sofia Coppola:** Film director and actress, Sofia Coppola, is all for a good theme. She directed the musical comedy “A Very Murray Christmas” in New York City, so she wore a Bill Murray ugly Christmas sweater to fit the theme! All is merry and bright indeed.

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**4. Tia Mowry & Cory Hardrict:** The celebrity couple that wears ugly sweaters together, stays together. Husband and wife, and fellow actors, Tia Mowry and Cory Hardrict both wore bold ugly Christmas sweaters on the red carpet last year to the premiere of “The Night Before” film.

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**5. Giuliana Rancic:** She’s a member of the *Fashion Police* on E!, but that doesn’t mean she minds wearing something outrageous from time to time. Giuliana Rancic, entertainment host, wore a Christmas sweater last winter in New York City for the Kohl’s Holiday Gifting Truck.

**What are your favorite celebrity ugly Christmas sweaters? Comment below!**

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# 5 Reasons To Play Hooky From Work With Your Honey



By Andrew Pryor and Kayla Garritano

You're at work, staring at your computer, avoiding the pile of papers sitting on your desk. Right now, all you're thinking about is an afternoon escape. If you're contemplating calling in sick or checking out early, see if you can plan a day with your partner so you can make it a "sick day" to remember. It's not like your work is going anywhere. Besides, what's a day off to have fun if your partner can't be there with you?

## Cupid has five reasons to hop the

# cubicle walls and give you some [date ideas](#) with your significant other:

**1. Celebrate a promotion:** If you've just picked up a new title and a pay raise, what better way to celebrate than to spend some time off with someone you love? They can sweep you away to a late lunch or a fancy dinner date where you can toast your latest success.

**2. Get an early start on happy hour:** It's five o'clock somewhere! If you leave work early, you should have plenty of time to hit your favorite bar. Meet your partner there and think back to the first time you bought him or her a drink. Nothing like some good drinks, a couple laughs and nice memories.

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**3. Adopt or create your own holiday:** Whether it's Talk Like A Pirate Day, Flying Spaghetti Monster Day or the birthday of a celebrity you've always worshiped, find a reason to celebrate, and take time off from work. You can keep the holiday going every year and create some unique traditions!

**4. It's a nice day outside:** Look out the window, feel the sunshine hitting your face and imagine lying in the grass with the love of your life. Life is too short to spend eight hours of your day indoors, so find an out-of-the-way spot that you and your honey can call your own.

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**5. No reason:** The best things in life are unexpected. Come home early and surprise your partner with a sensuous and lovely day together. Sometimes, you don't need an excuse to

spend a day away from work – you just need someone to make that day worthwhile...and maybe a 'broken' alarm clock.

Do you have any ideas about how to escape the workday with your partner? Share them with us in a comment below.

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## Relationship Advice: Does Time Apart Heal Betrayal?



By Dr. Jane Greer

Tiger Woods opened up about his relationship with ex-wife Elin Nordegren this week. The couple ended their [celebrity relationship](#) and marriage in 2010 after Tiger's cheating

scandal, but now they have managed to build an amicable friendship. With time, Elin seems to have gotten past the betrayal of her ex-husband's infidelity, which is a challenge for many couples. Tiger and Elin share two children, so this must be a welcome development for all of them.

**While some couples are able to find higher ground and continue to make their marriage work after an affair, others realize that the intensity of the pain of the incident is just too much and that they are better apart, as was the case for Elin and Tiger.**

Either way, initially there can be so much anger that it takes effort to not drag the children into it. This can be especially difficult if the spouses have parted and find themselves alone. The one who was betrayed feels that their whole world is turned upside down, and wants to get back at the person who did this to them and caused so much unhappiness. It is tempting to say terrible things about them to the people who are closest to you – your kids. The natural inclination is to want to get them on your side and have them take up arms against the person who caused this upheaval. The impulse to have the children understand what you are going through and why can be powerful.

How, then, can you avoid this urge, and instead let them know they still have two solid parents they can continue to depend on? How can you protect them from your own fury, and the negative energy that is coming from both sides, while

navigating your way to a place of, if not forgiveness, at least of tolerance and understanding? How can you lead them to a solid foundation of security so that even if there is trouble between parents, they know they can count on the fact that both mom and dad will continue to be stable forces in their lives?

Consider this [relationship advice](#). To begin with, understand that they are not the ones who should be supporting you through this. They need your support, so the goal is to try not to burden them with your rage. Of course, that is easier said than done. The first step is to find an outlet elsewhere because you will need to talk about it, and choosing people other than your kids to unload on is a great start. You can find solace and confide in anyone from a therapist or counselor to friends and other family members. Work to insulate your children so they don't have to go through the raw emotion that you are going through. Steer clear of sharing the bad things your spouse did to you with the kids as much as you can. Finally, give yourself time which will hopefully lessen the sharpness of the betrayal, and eventually allow you to share at least a cordial relationship.

The hope is to find a way to provide a harmonious family environment despite the rift in your marriage. When both parents can come back together and share an affable connection, as Elin and Tiger have done, this can become easier to do. The distance between Tiger and Elin may have been just what they needed to move past their relationship as lovers, then fighters, and eventually continue forward in a solid friendship.

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# Dating Advice: Five Ways to Get Your Partner to Put Down the Phone When You're On a Date



By Deana Meccariello and Kayla Garritano

Have you ever felt like you had to send your date an email or text across the dinner table just to get his or her attention? In the age of technology, sometimes a smart phone can be more threatening to your relationship than another person. With communication so readily at your fingertips, these days it's hard for some people to interact on a deeper level. Between checking emails, staying updated on everybody's status on Facebook and Twitter, and "liking" pictures on Instagram, a real conversation can be hard to come by.

## **This [dating advice](#) will help your partner put down the phone when you're together:**

**1. Practice what you preach:** Put your own cellular device away. How can you get mad at your date if you indulge in the same bad behavior as they do? Quit constantly glancing at your phone. It makes you look anxious, like you have somewhere else to be or are waiting for a message from somebody. Make sure you're not texting, either. This may be the most annoying thing a person can do on a date. It tells your date that they do not have your full attention. Your top priority should be the person across the table from you. And above all, don't take a call. We understand that emergencies happen; however, unless it is a loved one, let it go to voicemail.

**2. Make a subtle comment:** If they're texting away every two minutes, say something like, "Well, aren't you Mr./Ms. Popular?" Hopefully, they'll hear the hint of sarcasm and put the phone back in their pocket for the remainder of the evening.

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**3. Just ask:** Communication goes a long way in any

relationship. Instead of making your date be a mind reader, just tell them that the constant cell phone use bothers you and that you would like your time together to be intimate and personal. Sometimes the direct approach is the best approach.

**4. Set limitations:** Obviously it's not possible to ban cell phones from your relationship completely. Every once in a while, there will be an important work-related email, emergency or a friend in need. Make a compromise. Say that on date night you would like their cell phone to be on silent and out of sight for the few hours when you are at dinner or watching a movie together. Realize that when the two of you are just lounging around, you can't expect to shut themselves off from the world. After all, while you should be the most important thing to them, don't give them the idea that you think the world revolves around you. With reasonable limitations, your partner should be willing to compromise.

