

Giveaway: Express Your Inner Barbz with Pink Friday by Nicki Minaj!



This post is sponsored by Elizabeth Arden.

By Jennifer Ross

Ladies, let's face it. No matter what frustrating gender-based challenges still exist in this male-dominated world, women have more rights and freedoms than ever before, thanks to the hard work of our ancestors. That is not to say that everything is perfect; such a concept may never exist. However, in this day and age, it is finally possible to have your cake and eat it too. We are better women, better lovers and better mothers. If history has any knowledge of our future, chances are, we are only going to get better with time.

One woman familiar with the concept of having it all is Nicki Minaj. With her creative musical abilities, iconic sense of style and star originality, she set out to succeed in the

male-dominated hip hop world – and has done an incredible job thus far. Minaj continually pushes through boundaries to achieve her extraordinary vision, something that her millions of Barbz (her fans' nickname) love to emulate. Determined to express herself through various mediums, she now applies her passion for life to the world of fragrance.

A natural progression in her blossoming beauty empire, Pink Friday is Minaj's first scent. Pink Friday captures her vivacious personality and effervescence in both its intoxicating notes and thrilling presentation. The fragrance mixes complementary playful and sultry notes of juicy fruits, creamy vanilla and sensual musk to create an exhilarating scent that ignites beyond the senses. The unique bottle design (seen below) is another example of her 'wow' factor.

Pink Friday is perfect for any occasion. Whether you want a playful floral scent to pair with your fun-loving personality on that first date or the sultry aroma of musk to wrap your skin on a romantic dinner with your spouse, this fragrance has it all. Lucky for you, Minaj is giving two CupidsPulse.com readers a **1.7 Pink Friday Nicki Minaj Eau de Parfum AND a Pink Friday Nicki Minaj Body Lotion!** The total retail value of each winner's prize is \$74.

~~**GIVEAWAY ALERT:** To enter for a chance to win a 1.7 ounce Pink Friday Nicki Minaj Eau de Parfum and a Pink Friday Nicki Minaj Body Lotion, go to our [Facebook](#) page and click on the "like" button. Also, leave a comment under our Nicki Minaj giveaway post, saying that you want to enter the contest. We will contact the winner via Facebook when the giveaway is over, and he or she will have three days to respond back with his or her contact information. The deadline to enter is 5:00 p.m. on Monday, October 29. Good luck!~~

Congratulations to Lynette Barbieri!

Safely Date This Fall With A Second Mobile Number From MyAKA



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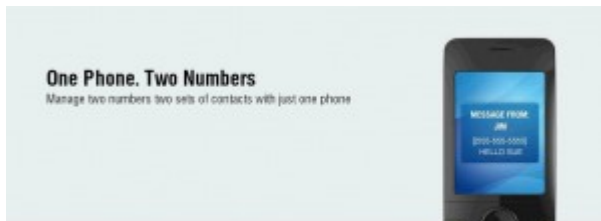
By Jennifer Ross

You're out one Thursday evening getting a drink with the girls after work when you make eye contact with a 6'2 Ryan Reynolds look-alike who is staring at you from across the bar. The good news: Blake Lively is nowhere in site! You really want to make the first move and approach him but your friends persuade

you to stay put. Before you even have time to decide what to do, you notice that he is passing the DJ booth and making his way towards the dimly lit corner where you're standing. He kindly introduces himself and as the two of you chat, your mind makes a mental note about him. He's nice, he's funny, he's hot and yes, he's single. The night is going well! You definitely want to see him again, but there's one catch: you don't feel comfortable giving him your cell phone number. You've had some pretty bad experiences giving out your personal information to guys. What do you do?



You're in luck! Now you can have a second, private phone line that rings to your cell phone, eliminating the need to worry about losing your information – or the guy – ever again. [MyAKA](#) is a product that offers you a second cell phone number in your local area code, allowing two mobile numbers on one phone. The second phone number works just like your primary cell phone number. It includes full voice and text message support in the United States and Canada, easy number blocking and unblocking, and a Do Not Disturb feature that sends calls to voice mail and stores text messages when enabled. Your assigned phone number from MyAKA is not linked to your user information in any way. So unlike forwarding services, your primary phone number is protected on incoming and outgoing calls. Best of all, there are no apps, downloads or Internet required. All features are controlled via text message. Hesitant about giving it a whirl? **MyAKA is giving you a seven-day free trial.**



A 7 Day FREE Trial?! What's the catch? None. With this special offer for CupidsPulse.com readers, you can enjoy seven worry-free days of flirting with MyAKA without even entering your credit card! And when you decide to keep the service, you can upgrade your number in two easy steps at the MyAKA site. It's as simple as that to date safely this fall. Sign-up at MyAKA.com today for a fun second mobile number with no strings attached.

Giveaway: Let Your Partner Choose His Own Gift with a \$50.00 Amazon.com Gift Card



This post is sponsored by Amazon.