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**5. Give him a taste of his own medicine:** As a last resort, one day when you are doing something that they love to do, pay a little more attention to your cellular device than to them. Text your girlfriends, check your Facebook, send an email and post a tweet. Keep this up until he says something to you about it. Maybe then they'll understand what it feels like to you.

**Do you have any tips to keep your partner's attention on you and not his phone? Share your comments below.**

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# Dating Advice: How to Turn Your Man into a Gentleman



By Deana Meccariello and Kayla Garritano

Okay ladies, we've all been there. Your man isn't being a gentleman to you, so now what? Make it known. Make sure you deal with these issues from the get-go, because if you don't, you will end up resenting your partner and the relationship will ultimately fail. We wouldn't want that!

**This [relationship advice](#) will help turn your man into a gentleman!**

**1. Be vocal:** As with any relationship issue, communication is key. Tell him that his actions make you feel unappreciated and

disrespected. Lay out what he does that you find rude and tell him how to fix it. If he has to choose between your relationship or holding open a door for you, hopefully he will change accordingly. Make him think about his actions before he lets the door hit you on the way out.

**2. Ignore his actions:** If you want your boyfriend to pick you up at the door, rather than honking the horn for you like some sort of taxicab service, when that horn starts blaring outside your home, simply ignore it. When he calls your cell phone, don't answer it. That way, not only will he be forced to exit the car and cross your threshold to call for you, but he'll also recognize the message you are trying to send him.

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**3. Mention another relationship:** Try talking about a friend's relationship and how cute it is when her boyfriend holds the door for her or pulls out the chair so she can sit down. Holding another man in high regard will spark the alpha male complex, making him want to be better than another man.

**4. Follow the movies:** Make a date night that's a marathon of romantic movies. Seeing you swoon over Humphrey Bogart in *Casablanca* or watching you tear up at the grand gestures Ryan Gosling makes for Rachel McAdams in *Notebook* will show your partner the type of man you are longing for him to be.

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**5. Dress fancy, be fancy:** Sometimes a man will learn by example. Take him to a nice restaurant for dinner, or host a fancy dinner party where all these people, including the men, are dressed to impress. Hopefully, your man will follow and take a lesson on how to act.

**How have you gotten your man to become a gentleman? Comment below!**

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# 5 Date Ideas To Maximize Daylight Savings



By Linda Guma and Kayla Garritano

After a long, hot summer of late night festivities, followed by fall work hours that extend past 6 p.m., we could all use an extra hour of sleep so our bodies can catch up. Well, soon enough it will be here. On November 6, we'll turn back the clocks again to mark the end of Daylight Savings Time. While most of us are probably happy about gaining that extra hour of sleep, why not maximize those 60 extra minutes by spending it with your partner? Here is some [dating advice](#) on ways to capitalize on a little romance:

# These [date ideas](#) will be sure to give you the best use out of that one extra hour!

**1. Rise and shine:** Of course, not all of us are nocturnal. If you and your partner are early risers, there's no need to bother resetting your biological clocks. Take advantage of that additional time by going for a morning jog together before you start your respective daily routines. To save some energy, you've got to use some energy. Other ways to be creative with dates early in the day include morning swims, sweet mimosas at a nearby cafe, or breakfast in bed.

**2. Last call:** If you and your partner prefer sleeping in and staying up late, feel free to unleash your night owl tendencies. Bars and clubs will be open an hour later, which also means that last call for drinks will be extended as well. After grabbing cocktails at your favorite lounge, hit the club and dance the night away.

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**3. Fall cleaning:** This may sound like a big drag, but it'll be worth it once it's over. You and your partner can make a game of tidying up together. Get rid of things you no longer use and make way for newer items. The sense of accomplishment will serve as a bonding activity and you if you aren't currently living together, be sure to save a drawer or two for him.

**4. Take a chill pill:** Sometimes, you just need to relax after the constant hustle and bustle of your busy life. Use the extra time to fuel your energy for the rest of the day. You can find romantic ways to unwind together, such as snuggling in bed or taking a bubble bath. Even the enjoyment of a local bookstore or a movie can be fun.

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**5. Bucket List:** Take the time to sit over some wine and plan out some exciting events for the future. You and your partner will each need a pen and paper. Each jot down creative activities and places you've always wanted to visit, your own personal bucket list. After you're done, consult each other's lists and then sketch out a tentative plan to create a joint list. You'll have some fun talking about the unordinary activities you want to do, and the unique places you want to go. It'll definitely be some good conversation!

**What can you do to make the most of Fall Back? Share your ideas below.**

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## **Relationship and Dating Advice for Love Birds Who Don't Agree Politically**





By Justin Lavelle, [Peoplelooker.com](http://Peoplelooker.com)

For some of us, political points of view are the 'bottom line', the test against which we measure compatibility with another person. Don't believe me? A poll by Wishbone concluded that 47% out of 10,000 respondents said they wouldn't date someone with different political views.

**This tells us clearly that many would rather avoid the issues that come with different political beliefs and also confirms why so many people marry or date within a specific cultural or religious community.**

Are you one of the 47%? Are you on Team Trump or Team Hillary? Consider this [relationship advice](#). You can find a match with dating sites that are specifically geared towards your

candidate of choice, such as MapleMatch (anti-Trump – it will match you with Canadians so you can move, in the event of a Trump win), TrumpSingles (boasting “The number one dating site for those who still believe in Making Dating Great Again”), or LiberalHearts (their catchphrase? “Uniting single Democrats, progressives, environment and animal rights activists who are like in mind and liberal in love”).

For many couples, it isn't until a real rabble-rouser of a candidate emerges that the differences become obvious. Case in point: Donald Trump. Most of us evolve slightly in our political views over time, as our lives change and we grow older, but it's rare enough for people to switch political sides completely. So, it makes sense to start as you mean to finish and not date people that you know you are going to disagree with on some very fundamental issues in your lives. That said, if you do end up at different ends of the political spectrum, a little mindfulness will go a long way so that you can still have a strong and healthy relationship. Here's some [dating advice](#) on getting through an election year unscathed, when you and your partner disagree, politically:

- If you're actively playing the dating game or seriously considering marriage, your ideal has to be someone who shares some of your core values. Hanging out at different ends of the political spectrum isn't necessarily a deal breaker if you can agree on topics that are personally important to both of you. After all, a person is not their politics, unless they happen to be running for President, so eliminating everyone who isn't a card carrying Democrat, for example, might be limiting your scope a little too much. But if you can't agree on even the most basic things, it's probably a sign that it wasn't meant to be and might be time to move on.
- You've met that perfect someone who turns out to be a right wing Conservative. You are a liberal Democrat. Are you doomed? Not necessarily. It can be possible to agree

to disagree and make a list of topics that aren't permitted at the dinner table or anywhere else!

- If you do decide to run the gauntlet and talk politics with your partner of opposing views, do it respectfully and demand the same of them. You can hear each other out without fighting. The couples who agree on absolutely everything are few and far between, so know that differences are okay, and can even be something to be celebrated.
- How a person comes to their political beliefs matters too! If your partner has done a lot of research and reading, you can be sure that their positions are considered and measured. If they rely on television sound bites and Twitter for their political beliefs and are backing someone based on those featherweight points, you should probably be a little more concerned. The person who doesn't think like you do but has come to those beliefs through a process of due diligence deserves your respect, don't you think?
- Even a strongly divided set of beliefs can find some common ground, some areas where you can both agree. Democrats and Republicans in the House can cross the aisle on some issues, so you should be able to manage it as well. Ultimately, many more centric points of view are much closer than they are divided. It's a question of finding that compromise position for the greater good. After all, what's a relationship if not based on compromise and mutual respect?
- Accept that your partner of differing views isn't likely to change and badgering them about it isn't going to help. They may soften or adjust their position on specific issues, but ultimately, very few people cross the aisle for good. This is a good time to practice the idea of 'do unto others': don't try and change them!
- How important are your political views to you? How about your new or prospective partner? Someone can be of a political view without being really active or vocal

about the issues of the day. In other words, how much do your political differences really make in your day to day lives? Not much? Then don't worry about it, you'll probably be just fine!

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## Relationship Advice: The Baby Predicament





By Dr. Jane Greer

Former reality TV star Heidi Montag is hopeful that she'll be starting a family next year with her husband Spencer Pratt. He hasn't always been fond of the idea of fatherhood, admitting he's "baby blocking" her. However, Heidi believes she can change his mind about having a [celebrity baby](#). This is something that many couples go through – one partner is absolutely ready to become pregnant, but the other is either not sure or is against it.

**It is typical for spouses to find themselves in this predicament than to be on the exact same page at the exact same time about when to expand their twosome. Dr. Jane Greer continues with [relationship](#)**

## advice:

There are many variations on the theme of why one or the other is not ready for the responsibility of offspring. Perhaps there is the fear that the connection the couple shares will change with the arrival of a baby, and one person might worry that the love and attention he or she gets now will shift and it could end up feeling more like a loss than a gain. Or possibly someone is concerned about being financially settled before embarking on the adventure of parenthood. Maybe it is just the looming responsibility itself that holds one partner back, and on occasion people are dealing with their own childhood experiences that might color their desire to be a parent. Or in some cases one partner has been married before, and has a child with that first spouse and might not be eager to do it again. Whatever the reason, the back and forth can begin for couples before they even become engaged, and can sometimes be a deal breaker if there is no way to reach an agreement or even leave open the possibility of it happening one day. More often than not, though, the relationship will move forward with the hope that the partner who is holding out will come around. What do you do then if you find yourself married and ready, but your spouse is not sure or still saying no?

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The first thing to do is to set aside time to discuss your concerns. When you do sit down to talk this through, allow each of you to share your respective vision of your life together and the role that having children will or will not play in your future. Assuming you were up front about your desire to have a family from the beginning, it is important to remind your partner that you were clear from the get-go. Establish if this is a “not now” or a “not ever” situation. Assuming it is the first, ask your partner to describe what

they are feeling and what is holding them back. Ask if their feelings have changed at all over time. See if there is anything you can do, or that you can do together, to make your spouse more comfortable with the idea.

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Having this conversation with each other, and having a chance to share your honest feelings, will help to bring you together as a team so you can feel like you are on the same side rather than being opponents who want different outcomes. Talk about a timeframe that feels agreeable to both of you, and decide on a point in the future when you can either revisit the discussion or when you might be able to take first steps toward the goal of having a baby. As long as the door is open, and you know the subject hasn't been tabled forever, you will hopefully be able to avoid feeling controlled and resentful.

The objective is that by the time you reopen the discussion you will find yourselves on the same page. Only time will tell if this will be the case for Heidi and Spencer.

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# Relationship Advice: 5 Things to Know Before Dating a Funny Guy



By Kayla Garritano

When you're dating someone, you should always be able to laugh. After all, isn't laughter the best medicine? Now, say you meet a new guy, and you go on a series of [date nights](#) with him. You realize he cracks a lot of jokes, and you're laughing along. You got yourself a funny guy! However, you may need to know a few things before you continue dating him. Cupid is here to help with some [dating advice](#):

# These pieces of advice will help you when you're dating a funny guy!

**1. You may have to get used to him:** A sense of humor can depend on the guy you're dating. Is he more sarcastic? Is he good with puns? The more you keep dating him, the more you'll adapt to his humor. And who knows? Maybe you'll even catch the same humor, and you'll be cracking your own jokes!

**2. Not every joke is a joke:** Humor hides emotions sometimes. Guys don't always joke around because they're trying to be funny. There may be an underlying problem, and they're covering it up by inducing laughter. But have no fear, just communicate with him and everything will be fine! You'll know when there's a difference between humor and sorrow.

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**3. He will make your day better:** Rough day? Your guy will be sure to make you smile with some corny joke that he was saving for that moment. When you want to talk, he will be serious enough to listen, but know when it's the right time to make you laugh.

**4. They aren't titled as the "funny guy":** Just because they are funny doesn't mean their new identity when being introduced to people is the "funny one." They don't like being labeled just as much as anyone. They may be funny, but they don't have a sense of humor when it comes to that title!

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**5. They can be serious:** A funny guy knows when it's time to be serious and when it's time to be funny. He can't crack a joke during a tragic event and expect to receive good feedback from that. He should have the right judgement on when it's time to

be serious.

Have you ever dated a funny guy? What do you wish you knew before dating him? Comment below!

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# 5 Celebrity Couples Who Are Nailing Long-Distance Relationships



By [Katie Gray](#)

[Celebrity couples](#) are just like any other couples, which sometimes entails being in a long distance relationship.

[Celebrity relationships](#) can nail the long-distance aspect when they have good communication, are both dedicated and put in extra effort. Whether these celebrities send photos, write love letters or FaceTime, they have found the secrets to making long distance work. For some, it's only a temporary situation and for others, it is sporadic sequences.

## **Cupid has compiled five celebrity couples who are nailing long-distance relationships:**

**1. Sarah Michelle Gellar & Freddie Prinze Jr:** Sarah Michelle Gellar and Freddie Prinze Jr. got together in 1997 and have been happily together ever since. They've even appeared in the *Scooby-Doo* films together! They are one celebrity relationship that find a healthy balance between work and play, privacy and publicity. It's evident that they make it work while they have to be apart. To this day, they post sweet photos together and are still very much in love.

**2. Tom Hanks & Rita Wilson:** Since they were married in 1988, Tom Hanks and Rita Wilson have been making their marriage work. They are both successful actors and that entails having different filming schedules. In addition, they have to have travel for appearances and events. Hanks and Wilson are genuine people and are a positive relationship to emulate. They have been together well over 20 years. We love them!

**3. Elton John & David Furnish:** Elton John has been with his partner David Furnish for over two decades. The music superstar has to tour for his concerts, therefore; sometimes there is bound to be distance. The celebrity couple got married when same-sex marriage was legalized. They have traditions together, such as sending one another a card every single Saturday. How sweet!