By Jennifer Ross

It's Friday! You've had a long week and cannot wait to get home to snuggle up with your partner and enjoy the weekend.

Then you remember...it's your anniversary, his birthday, Father's day or some other special moment. You have so many errands to run. You need to pick up the dry cleaning, drop off a package at the post office and complete the week's grocery shopping before you can even think about what to buy your significant other. Will there ever be enough time in the day to do it all?

Luckily, you can cut down on the errand time by using [Amazon.com](https://www.amazon.com). The site offers gift cards to purchase just about anything with card designs for virtually any occasion. You can even upload your own photo and schedule delivery for up to one year in advance, eliminating any last-minute stress!

Your man deserves something special and what better way than by letting him make his own choice. It's easy to order a personalized gift card online. The best news is that you can send it for free with one-day shipping. Let your man know how proud you are to be with him.

With so many options to choose from and the convenience of buying online, you can do this in the matter of minutes and in the comfort of your home. Lucky for you, Amazon.com is giving away a **\$50 gift card** to one CupidsPulse.com reader! Try it out for yourself. All you need to do is enter the giveaway below.

~~**GIVEAWAY ALERT:** To enter for a chance to win a \$50 Amazon.com gift card, go to our [Facebook](#) page and click on the "like" button. Then, leave a comment under our Amazon.com giveaway post and let us know that you want to enter the contest. We will contact the winner via Facebook when the giveaway is over, and he or she will have three days to respond back with his or her contact information. The deadline to enter is 5 p.m. EST on Monday, October 22. Good luck!~~

This giveaway is now closed.

Giveaway: Be Fashionable and Confident During Your Next Date Night With Isabelle Grace Jewelry



This post is sponsored by Isabelle Grace Jewelry.

By Sarah Ribeiro

Being a woman can be tough. If you're climbing the corporate ladder, then your days are spent at the office, always trying to stay one step ahead. Or if you're a mom, you're dealing with busy days and late nights. And what about the women who juggle a career while raising their kids? All that work makes you tired and irritable – and leaves you no time for your

relationship.

Luckily, celebrity women have found the secret to staying fashionable in the midst of their frazzled lives. Hollywood has been filled with ladies perking up their outfits with [Isabelle Grace Jewelry](#). Women like Roselyn Sanchez, Ali Landry, Lindsay Price and Alyson Hannigan have been spotted sporting their handcrafted personalized jewelry, proving how easy it is to add something special to your everyday look.

Isabelle Grace's personalized line allows you to keep a chic look when you accessorize while displaying that you're a proud girlfriend, wife or mom: their necklaces and bracelets come with charms that can be engraved with your partner or children's birthstones, names and birthdates.

Lucky for you, Isabelle Grace Jewelry is giving away a Little Love Necklace to one CupidsPulse.com reader! You can personalize it with up to three characters, making it a romantic addition to your next night out on the town.



Little Love Necklace.
Photo: Isabelle Grace
Jewelry

~~GIVEAWAY: To enter, "like" the [Cupid's Pulse fan page](#) on Facebook and leave us a comment on the post letting us know you want to enter the Isabelle Grace Jewelry giveaway. We'll choose a winner on Monday, October 15th at 5 p.m. EST and notify them via Facebook. Once we do, the winner will have three days to send us their contact information. If we don't hear from him or her in that timeframe, we will choose another winner.~~

Congratulations to Leza DiBella, the lucky winner of our personalized Isabelle Grace Jewelry Little Love Necklace giveaway. Thanks to all who entered!

Fashion never stops – no matter how busy of a woman you may be.

Giveaway: Stay Dry and Cute on a Rainy Day with Ahnu Laguna Boots





This post is sponsored by Ahnu.

By Sarah Ribeiro

We've all been there: it's your first date with your tall, dark and handsome crush from the accounting department. You want to look perfect for this guy and have picked out your favorite date outfit to wear to a movie in the city. Unfortunately, as you're getting ready for the night, it begins to downpour outside. You want to make a good impression for your new man but can't see yourself trekking through puddles in 3 inch open-toe heels. Clunky old rain boots aren't an option either. Luckily, the new Laguna boot from [Ahnu](#) can save your date night from being a fashion disaster and keep your feet dry and warm, no matter what the weather brings.

The Laguna puts a modern spin on your average rain boot. Rather than your typical boxy slab of rubber, these patent leather boots come in a streamlined shape that lean less towards puddle-jumping in the schoolyard and more towards walking through the water in the city. Wear them on a rainy date or even just on a romantic stroll with your sweetheart after a storm.

The boots are not only waterproof for practicality, but they also come in three wonderful colors for the fashion-minded bunch: Golden Brown, Black and Wine Tasting. Plus, the front laces help you secure the boots and keep you extra comfortable

– and the side zipper provides an easy on/off for when you get home.

Now is the perfect time to try them out before the wet weather begins. Ahnu is giving away a pair of Laguna boots to one lucky CupidsPulse.com reader! Enter the giveaway below and never worry about the weather ruining your romantic night again.

~~GIVEAWAY ALERT: To enter for a chance to win a pair of Ahnu Laguna boots, go to our Facebook page, click on the “[Like](#)” button and leave a comment under the giveaway post, saying that you want to enter the contest. We will contact the winner on his or her Facebook page when the giveaway is over. The deadline is 5:00 p.m. on Monday, October 8. Remember to click [here](#) to enter!~~

Congratulations to M.J. Moore, the lucky winner of the Ahnu Laguna boots! Thanks to everyone who entered!

Giveaway: Take Care of Yourself and Your Sweetheart with KLUTCHClub





This post is sponsored by KLUTCHClub.

By Sarah Ribeiro

As the summer comes to a close, it's time to start thinking about how you'll take care of yourself this winter. The weather's getting cold and dry, and you need a new skin regimen to stay smooth and sexy for your sweetheart. Plus, it wouldn't hurt to start a new workout plan together and get healthy.

If you're serious about adopting a health-conscious, fit, and pampered lifestyle, we found a Club suited just for you: [KLUTCHClub](#) is a service that delivers healthy alternatives to your home so that you can try new things out all month long. With KLUTCHClub's monthly boxes, you and your honey can take care of yourselves and add something new and fun to your monthly routine. Each box contains over \$50 worth of products, including workouts, skincare and even food and beverage items. To get started, sign up, and the company will set you up with the right products that fit you and your partner's goals. Each month, you will continue to receive a box of high-end products and services from cutting-edge brands. Additionally, once you sign up, you're eligible to receive exclusive gift cards and promotions online through KLUTCHClub's rewards system.

While a subscription to KLUTCHClub can cost \$16 per box for a

year, \$17 per box for 3 months or \$18 per box for one month, one lucky reader will win a his and hers KLUTCHClub box for the month of September.

~~**GIVEAWAY ALERT: To win the men's and women's KLUTCHClub boxes for the month of September, go to our Facebook page, click on the "Like" button and leave a comment under the giveaway post saying that you want to enter. We will contact the winner on his or her Facebook page when the giveaway is over. The deadline is 5:00 p.m. on Monday, October 1st. Remember to click [here](#) to enter!**~~

Congratulations to Angie Ribeiro, who is the winner of our KLUTCHClub giveaway!



The Men's September KLUTCHClub Box.

The women's September box includes pampering products like an Anatomy Naturals mud mask, Lauren Brooke Cosmetiques lip gloss and Cremo Company Women's Shave Cream as well as health-smart products such as the EB00ST Natural Energy Booster Mix, Dream Water Sleep Aid, Taylors of Harrogate Tea and more.

The men's September box (shown above) includes the EB00ST Super Energy Shot, Dream Water Sleep Aid, Popcorners Popcorn Chips, Gonola Wild Blueberry Wave Granola and more. Find out more at www.klutchclub.com.

Hpnotiq Primp and Prep: Everything You Need for That Perfect Girls Night Out



This post is sponsored by Hpnotiq.

By [Lori Bizzoco](#)

It's the weekend and you're ready to hit the town in style! But...what do you wear? You comb through your favorite magazines trying to find inspiration to no avail. It's 6:00pm, you turn on the music and all you hear is talk radio. You could use a cocktail but want something unique and different to start the weekend off right. What's a girl to do? Don't just sit there sulking. It's time to get your BFFs together and start the party right with Hpnotiq's "Primp & Prep" website. The site has everything you need to look and feel just like your favorite celebrity before you hit the town!

Fashion: If you need fashion inspiration there is style advice and beauty tips.

Music: You can even turn on the Pandora music player and listen to your favorite songs while getting ready!

Drink Recipes and Cocktails: You will find great at home drink recipes and cocktails. I love that you can easily find a new drink to switch it up from the ordinary rum and coke. They offer ideas for new twists on sangria, mojitos, margaritas, and other creative blends. You can even upload your own concoctions for others to try through the website or on twitter @HPNOTIQ. There's something for everyone. Now your night can be better than ever with the Primp and Prep site. It's so great you'll probably want to use it during the work week! So get ready to let your hair down, music up!

But wait...there's more! Even your guy friends can get in on the action (if you let them). There are tips on how to pick up the hottie across the bar; what to say, and what to do.

The site just launched in September...we can't wait to Primp and Prep with the Hpnnotiq site this weekend!

Hpnnotiq is a trendy and fun brand that all women can enjoy with their friends. The vibe that the site gives off is fun and exciting, from the color choices to the stylish background. Just head on over and check it out for yourself dolls! But remember, you must be 21 years old to enter:

<http://www.hpnnotiq.com>



Giveaway: Tsubo Kemma Boots Offer Fashion and Function For Your Night Out



This post is sponsored by Tsubo.