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**4. David & Victoria Beckham:** Megastars David and Victoria Beckham are one of our favorite celebrity marriages. They were together for 11 years before they had to deal with a long-distance relationship and marriage because David Beckham was living in California for his professional soccer career. At the time, Victoria Beckham was splitting her time between Los Angeles and London. They have beautiful children and are making their marriage work. Cheers to the Beckhams!

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**5. Claire Danes & Hugh Dancy:** Actress Claire Danes is a class act. She's very talented at the craft of acting. She has also been married to Hugh Dancy for years. When she is filming, that means they have to be in a long-distance marriage until filming wraps. She has stated that the little things like sending photos are what makes it work. You must pretend that you are really with each other in person, and continue to keep in touch and do things that you would in person.

**Who are your favorite celebrity couples that make long-distance relationships work? Comment below!**

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**Relationship Advice: 5 Ways  
Therapy Can Help Your**

# Relationship



By Kayla Garritano

Sometimes, you and your partner can go through a rough patch, where it'll take more than the two of you to solve the problem. Breaking up isn't a solution for you, because you want to be together. In order to make a strained relationship work, you want to find help. With that being said, therapy may be the way to go. Follow these pieces of [dating advice](#) to see how therapy can help make your relationship stronger!

**These pieces of relationship advice will help to grow your connection**

# with your partner and ensure a happy life with each other!

**1. You'll be able to speak and listen:** In therapy, a lot of it has to do with speaking what's on your mind in order to figure out what the problem is. You'll be able to speak your feelings, and your partner will be able to listen. Then the roles switch. You get to hear what they have to say while they talk it out. These two abilities will help you to grow as a couple. You'll learn how to speak how you feel and to listen to your partner in the proper way.

**2. You'll get to know yourself better:** By going to therapy, you may be able to unveil underlying problems you had, without even knowing it. This will help you accept yourself with any flaws you may have. Your partner will be doing the same. You will learn that it's better to realize your problems first, because that may open the door to solving a problem with your partner.

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**3. You'll understand your partner's problems:** Your partner has the opportunity, just like you, to pour their heart out and open up. You get the chance to hear what they have to say and will learn more about them. If you're in a relationship, isn't it best to get to know more about the one you're dating, problems and all?

**4. Your sex life gets help:** A lot of couples go to therapy because they have a dull sex life. Sex is supposed to be intimate, and you're supposed to have a connection with the person you're sharing the moment with.

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**5. No more repetitive arguments:** You and your partner may constantly argue over one particular problem. Constantly fighting over it will not solve anything. Once you go to therapy and acknowledge the problem, your relationship could get “unstuck” and move forward.

**How did therapy work for you and your partner? Comment below!**

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## 5 New Celebrity Couples To Watch



By [Katie Gray](#)

Ah, there's nothing like new love! Whether these stars are

frequently in the public eye or are more private and keep to themselves, there is no denying that there are new [celebrity couples](#) stirring the pot right now. Who knows? It may lead to [celebrity weddings](#) and celebrity babies down the road. The future is bright when these stars align. When [celebrity relationships](#) flourish, it makes us very happy!

## Cupid has compiled the 5 new celebrity couples to watch:

**1. Gigi Hadid & Zayn Malik:** The supermodel and the singer have been one of our favorite celebrity couples since they started dating. They first announced they were an official celebrity couple on Instagram, and they have been pretty picture perfect ever since. Gigi has been rockin' the Victoria's Secret runway, has a new fashion line with Tommy Hilfiger and even starred in Zayn's 'Pillow Talk' music video! They were seen together publicly at The Met Ball and seem to be doing fantastic!

**2. Emma Roberts & Christopher Hines:** Emma Roberts has been working hard. She starred in James Franco's *Palo Alto* and has appeared on TV in *Scream Queens*. The actress finds a lot of time to read novels as well. She started dating Christopher Hines recently this summer when the pretty pair were spotted in London together!

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**3. French Montana & Iggy Azalea:** Rappers and hip-hop artists French Montana and Iggy Azalea are an official item! The two were spotted together on a fun-filled trip to Cabo San Lucas and have been an item ever since. We are hoping they will create some music together now!

**4. Leonardo DiCaprio & Nina Agdal:** Hollywood heartthrob, Leonardo DiCaprio, is one of the most talented actors in the

industry. He's no stranger to dating Victoria's Secret angels, and now he's dating a new one! Nina and Leo began dating this summer, and they have been vacationing all over the world ever since. The celebrity relationship that travels together, stays together!

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**5. Jojo Fletcher & Jordan Rodgers:** Who doesn't love watching *The Bachelorette*? Jojo and Jordan went public in August, appeared happy in love on *Good Morning America*, and the two love birds have been vacationing a lot! As they say on the show, these two definitely WILL accept the final rose!

**Who are your favorite celebrity couples to watch? Comment below!**

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## Relationship Advice: How to Stop Dating Bad Boys





By Creshawna Parker-Davis

Find yourself going after the same guy time and time again? You know the type: the guy who doesn't make you better, yet does an awesome job at stringing you along, but you have no idea where your relationship stands? Yeah, that can be confusing. It's like craving a highly carbonated and artificial soft drink. It's no good for you, but you want it anyway. Hey, no judgement here; however, while it's satisfying at the moment, it can be detrimental in the long run if you form a bad habit.

**What do you do if you find yourself stuck dating these same type of guys over and over? Cut it off, and kick 'em to the curb. Here's some [relationship advice](#) to help**

# **you stop dating bad boys for good.**

## **Realize you can't change him.**

Men, or people in general really, aren't projects. While you may be able to teach him how to wash dishes or to turn the TV off once he's finished playing his video games, don't attempt to do a man-over, as it may not go so well.

## **Be with someone who loves you for you.**

Just as you can't, or shouldn't, attempt to change someone, don't be with someone who wants to completely change you. Growth is no doubt a good thing, but if your significant other is trying to change your style of clothes, your friends and make you into someone you're not or don't aspire to be, leave.

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## **Be realistic.**

If you're not happy with the way things are currently going in your relationship, especially during the early stages, that's a good sign that you should leave. If things aren't going too well now, don't assume placing an exclusive label on the relationship will make it any different.

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## **Make a list of what you want in a man.**

Make a list of the qualities you want in a man. Do you want someone to take you on a [date night](#) every week? Write it down. Do you want someone who calls you to say goodnight instead of just sending a text? Yep, you guessed it ... write it down. Once you create this list, keep it handy to remind you of what it is that you'd like to have in a man, and make changes as

necessary.

### **Step outside of your comfort zone.**

There's nothing wrong with having a type, but sometimes going outside of your safety zone can be a good thing. If you've never considered dating someone who typically isn't the bad boy you'd go for, try it out. Not only does this get you one step closer to leaving the bad boys alone for good, but it also allows you to learn something new.

**What are some ways you ditched bad boys for good? Share your comments below.**

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## **Relationship Advice: Why Isn't It Easy to Say Goodbye?**





By Dr. Jane Greer

Some say [Ben Affleck](#) is waiting to find out if his [celebrity ex Jennifer Garner](#) wants to reconcile with him. Despite their [celebrity divorce](#), they have remained close. According to a source, many people feel Jennifer is stringing Ben along and “making him jump through hoops.” They say she’s acting hot and cold, and he has no idea where they stand as a couple or a family. It can be very frustrating to remain in limbo and not know what to expect. Many people find themselves in this situation after a break-p or an attempted break-up.