Maybe you're one of those women who thinks guys aren't paying attention to what you wear on a date. Or, perhaps you're the type who always sacrifices comfort for the sake of fashion. After all, fashion and comfort couldn't possibly go hand-in-hand, could they? Well, we just found a company that designs amazing shoes that seamlessly fuse both!

Tsubo, Japanese for "Pressure Point," designs shoes that are fashion forward and extremely comfortable. Tsubo men's shoes, women's shoes and [Tsubo sneakers](#) combine fresh style with signature Pod technology, strategically placed cushioning at the foot's pressure points that provide amazing comfort.

We gave Kemma, the classic black ankle boot pictured above, a test drive by walking 25 city blocks to see if these boots could really stand up to the concrete slabs. We were prepared

for a nice long foot massage and pain killers after the walk but surprisingly, that wasn't the case at all. The Kemma's not only held up, but so did our feet! These are the perfect boots for your next date night; a classic boot with wonderful design and when you slip them on your feet...complete heaven!

Now, one lucky CupidsPulse.com visitor will have the opportunity to enter for a chance to win a pair of their very own Kemma's valued at \$190.00. Here's all you need to do:

~~**GIVEAWAY ALERT: To enter for a chance to win your very own Kemma Boots, go to our Facebook page, click on the "[Like](#)" button and leave a comment under the giveaway post, saying that you want to enter to win. We will contact the winner on his or her Facebook page when the giveaway is over. The deadline is 12:00 p.m. on Monday, September 24th. Remember to enter [here](#)!**~~

Congratulations to Stacy Plapinger, the lucky winner of the Tsubo Kemma boots!

Giveaway: Win Tickets to See Divorce – The Musical





This post is sponsored by Divorce – The Musical.

By Deanna Atkins

Whether you're divorced, married or single we can all relate to the heartbreak and fury one in every two married couples are facing these days. One thing to keep in mind is that it's "better to be mad than sad" – as Ruthe Ponturo, creator and co-producer of [Divorce – The Musical](#), says.

After a blissful, 34-year marriage Ponturo had her life turned upside down the day her husband unexpectedly told her that he no longer wanted to be married to her. She was left in complete shock with many thoughts running through her mind: Is he having an affair? Is there a younger woman? Is this just a part of his mid-life crisis? Instead of spiraling into depression, getting plastic surgery or wallowing in self pity, Ruthe made the bold choice to express her boiling emotions through comedic songs.

Partnering up with musical director, John Thomas Fischer, they created 'Divorce – The Musical': a cabaret show which showcases Ponturo's "get on with life" attitude through a variety of hilarious songs all from different genres. The musical offers something for everyone, especially an opportunity to laugh until you cry.

Dying to see how this strong woman triumphed despite hardship

and heartache? Well, one lucky CupidsPulse.com reader will have the chance to win two tickets to see the show in NYC by following the details below:

~~GIVEAWAY ALERT: To enter for a chance to win two tickets to see 'Divorce – The Musical', go to our Facebook page, click on the "Like" button and leave a comment under the giveaway post, saying that you want to enter to win. We will contact the winner on his or her Facebook page when the giveaway is over. The deadline is 5:00 p.m., Friday September 21st. Remember to click the link, [here](#) to enter.~~

Congratulations to Lynette Barbieri for winning two tickets to 'Divorce – The Musical!' Enjoy the show!

If you're interested in purchasing tickets for *Divorce – The Musical*, [click here](#)! Don't wait – The show will be at the Triad Theater in New York City between Friday, September 28th, and Saturday, October 13th.

Giveaway Alert: Win a Boostcase for Your iPhone So You Can Text and Talk Longer with Your Loved Ones





This post is sponsored by Boostcase.

By Daniela Agurcia

It's difficult to manage a busy schedule and a relationship at the same time, but Boostcase is here to help. Bollare's Boostcase is a portable iPhone charger that allows you to extend the life of your iPhone and charge it on the go. Although our cell phones allow us to keep in touch with our loved ones throughout our hectic work days, the battery life just can't keep up. That's why everyone is getting their hands on this hot new accessory.

Celebrities such as Emmy Rossum, Vanessa Hudgens, Miley Cyrus, Selena Gomez and Zooey Deschanel have been spotted around town with this new "must have" gadget, and they're obsessed! Personalize your Boostcase with your favorite colored "Snap On Case." Now, you can send pictures to your long-distance beau in Europe or just spend your day texting your hot crush without worrying that your phone will run out of juice before you get a response back from him.



Miley Cyrus with Boostcase. Photo:
INFDaily.com via Just Jared

~~GIVEAWAY: Just go to our Facebook page, click on the "Like" button and leave a comment saying that you want to enter the Boostcase Giveaway. You will automatically be entered to win! We will contact the winner on their Facebook page when the contest has finished. Don't wait to get your hands on the hottest new accessory that all the celebs are using! All entries must be in by 5pm on Friday, September 7th. Congratulations to our winner, Katie Picklesimer! Enjoy your new Boostcase!~~

For additional information on Bollare, visit Bollare.com.

Giveaway: Housewives Jewelry



This post is sponsored by Housewives Jewelry.

By Daniela Agurcia

Ever wonder how the women from *The Real Housewives* always look so fabulous? In addition to their wardrobe, they seem to have a little secret called accessorizing, and with the right piece of jewelry, any outfit can go from shabby to chic in the matter of minutes. But how can we find or even afford the same great accessories that give the housewives their playful elegance? Look no further than [Housewives Jewelry](#), a company that sells designs inspired by the dynamic personalities of the celebrity housewives for a fraction of the cost. Additionally, many of the pieces by Housewives Jewelry have been worn by the housewives themselves! Even more exciting is the fact that we are giving away two amazing pieces from the collection, including the Newport Necklace in Denim Blue Swarovski Crystals and the Flower Cluster Chandelier Earrings.

~~GIVEAWAY: Just go to our Facebook page and click on the "Like" button. Then, leave a comment saying that you want to enter the giveaway, and you will automatically be entered to win! The contest ends at 5 pm on Friday, August 24th, and the winners will be contacted via their Facebook page. The Newport Necklace, inspired by Gretchen of 'The Real Housewives of Orange County,' or the Flower Cluster Chandelier Earrings, as seen on 'The Real Housewives of New York City,' can be the perfect accessory for your summer outfit!~~

Congratulations to the winners of our Housewives Jewelry giveaway: Lynette Barbieri won the Newport Necklace, and Leanne Conway won the Flower Cluster Chandelier Earrings! Enjoy your new jewelry, ladies!

Two New Ways Women In High Heels Can Stay Sexy and Comfortable





This post is sponsored by Foot Petals.

By Sarah Ribeiro

After running around the office all day and standing for two hours to give a presentation to a new client, your new man calls and asks you to dinner. You embrace the chance to sit down, but after your meal, he suggests that you take a nice stroll around the block to get some fresh air. You don't want to appear high-maintenance or out-of-shape for that matter, so while your feet cry in pain, you hold his hand and smile.

After all, you really like this guy. But, then the unthinkable happens! You're walking on the sidewalk and your shoe gets stuck in a crack, scuffing the heel of your expensive leather shoes. You can't take it anymore and you begin to cry, your date now thinks you have some very big emotional issues. If only you had known about Foot Petals!

Foot Petals, the brand known for their fabulous and fashionable shoe inserts and shoe cushions just launched two new revolutionary products to bring comfort to women in high heels.

The first new product, Stiletto Shieldz, solves the annoying problem of when your stiletto heels get scuffed or scratched. Stiletto Shieldz is a clear plastic shield that adheres to your heels (works on leather, synthetics, wood, etc.) and will protect them from scuffs while appearing invisible to the eye.

The Stiletto Shieldz for high heels retails for \$6.95 and is sold at www.footpetals.com and department stores, including Nordstrom.

The second new Foot Petals product, Pressure Pointz, adds comfort to trouble spots. Pressure Pointz are small shoe cushions that women in high heels can stick in a specific spot of their shoes to create a defense layer between their shoe and skin to avoid blisters and uncomfortable rubbing. Many women in high heels currently use band-aids or tape to try to solve this problem, but Pressure Pointz is a more permanent and practical solution that also provides more comfort than at home solutions. Pressure Pointz for stiletto heels retail for \$6.95 and are available at www.footpetals.com and in department stores, including Nordstrom.

Giveaway: Reese Witherspoon's Sexy Sophisticated Style





This post is sponsored by Bliss Spa Products.

By Ann Csincsak

Since we first watched her in *Legally Blonde*, Reese Witherspoon has caught our eye with her simple style. Although her style is quite different from the flashy California-girl look of her character, Elle Woods, she still knows how to turn heads with her bold outfits.

This first look I love because it shows her sophisticated yet girly personality. She is right on trend with her floral print top and dark washed jeans and dresses it up with some gold jewelry and a fabulous clutch.

- 1. Modcloth.com Run and Hydrangea Top, \$34.95**
- 2. Luck Brand Sofia Skinny Jeans, \$99**
- 3. RayBan Original Wayfarer Glasses, \$149 MUST HAVE!**
- 4. BCBG Tess Foldover Clutch, \$83**
- 5. Kendra Scott Drew Bangles, \$120 SPLURGE!**

The second look is the ideal date look. A cute, feminine skirt, simple top and accessories are all you need to look and feel sexy and confident. Men love when women wear dresses, and this one is a great option if you want to dress to impress. Keep your accessories neutral with your hair in an easy-to-manage style if you're hoping to catch his eye.