**Sometimes the road to splitting up permanently isn't clear, and there can be lots of fits and starts before either reaching the final end of a relationship, or deciding**

**to give it another solid try. Why is it so hard for people to let go, sometimes even if they are officially divorced? Check out the following relationship advice:**

The most compelling reason people continue to hold on is the fact that they have a shared history. The person who might be an ex-partner has a sense not only of who you are, but who you were with them and during your time together. To then say good-bye to them can also feel like saying goodbye to who you were during your relationship. Another thing that can keep you hopeful, even if you aren't happy right now, is the possibility that something will change and the good times you once shared and the positive aspects of the relationship will resume.

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Another thing that can keep the glue between you from completely giving way is if one of you wants to hold on more than the other. When this happens, the one who isn't ready to finally end it might persist with calls, emails, and texts which can increase the doubts the other might feel as well as any guilt feelings he or she might have about ending the relationship in the first place. The partner who wants to continue to be together might also make assertions that they will change whatever behavior may have led to the unhappiness between you. They might even start to do it, which can make the other person stick around with the hope that the negative behaviors will disappear completely. As a result, a couple can often seesaw because even small changes can increase optimism and give someone the stamina they need to be willing to try to

give it another shot. In the case of a betrayal, when the initial and intense anger diminishes, there can be a willingness to give the person a chance to rebuild your trust. Also, when there are children involved, as there are with Jennifer and Ben, there is often a desire to keep the family together for their sake. That can be one of the strongest driving forces of all. Whatever the case, certainly if a lot of loving feelings remain it is hard to imagine life without them in it.

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The question becomes, how do you know if you are wasting your time, holding on with the hope that the happiness will be rekindled or the bad behaviors will change when there is the chance that neither of those things is likely? How can you know how much time to give it before reaching the decision to finally call it quits? Are there any strategies to employ for ending a relationship?

If you are moving forward with the intent to give your relationship a try and see if things can work out, it's good to be clear about what specific changes you are looking for and how long you are willing to wait to see if they actually take place. For example, if you are looking to see if you can trust your partner again, the only real way to do that is to give them enough time to show through their actions that what they say and do is worthy of your trust. But if months go by and you continue to be disappointed because the promised changes aren't happening, or they have happened once but were never followed up on, that can be a good indicator that things aren't really going to be different from what had been upsetting you all along, and if you want to be happier it is time to let go. Ideally, you or your partner can look for counseling, which can help you either get your relationship back on track or help you reach the difficult decision that it really is time to say good-bye to each other.

It appears that Jennifer and Ben continue to share loving feelings, as well as children, and therefore remain open to the possibility of reuniting as a couple. Here's to hoping for the best!

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## 6 Celebrity Weddings We Can't Wait To Watch





By [Katie Gray](#)

We're going to the chapel and we're going to watch [celebrity weddings](#)! When our favorite [celebrity couples](#) have been in celebrity relationships for some time, we can't help but envision their futures together – and that includes celebrity weddings and celebrity babies! We wish these successful six celebrity couples all of the happiness in the world.

## Cupid has compiled the 6 celebrity weddings we can't wait for:

**1. Kate Upton & Justin Verlander:** Talk about pitch perfect! Justin Verlander, baseball pitcher for the Detroit Tigers of the MLB, is dating supermodel, Kate Upton. We know that their celebrity wedding would be gorgeous! Verlander has a net worth of \$60 million and his annual salary is \$28 million. The *Sports Illustrated* model is also super successful. We can't wait to watch this love story unfold, they are America's Sweethearts.

**2. Kevin Hart & Eniko Parrish:** Comedian Kevin Hart is known for making us laugh! Hart and Eniko Parrish have been giving us major relationship goals. They were at the top of our anticipated weddings list, and they just tied the knot in a luxurious ceremony on August 13th. They are now on a honeymoon in St. Barts and we can't wait to see their photos! We look forward to the day they decide to have celebrity babies.

**3. Miranda Kerr & Evan Spiegel:** Supermodel Miranda Kerr and Snapchat CEO Evan Spiegel, are engaged, and we cannot wait to see their wedding pics! They are so cute. When they announced their engagement, they did it with a special custom Snapchat filter – how appropriate!

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**4. Kendrick Lamar & Whitney Alford:** Hip hop recording artist Kendrick Lamar is engaged to his longtime girlfriend, Whitney Alford, and we are excited to watch their celebrity wedding take place. Lamar is a cousin of Nick Young, who plays for the Los Angeles Lakers.

**5. [Robert Pattinson](#) & FKA Twigs:** The *Twilight* star, Robert Pattinson, got engaged last year to singer FKA Twigs. He gained a lot of notoriety and fame by playing vampire, Edward Cullen, in the *Twilight* saga. Although this is real life and they aren't vampires, we can't wait to see their love story grow.

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**6. Pippa Middleton & James Matthew:** We can't get enough of the royal family! Princess Kate Middleton's sister, Pippa Middleton, is engaged! James Matthew, the future groom, is a hedge fund manager, and he surprised her when he popped the question. She was spotted sporting a gorgeous engagement ring the very next day and the engagement notice informed us that they will wed next year. Woohoo!

What upcoming celebrity weddings are you excited to watch?  
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# Our 10 Favorite Celebrity Couple Athletes



By [Katie Gray](#)

Ahhh, there is nothing like our favorite [celebrity couple athletes](#)! The couples that workout together, play sports and support one another on the sidelines – stay together. Our favorite athletic couples vary in sport: baseball, football, basketball, hockey and so forth. Many of these [celebrity relationships](#) have led to gorgeous [celebrity weddings](#) and

beautiful celebrity babies.

## Cupid has compiled our 10 favorite celebrity couple athlete couples:

**1. Tom Brady & Gisele Bundchen:** The world's most famous supermodel and former Victoria's Secret angel, Gisele Bundchen, is married to NFL star Tom Brady. The two have cute celebrity babies together and live a healthy lifestyle. Frequently, she is spotted cheering him on at games, and in the past, the SuperBowl!

**2. Jermichael & Courtney Finley:** The Green Bay Packers football team are the best in the NFL and have won numerous SuperBowl titles. On the team, Jermichael Finley is an asset, but he also is known for being a husband and father. He's married to Courtney Finley, and the two are one of the cutest couples who are underrated for sure. The proud parents always support one another on social media, on the field, at home and so forth. Major relationship goals!

**3. Justin Verlander & Kate Upton:** MLB pitcher for the Tigers, Justin Verlander, and supermodel, Kate Upton, are a pretty pair. They are our favorite engaged celebrity couple, and we can't wait for the wedding!

**4. Kroy Biermann & Kim Zolciak:** Don't Be Tardy For The Party! Kim Zolciak came into the public eye when she starred on Bravo TV's *The Real Housewives of Atlanta*. She then got her own spin-off show with her husband, Kroy Biermann, who plays in the NFL. This celebrity couple is the modern day *Brady Bunch*!