- 1. Nicoli Beige Handbag, \$138**
- 2. Rachel Zoe Beau, \$188**

3. H&M Navy Tank, \$7.95
4. J. Crew Postage Stamp Mini, \$98
5. Tory Burch Colorblock Glasses, \$148

Whether this blonde starlet is dolled up for a movie premiere or spending the day with her husband and children, she always looks stunning. Take some tips from Reese's effortless style and look put together for any occasion without seeming like you tried too hard.

For lots of these great style and accessories, check out Vintage Sweet and Chic.

PLUS: BLISS SPA PRODUCTS GIVEAWAY

This week, we are doing an amazing GIVEAWAY from Bliss Spa Products, one of my favorite product lines. The giveaway includes a ton of Bliss Spa products and a tote bag to keep them all together.

All you have to do is follow @BlissSpa on Twitter and tweet them, saying you're there for the #giveaway!

Giveaway: Win a BikiniaBella Beach Bag to Match Your Teeny Weeny Bikini!





This post is sponsored by ClaireaBella.

It's finally time to show off your bikini-ready bod that you've worked so hard to perfect! Hit the beach or the pool, but don't forget to pack your sunblock and shades in this fabulous, functional and customizable ClaireaBella's BikiniaBella Beach Bag. You can customize your bag by tacking on all the glitter and sparkles you want while picking out your own bikini, skin, hair and eye color for your BikiniaBella.

Reality stars have been spotted carrying their ClaireaBella bags this summer! Teresa Giudice from 'The Real Housewives of New Jersey' posted an adorable photo of her daughter Audriana holding her mom's bag, while Tracy and Christy from 'Jerseylicious' have been toting their bags around town.



Can't wait to get your hands on one? One lucky CupidsPulse.com reader will do just that!

~~**GIVEAWAY ALERT: Just go to our Facebook page, click on the "Like" button and leave a comment saying that you want to enter the giveaway before 5 pm on Wednesday, July 18. You will be automatically entered to win! We will contact the winner on their Facebook page when the contest has finished. Don't wait – this customized bag is perfect for the summer, so ENTER NOW!**~~

This giveaway is now closed.

For additional information on ClaireaBella, you can contact them at www.toxicfox.co.uk

How to Stand Out from Every Other Girl and Get Him to Notice You This Summer



This post is sponsored by Rori Raye.

By Sarah Ribeiro

The dating world is an endless competition. You're constantly up against crowds of girls launching themselves at the same guys as you. But worst of all, you're up against yourself.

Last Wednesday, June 13, 2012, SingleEdition hosted a UStream broadcast with relationship coach Rori Raye about standing out, getting noticed and experiencing a real summer love.

Raye focuses on teaching you to have the relationship YOU want and gives some great tips on doing just that. Her leading piece of advice? "Actually fall in love with the way you are right now, even if you think you made mistakes." Then, you will see that finding love is easy.

How can you stand out in a group of women?

According to Raye, there are four roads you can take in a relationship. Three of them are most commonly used, but they are the wrong ones.

Related Link: [How to Ease Your Nerves Before A Blind Date](#)

What are these three wrong roads?

The Physical: This road refers to focusing too much on your body and sexuality. Getting too involved with what you look like makes you a sexual competitor, which means you are not viable for a relationship. As Raye explains, “Men are used to women being really provocative now,” and that makes it too easy for them to get what they want and dismiss any notion of a relationship. “It gets you the booty call” but prevents any type of romance from developing.

The Mental: The second road means discovering what you have in common. The common ground, says Raye, isn’t important except for the core values you share: honesty, being a good person, wanting a relationship. What you both like in the world, according to Raye, is irrelevant. Connecting with a man’s brain “creates a friendship, but he will not feel connected emotionally.”

The Energetic: Too many women make the mistake of finding a spiritual bypass – using the mantra that “you’re angry, but you’re above that”. Being a **reasonable** woman, making excuses and closing yourself off is only going to keep you cold and unable to express your true feelings, making dating miserable.

The fourth road is one that Raye says we’ve been told to avoid. However, it’s the right one.

Related Link: [Five Top Tips On How to Find “The One”](#)

The Emotional: If you key into your feelings and share them,

you can show a man that you have the ability to be in touch with yourself emotionally. “The second he can feel your openness,” says Raye, “he’s going to open up” and fall in love with you.

Raye believes that if you open your heart and have a warm personality, a guy will make a beeline for you.

There are specific, effective ways to communicate to a man your interest without chasing him. To learn how to do this so that a man will feel inspired to pursue you, subscribe to Rori’s free [e-newsletter](#). You’ll discover a completely different way of expressing yourself that will get you a man’s full attention and interest.

Giveaway: Towne & Reese Jewelry – As Seen on ‘The Bachelorette’ Star Emily Maynard





This post is sponsored by Pea Pod Paper & Gifts.

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.