**5. Nick Young & Iggy Azalea:** Rapper Iggy Azalea has been dating Nick Young, who plays for the L.A. Lakers. He's also the cousin of hip hop artist, Kendrick Lamar. This celebrity relationship is going strong! How cute are they?

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**6. Stephen & Ayesha Curry:** You've probably heard Drake rap about NBA star Stephen Curry. Does the line "Steph Curry with the shot" ring a bell? Not only is he one of the best players in the entire NBA, off the court he's also happily married to Ayesha Curry. We love this down to earth couple.

**7. Shakira & Gerard Pique:** Her hips don't lie! Pop star Shakira is known for her dance moves. However, she's also a great wife to Gerard Pique, professional footballer for Barcelona. She's a fantastic mother, too, and works hard. In fact, her net worth of \$300 million dollars proves it.

**8. Carrie Underwood & Mike Fisher:** Country cutie [Carrie Underwood](#) is not only a talented singer and performer, but is also a great wife and mother. She had a celebrity wedding to Mike Fisher, professional hockey player, in 2010. Then, the couple introduced their celebrity baby boy in 2015.

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**9. Jessie James & Eric Decker:** Country singer-songwriter Jessie James married NFL star Eric Decker in 2013. The Minnesota native plays for the New York Jets. They then welcomed a beautiful baby girl, Vivianne Rose. In 2014, they starred in an E! reality series, *Eric & Jessie: Game On*.

**10. Ryan Braun & Larisa Fraser:** Ryan Braun plays for the Milwaukee Brewers and is one of the cutest players in the MLB – hands down. He's married to actress and model, Larisa Fraser.

**Who are your favorite celebrity couple athletes? Share in the comments below!**

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# Celebrity Videos: 5 Steamiest Movie Kisses



By [Katie Gray](#)

One of the best parts about romantic comedies is that moment when the main characters finally have their big first kiss. The entire plot in these movies usually builds up to that one big moment. The stars align, we hear the appropriate music playing in the background, and it's as if we can see birds flying around the couples' heads. Some of our favorite [celebrity couples](#) star in these movies! We love watching these [celebrity relationships](#) on the silver screen in the form of celebrity videos.

# Cupid has compiled the five best steamy movie kisses:

1. ***Titanic***: “I’ll never let go!” Arguably one of the most romantic films of all time is *Titanic*. The 1997 James Cameron film starred [Leonardo DiCaprio](#) and Kate Winslet. To this day, it remains a classic! There are a few kisses in a few scenes of this movie that earn it a spot on our top kiss list.

2. ***Spiderman***: This will go down as one of the most epic kisses of all time! The famous *Spiderman* kiss is iconic. Tobey Maguire and Kirsten Dunst starred in the 2002 flick, and it is definitely one of the best steamy movie kisses. This comic book classic is one for the books.

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3. ***Juno***: *Juno* is a cute movie and is cleverly written. In fact, Diablo Cody won the Academy Award for ‘Best Screenplay’ for it! Juno and Paulie Bleeker finally tell each other how they feel about one another, and kiss, toward the end of the film. The scene is also made comedic, as their friend looks on at cheer practice. They are young, fresh and genuine. The sincerity of this couple earns them a spot on our list.

4. ***Walk The Line***: The love story of Johnny Cash and June Carter is truly inspiring! Watching the biopic, *Walk The Line*, is beautiful, too. Joaquin Phoenix and [Reese Witherspoon](#) star in the film, and at the end they share a steamy kiss on stage. It’s definitely one of the steamiest movie kisses of all time. “Because you’re mine, I walk the line” is right! The role even earned Witherspoon an Oscar for “Best Actress” and Phoenix and Witherspoon both won Golden Globes for their portrayals as well. This true love story gives us all hope. Johnny Cash was once asked about his idea of paradise and he replied, “This morning, with her, having coffee.” Perfection!

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**5. *The Notebook*:** Is there anyone on this planet who hasn't seen *The Notebook*? Author, Nicholas Sparks, outdid himself with this one when he wrote the book the movie is based upon. The film became an instant romantic classic, just as the novel was a #1 New York Times Bestseller. The movie starred Ryan Gosling and Rachel McAdams, and there are a couple of steamy kisses in the film that top our list! "If you're a bird, I'm a bird."

**What are your favorite movie kisses? Tell us in your comments below!**

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## **Dating Advice: 7 Things to Remember While on Vacation with a New Love**





By [Josh Ringle](#)

Vacations can be a great way to solidify your relationship, or a way to start a new one! While there are plenty of ways to get your relationship to the next level, a vacation with a new love interest is one of the best for sure. With that being said, there are some things that you have to consider while on vacation to keep the relationship smooth when you come back home! Follow these pieces of [dating advice](#) to avoid some turbulence on the way home!

**These pieces of relationship advice will make vacation great and it will help keep that loving, honeymoon feeling when you two get home!**

**1. New scenery, same you:** Just because you are not at work and are not in the comfort zone of your home area, that doesn't mean you should act completely differently. While [celebrity](#)

[couples](#) on [celebrity vacations](#) sometimes use vacations as a change of pace, you and your partner are probably using the trip to be together for a few days. That's something special that shouldn't be wasted.

**2. Be romantic:** Obviously, things between the two of you have been romantic if you planned a trip together. But don't make that be a reason to forget about all the other romantic gestures that got your love to this level. There are countless ways to get romantic on a trip, and your imagination should be able to come up with one thing per day to show how much you love your partner.

**3. Be affectionate:** This one seems like a no-brainer, but in all the craziness that is traveling, it can sometimes be forgotten. Hold hands, let them rest your head on your shoulder on a nap on the plane, or just give a little random peck on the cheek. Showing affection will really help intensify your love over the course of this trip!

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**4. Find a way to surprise your partner:** Vacations are the perfect time to create memorable surprises. Cute romantic gestures, hidden as surprises, are a great piece of dating advice. Set up a romantic candle lit dinner on the beach, or plan a day trip to a hidden waterfall. Whatever it is, your partner will be happy, so don't forget to surprise her or him if you can!

**5. Be spontaneous:** While this one goes along with surprises, it is also different. Instead of surprising your partner with a day trip, discuss it. Maybe after breakfast head into the local town, or find a local eatery to try for dinner. Communication is the key to success in a relationship, so talk about doing something crazy, but fun. Consider skydiving!

**6. Use this experience:** Being together 24 hours a day for a

few days may be something new for your relationship. There may also be habits that you did not know about your partner until now. A great piece of relationship advice is to use the time as a learning experience to really assess if your relationship is built to last. Get closer to your partner by talking about things that may not come up at work or home, and use the time together to really see if the two of you have wedding bells in your future!

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**7. The trip will end:** Unfortunately, not everything is meant to last, except for your relationship, hopefully! The trip will be over before you know it, and life will return to normal, but that doesn't mean you should forget about the romantic getaway when you return home. There should be no regrets when you get home, so take advantage of your time together to have an amazing time with each other!