Related Link: ['The Bachelorette' Season 8, Episode 5: The Dos and Don'ts for Taking Your Relationship To The Next Level](#)

~~**GIVEAWAY ALERT:** Send an email to cupid@cupidspulse.com, with **'Towne and Reese Giveaway'** in the subject line, saying that you want to enter the contest. Once you do, you will automatically be entered to win either the Daisy Turquoise Ring or the Brooke Earrings in Crystal OR Mint Green! Both of these pieces were worn by Maynard on 'The Bachelorette. 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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Daisy Ring in
Turquoise. Photo:
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Brooke Earrings
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By [Whitney Baker](#)

Your cute neighbor – who you’ve been crushing on since he moved in – *finally* asked you out on a date. He even planned the evening for you: an al fresco dinner at your favorite restaurant followed by a romantic stroll through a nearby park. Sounds perfect, right?

It is...until your allergies show up (uninvited, of course) and you can’t stop sneezing. Itchy eyes and a red nose is *not* how you hoped to end your night.

If only you would’ve learned from Brooke Burke-Charvet’s mistakes. Merck teamed up with the *Dancing with the Stars* host to create the video below, showing you how easy it is to live

your life with your allergies instead of constantly battling against them.

Thanks to non-drowsy Claritin®, Burke-Charvet can survive her busy day – and you can make the most of your relationship with that new man in your life. The difference is clear.

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Hear Him Loud and Clear, No Matter Where You Are





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Whether you're video chatting with your loved one, or maybe just listening to music, these Lenovo M0520 speakers will ensure that you are hearing the best-quality sound possible.

They can be used both on your laptop or at your desktop computer, and these compact, convenient speakers are portable.

All you have to do is attach the convenient USB-powered connection with an energy saving function to whichever device you're using at the time.

When traveling, no one wants to bring along his or her oversized, awkwardly shaped speakers, so the Lenovo speaker allows for easy storage, without taking up precious space in your suitcase. To even take the sound experience further, the speakers also attach to smartphones and MP3/MP4 players, so you can bring them with you to the beach and play you and your partner's favorite playlist. Their chic, elegant look makes them that much better than the competition too. Available in red or black, it suits both sexes, achieving the look of either classy or cute.

Have a Skype date with your man on the road? Great! These speakers will make it seem like he is in the room with you, as you hear his voice booming through the amps. Even if you're not technologically savvy, setting up these speakers is a no-brainer. Just plug them into your computer and you're ready to jam out or chat it up, while listening to the other person loud and clear- thanks to the four watts of power they work

off of and the built-in amplifiers.

This product proves that bigger isn't always better, so enjoy the top-notch sound at a reasonable cost, and reap the benefits at home or on the go.

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Ashton Kutcher Goes Online to Look for Love!



This post was sponsored by Popchips.

By Daniela Agurcia

Insiders tell us that Kutcher is in search of love (again). Could this be proof that he and Mila Kunis are just friends? You be the judge! We got our hands on Ashton Kutcher's dating video below. We aren't matchmakers but we know a thing or two about celebrity relationships and we are here to help him

sort things out. In fact, there are several bachelors in this video that we could help. Let's meet our bachelors right now:

What these Bachelors all have in common is that they all share a slight resemblance to Ashton Kutcher, no?



Darl is the over the top, vain diva. He shares what he's looking for by telling us what makes him so special, and he loves his dog, Pupu. Is this Ashton Kutcher in this dating video? You tell us...



I never thought I'd see the day that Ashton Kutcher would need a dating video in order to get a girl, but hey, he is looking good on that motorcycle.

Check out Ashton's profile on WorldWideLovers.com, let us know if you like what you see on the new dating site.

What do you think it would take to date Ashton Kutcher? What type of girl would he like? Tell us in the comments below.

Let Perfect 10 Introductions Help You Find Your Perfect Match



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Are you tired of the online dating process? Can't seem to find the right woman (yes, ladies this one is geared toward our male audience!) or not sure where to find that special lady?

Well, **Perfect 10 Introductions** is a matchmaking service that makes finding a partner exciting. They also have a process that adjusts to your active lifestyle. Perfect 10 works hard to introduce you to the best of the best: beautiful, sexy, intelligent women from 21-60. This professional

matchmaker service is responsible for making over a hundred marriages in the past 4 years and they have tons of positive testimonials from clients all over the world. What makes this service so unique is that they not only guarantee weekly in-person or over the phone check ins, their executive matchmakers will travel anywhere in the world to meet with you.

One client on the site claims, "I want everyone to know that I found the woman of my dreams through the excellent matchmakers at Perfect 10!"

Perfect 10 offers a flexible contract and intensive recruiting process that can potentially give you results in a matter of weeks. Whether you chose their basic package or the full blown VIP package you will receive complimentary date coaching and wardrobe consultation. Gentleman, what are you waiting for?