**How did your vacation with your partner go? Did you follow these pieces of relationship advice? Let us know in the comments below!**

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## **Relationship Advice: The Guy's Guide to Dating Like a Man**





By Robert Manni

Who would have thought that writing a blog post on how to go on a date would be necessary in 2016? But, it is. With all the changes taking place in our hyper-fast-paced culture, sometimes the fundamental [relationship advice](#) that we take for granted is overlooked or gets lost in the swirl of changes. And with the long overdue recognition for women and their awesome achievements, modern men's role and subsequent behavior are in flux.

**It begs the question—in today's ever-changing world, how do you act like a man when meeting a woman and going on a date? It seems so obvious, right? But, with all the changes, it's not always that easy**

# **to find the right kind of relationship advice. Expectations and social behavior keeps changing.**

But one thing that never goes out of style is being a man and a gentleman when it comes to dating. So, let's get started. You meet a nice lady, you ask her out, you make a plan, etc., etc., etc. And, if you do things the right way and the stars are aligned, you're on your way to a satisfying intimate relationship. But, we all know how many distractions and detours can get in the way of your pursuit of love and happiness. And, when it comes to dating, things can go wrong and get complicated real quick. Before you know it, you're back on Tinder.

Since it's August— the time when NFL ballers take reps and run sweaty drills at training camp as they prepare for the upcoming season— it's a good time for guys to get back to basics. So, please allow your Guy's Guy to lay out his step-by-step guide for meeting a woman, making a connection, going on a date, getting her home safely, and following up. You can take it from there.

## **1. Decide what you want.**

Between your job, your finances, your outside interests, and your fantasy football prep, you have a lot going on. When it comes to dating, it's important to take a breath now and determine what you want out of dating. No judgments. You may only have time for hook-ups, you may be interested in finding a mate, or you simply want to meet new women while keeping an open mind about possible relationships. The only thing that matters is that you know what you want before diving into the dating pool. Most young bucks I know are not necessarily up for grabs, but they are open to offers. So they date casually and play the game from there. There is nothing wrong with

that. But for the sake of focusing this post, let's work under the assumption that you are interested in dating and open-minded about developing a relationship.

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## **2. Make your move.**

Nowadays, women, and especially younger women, are more aggressive when it comes to making first moves. And as a result, it's easy for young bucks to sign up for a dating app, kick back, and wait for the honeys to come their way. And, it happens. In fact, my wife winked at me first on Match. This is not a bad thing. But, most women I have spoken to want men to be the hunters when it comes to dating. That means making the first move and showing a woman that you're interested in getting to know her. It's called the chase. And it can be fun and bring a sense of accomplishment when a guy pursues a new woman and scores that first date. And, by first date, I don't mean "hanging out" with a group of people. I mean a real, old school date. Amigos, I assure you that single women love going on real dates with guys they are interested in. It's called romance. And romance is a good thing.

## **3. Meet in person.**

Many of today's singles meet online, and as a result, a flurry of texting ensues. But some fellas are studs when it comes to plinking the keypad on their phone, but duds when faced with engaging in a real conversation. Today's women want to meet guys in person, not just by texting. They want to check you out—your eyes, your smile, hair, your hands, your shoes, your whatever. And that's a good thing, especially if you are comfortable in your own skin and know how to handle yourself in social situations. My advice? If you are interested in someone, however you first connect, meet up face-to-face ASAP. It will save you time and psychic energy.

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#### **4. Plan a real date.**

So, you've met a young lady at a bar, online, through friends, however. And there is chemistry. Now comes the moment of truth. By way of hints she has provided, it's up to you to ascertain mutual interests and set up a real date. She likes tequila? First of all, you're lucky. Now do your research and find the best high-end tequila bar in the city, a terrific Mexican restaurant, or one of those "secret" cool spots where hipsters sample tequilas and mescals. Then ask her out, telling her that you'd love to take her to one of those places. It's that simple.

#### **5. Dress for the part.**

On date night, clean up as best you can. That means leaving the baseball cap and flip-flops home. If you are unsure how to dress, err on the more dressed up side and make sure you sport nice shoes and keep your fingernails clean. Offer to pick her up. She might prefer that you meet at the venue. No problem. You'll score points just by offering.

#### **4. Pay attention to your date.**

So, it's a sultry Thursday night in mid-summer. You take her to a cool restaurant where everyone is looking their best. And the women at the place are amazing. You're a guy so you're visually stimulated. Want to win? Remind yourself that you are on a date and keep your eyes on the lady sitting across the table from you. She is well aware of the other hotties inhabiting the space and will be clocking you to see how well you manage your inner horn dog.

Eyes front, young man, and listen actively. Make her feel comfortable. Stay relaxed and let the conversation flow. If it feels forced, try a fresh angle. It's a first date. You might be a little tight. She may be nervous, too. Whatever the case, enjoy the meal and keep it light.

#### **5. Pick up the tab.**

I realize that in 2016, most of the dating rules have been thrown out of the window. But for a Guy's Guy, there are a few unbreakable rules. Like this one: If you ask her out, you pick up the tab— at least on the first date. There is no middle ground, unless she insists on paying half. That might signal that she may not be that into you and does not want you to think that she owes you anything for picking up the check. In any case, offer to pay. Then pull out your credit card and smile when the waiter drops the check on you. She'll be watching how you handle this.

## **6. See her home safely without expectation.**

Time for a nightcap? Good idea. Pick out a quiet, romantic place nearby beforehand. However, if she balks or says no thanks, offer to call her a cab or Uber. It might cost you, but you will score mucho points, and in most cases she'll find her own way home. That is, if she does not invite you to her place for that nightcap. If she does, that's a great sign, but do not push the envelope. She is showing you that she trusts, you so be a gentleman.

Whatever the scenario, I always go for a good night kiss. Her response is usually a good indicator of her interest. Whatever she does, respect her wishes and don't be too disappointed if she only shares a peck on the mouth and a hug on at the end of a first date. I've experienced this and having hung in there for a date or two, was repaid handsomely at the appropriate time. Good things come to those with patience.

## **7. Follow up.**

You like texting? This is the perfect time to hit her up. If the date well and you are still interested in her, tell her you had fun and would like to see her again. That's all. If she's agreeable, hit her up again within the next few days with a suggestion. And, use the phone when asking her out. By this point, you should have this routine on autopilot.

Mission accomplished, amigo. Now, was that so hard?

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# Weekly Round-Up: All the Necessities for Back to School



By [Jessica DeRubbo](#)

It's officially time to pack up your beach chair, put away your swimsuit, and hand in your badge at your cushy summer job. Now, pack up your car and hit the road en route to college. There's no doubt you're excited to see friends you haven't seen all summer, but starting new classes and hitting

the books can sometimes be a drag. Well, it just might be a bit more tolerable and exciting with the following brand new products in your bag, ready to be pulled out at any time.

**Cupid has some must-have high demand items for back to university this year. Check out our product reviews!**

### **FUJIFILM's INSTAX Mini 70**

What better way to capture all of your college experiences than by getting photos immediately with the latest model to join the "instax mini" series of instant cameras? [FUJIFILM's INSTAX Mini 70](#) produces credit card-sized photos instantly, so you never have to wait to share beautiful, sharp images with family and friends. The camera offers very unique features, like a selfie mode, which automatically adjusts settings for perfect selfies using the self-facing selfie mirror. The best part is, you can decorate your dorm room with wall art instantaneously, without having to waste any time. Plus, the INSTAX Mini 70 is a great size to have in your backpack or in your purse on campus. It's easy and fun to use, so consider checking it out, and share an original!



FUJIFILM Instax Mini 70

### **Palmer's Cocoa Butter Formula FlipBalm**

Take a page from your celebrity crushes, and include [Palmer's Cocoa Butter Formula FlipBalm](#) this school year. Palmer's, a brand beloved by celebrities and consumers alike, has three sweet FlipBalm varieties (Juicy Watermelon, Creamy Coconut, and Ripe Mango), all three of which showcase moisturization benefits and natural ingredients. They're full of pure Cocoa Butter, raw Shea Butter and Vitamin E. Plus, they couldn't be easier to apply! They feature a revolutionary "flip to open" packaging design, making it easy to apply with just one hand, easily flipping open and closed for mess-free application. Best of all, this lip balm has been clinically proven to moisturize for over 8 hours. During your back to school shopping, be sure to stop at Target, Kmart, Five Below or [Palmers.com](#) to purchase your cool new FlipBalm.



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### **Simply Sensitive Summer's Eve® Cleansing Cloths**

You may know Summer's Eve as a leader in feminine hygiene products, and they have now developed Cleansing Cloths that provide an easy and discreet way to feel confidently fresh. The gentle formulas won't irritate sensitive skin and are hypoallergenic and alcohol-free. We've all had those "not so fresh" moments, whether you're sprinting to class through the courtyard, working out at the rec, or even if it's "that time of the month." [Simply Sensitive Summer's Eve Cleaning Clothes](#) are perfect to toss in your purse, gym bag, or pocket whenever you're on the go. They're lightly fragranced and quickly wipe away odor-causing bacteria. They come in a variety of scents to stay fresh throughout all life's special moments.

### **GreenPan Mini Ceramic Non-Stick Square Egg Pan**

Let's face it: you don't have time to vigorously scrub off stuck egg remnants on a pan when you're already late for class. That's where [GreenPan Mini Ceramic Non-Stick Square Egg Pan](#) comes into play. The GreenPan Square Egg Pan is perfect for all of your breakfast and brunch needs. It's coated with Thermolon ceramic non-stick, perfect for frying results, easy cleaning and using less oil. Plus, the pan provides quick and even heating and heavy gauge construction for reliable cooking

results. Also, don't worry about burning yourself, because the product has a stay-cool non-slip handle with a silicone sleeve. This cutie is the perfect addition to your new kitchen on sorority row!

### **Zebra Pen Assortment**

It may not be very exciting taking notes in class every day, but you can totally spice it up with [Zebra's Pen Assortment](#). The pens are Sarasa Gel pens featuring Rapid Dry Ink. Why rapid dry, you ask? No smudging! We are featuring three pens. One is the Z-Grip Plus Ballpoint pen, which features a very smooth low-viscosity ballpoint ink. The second is the H-301 Steel Highlighter, which is part of the Steel line of products. Finally, the third is the F-301 BCA, which is particularly special because the pink barrel on it is aimed at Breast Cancer Awareness. It's a steel ballpoint pen with black ink.

Going back to college for the first semester of the new year may seem daunting, but you can ease your worries if you have the above products with you on your journey. Good luck!

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## **Good For You and Good For The Planet Products**





By [Nicole Caico](#)

Too many products on the market utilize harsh chemicals, which are not good for your health or for the environment. Luckily all-natural products are gaining popularity, because good for you and good for the planet should be the same thing.

**Show your body, and the environment some love with these all natural products.**

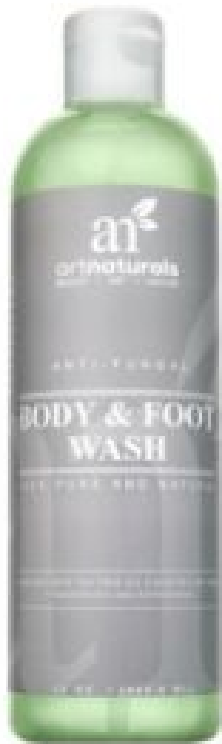


Doubling as your soap and loofa, Pura Naturals brings you their line of [Soap Infused Active Sponges](#) in citrus zest, peppermint volcano, and unscented 3-packs (\$8.99). Each plant-based sponge is all natural, and biodegradable. The sponges also repel water which makes them mold-repellent and travel friendly.

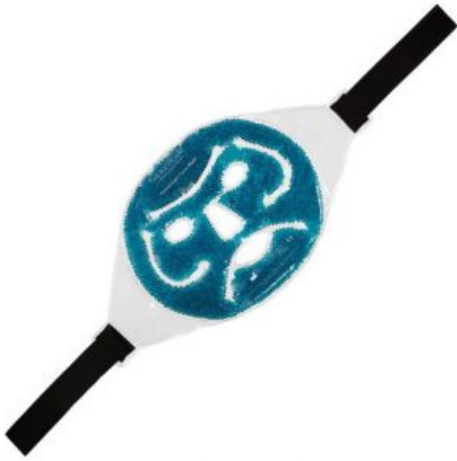


There are plenty of body lotions out there, but not many like this one. Surya Brazil sells their [Amazonia Preciosa Leg & Foot Lotion](#) to give you a one of a kind, all-natural, hydrating experience (\$34). The lotion is vegan and cruelty-

free. With natural oils, aloe, shea butter, and more Surya Brazil promises “intense revitalizing action” from this lotion.



For a fungi-fighting clean, Art Naturals offers their [Antifungal Soap with Tea Tree Oil](#) for body and feet (\$18). This wash is kind to delicate skin while alleviating itchiness associated with common conditions, like athletes foot and psoriasis. Like other all-natural products, its ingredients are refreshingly easy to read.



Face masks are great for relaxation, and even better when they're reusable. The [TheraPearl Face Mask](#) (\$19.99) is an oversized round mask with openings for eyes, nose and mouth. With a fully adjustable Velcro strap, and the choice of heating or chilling it is extremely versatile. Heat it to open clogged sinuses, chill it to soothe tender skin, or make it a part of your facial routine.



You've never had a cleansing wipe so natural. Pre- or post-sweat, [EmerginC Scientific Organics Facial Cleansing Wipes](#) (\$19) 100% natural wipes are ideal for cleansing and removing makeup, packaged for use while at-home or on-the-go. The wipes are made from a sustainable, biodegradable, non-woven wood fiber, and are formulated with organic aloe vera, a proprietary fruit extract blend, witch hazel extract, lacto-fermented radish root and honeysuckle.



Can't skip a day without washing your hair? Now you can. [Farmaesthetics Powdered Silk Dry Shampoo](#) (\$30) all-natural herbal dry shampoo absorbs oil, lifts roots and freshens hair to extend time in-between washes. Made of just silk powder, cornstarch, lavender buds, and sea salt.

Stay natural this summer with these awesome products!