Giveaway: Nicole Richie "Fashion Star" Casual Chic Style





This post is sponsored by LOLLO Jewellery.

By Ann Csincsak

One of the hottest new shows on television and a personal favorite of mine is Fashion Star! Nicole Richie shines every week with fashion forward styles and gorgeous Jewelry from her company "House of Harlow." Although her ensembles may be a little out of most people's price range, I have developed some great styles from her that everyone can afford and look spectacular in.

The first look (image above) is a classic casual get-up that maintains some of spring's favorites trends...Bangles, Pops of color, and Headbands. Pair this daytime look with some heels and your ready for an evening out on the town.

The next outfit sports spring's hottest trend and that's the romper. Nicole shows us that although shorts are mostly considered casual, this romper takes your look from daytime drag to everyday chic! Wear this on any date and make your guy's jaw drop with how you can make casual look SEXY!

For more information on any of these styles or to purchase any of the STELLA AND DOT jewelry from these articles check out <http://www.stelladot.com/sites/anncsincsak>. Stella and Dot has the best jewelry for any occasion.

GIVEAWAY ALERT: This week we have a GORGEOUS piece from LOLLO Jewellery. This is a show stopper and a must have for any

jewelry box. In order to win this fabulous piece you need to follow LOLO on Facebook and leave a comment asking to enter the contest. It's that simple.

LOLO striking large blue oval Swarovski crystal and sterling silver cocktail ring.



Here is the [link](#) to their facebook page. Make sure to 'LIKE' and leave a comment saying you want to enter.

You can also follow them on twitter and leave a comment as well. Either way you are entered.

Twitter: @lolo_jewellery

Count Phone Numbers, Not Calories!





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By Daniela Agurcia

Instead of wasting your time cooking and working to manage your weight, let The Fresh Diet take care of your culinary needs while you manage your social calendar. The Fresh Diet can help you lose weight by offering fresh, healthy, calorie-controlled meals delivered daily straight to your door.

The Fresh Diet is the perfect way for you to slim down while giving you some free time to go on that date you've kept putting off or that girls night out you've been meaning to have with your BFFS.

Tons of celebrities such as Jennifer Aniston and Sandra Bullock have subscribed to The Fresh Diet and have loved it. Look as good as some of our A-listers celebs, and lose 10 pounds this month with The Fresh Diet itself. Let The Fresh Diet do all the work, while you go out and meet new people.



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Platinum is a Celebrity's Best Friend, It Can Be Yours Too





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By [Lori Bizzoco](#)

When it comes to celebrities and their diamonds, nothing makes them glow better than when they're set in precious platinum.

Whether it be diamond rings, earrings or bracelets, platinum is a celebrity favorite. Ann Hathaway, Mila Kunis Halle Berry, Sandra Bullock, Nicole Kidman and many more have worn it over and over again on the red carpet. In February, Jennifer Hudson who gave an emotional tribute to Whitney Houston at the Grammy's, wore a radiant pair of platinum and onyx earrings by Neil Lane.

But, what happens if you don't have a movie stars budget? Well, your are in luck because for the first time in recent history, the price of gold per ounce has risen higher than that of Platinum. So, now platinum is more attainable than ever before.

Three Key Reasons to Buy Platinum:

- It's eternal and has everlasting radiance
- The durability and resistance to wear makes it the most secure and protective metal, which means your jewelry will be protected for a lifetime
- Platinum does not change shape or wear away so precious stones are held firmly and securely.

If you are in a relationship and ring shopping, now is a great time to invest in this rare commodity. A women's wedding band

and engagement ring are two of the most sentimental and important pieces of jewelry that she will ever own. For a man, his wedding band needs to last a lifetime too. Platinum will stand the test of time and look just as good fifty years into the marriage as the first day its put on.

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Change Your Jewelry as Often as You Change Your Shoes



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A woman loves her shoes, but how amazing would it be to be able to change your jewelry as often? There are many times where you find yourself all glammed up and ready for your

girls' night out in your perfect outfit, but are just missing that one piece of jewelry that would complete your look. It's difficult to afford some of the glamorous necklaces and rings you see in magazines and on celebrities. You can be the first to wear the newest fashions, JennaLogan.com has endless options of fine jewelry for you to RENT, or even buy, at a low cost. Now you can look like an A-Lister without busting your budget. It's the perfect opportunity to dress up your outfit for occasions such as your best friend's wedding or a date to a fancy restaurant.

There are new styles arriving daily, and hundreds to choose from. Now you can complete your outfit and look and feel great, without having to empty your wallet. There are no initiation fees, no cancellation fees, and no stress.



~~ENTER TO WIN: Here's even better news. Readers of this blog can register to win an exclusive jewelry giveaway. The prize is a Blue and White Diamond Earring Paisleys set in Sterling Silver valued at \$499.99. Click [here](#) to sign up.~~

This giveaway is now closed.