

'The Bachelor' Celebrity Couple Jesse and Ann Csincsak Are Expecting a "Play Friend" for Son Noah



This week, our favorite celebrity couple from *The Bachelor* and CupidsPulse.com contributors, Jesse Csincsak and his wife Ann, announced their celebrity pregnancy: They're expecting a second child in March! The famous couple, who married in 2010, are excited to give their son Noah a brother or sister. "He is pumped to have a play friend," Jesse says with a laugh. Noah will turn three right before their [celebrity baby](#) is born.

Jesse and Ann Csincsak Open Up About Their Celebrity Pregnancy

As excited as the family is about the new addition, Ann has had some difficulties with her pregnancy so far and has been sick 24 hours a day. “We had to call in her parents to help out,” Jesse shares. “Someone has to take care of Ann, while someone else runs our businesses and takes care of our son.” The mom-to-be experienced some discomfort with their first child, but the celebrity couple says that it’s completely different this time. “She had morning sickness during her pregnancy with Noah but only in the mornings. This is constant and has been from the start,” he tells us. “Not fun!”

Related Link: [Jesse Csincsak Rescues Mother and Son From Same Area as First Date with His Wife](#)

Could all this mean that a little girl is on the way? Jesse told FOX411’s Pop Tarts column that Ann was “secretly hoping for a girl to one day take over the fashion business she is building.”

For right now, the Csincsak’s don’t know the sex of the baby and hasn’t decided on any names yet. They’ll find out if they’re having a boy or girl in the next couple of weeks (Ann is in her second trimester), and they plan on filling us in as soon as they know.



Noah Csincsak
holding a sonogram
of his new sibling.

Of course, they can't escape their *Bachelor* roots. The first-ever *Bachelorette* celebrity couple, Ryan and Trista Sutter, live one neighborhood away and have remained close with the Csincsak's. "They've been amazing," Jesse and Ann reveal. "They helped us move into the area and gave us advice on what doctors to use."

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When the foursome get together, they never really talk about their reality TV past. Instead, they focus on real-life happenings. "Ryan and I are always talking about our kids or good hiking spots. Trista loves shopping at Ann's store, Cashmere & Coco, in Vail Village, so they talk fashion and whatever else it is that girls talk about," Jesse says.

Could this be the makings of a *Bachelor to Babies* spin-off?

Stay tuned for more Bachelor news!

Kelly Ripa's NYC Chic



By Ann Csincsak

Kelly Ripa is the queen of morning talk shows and the fashion envy of every woman who turns on their television to catch her witty gossip and banter. As a mother of three, Kelly's toned figure and effortless style is a great reason to set your DVR to *LIVE with Kelly and Michael* on ABC.

Often seen on the streets of New York City with her hunky husband, Mark Consuelos, Kelly proves that beauty, brains and style *can* all be found in one package (image above).

1. [Lipsy Dome Handbag](#) \$75

2. [House of Harlow Lynn Sunglasses](#) \$70
3. [Michael Kors Berkley Sandal](#) \$150
4. [Banana Republic Ponte Striped Skirt](#) \$79.50
5. [Vintage Lion Head Necklace](#) \$49
6. [Y-3 Racer-Back Tank](#) \$25



1. [Oasis Yellow Drape Blouse](#) \$45
2. [Hudson Signature Boot Cut Jeans](#) \$198
3. [Kork-Ease Hailey Wedges](#) \$170
4. [Alice and Olivia Elise Blazer](#) \$194
5. [Forever21 Marble Mint Ring](#) \$3.80
6. [Essie 'Put A Ripka Ring' Polish](#) \$14

This multitasking mother gives us the perfect blend of sweet and savvy with her everyday outfits. Follow her lead and dress to impress by wearing solid tops and fantastic accessories. It doesn't matter if Kelly's relaxing on the beach in the Hamptons, picking her children up from school or walking the red carpet for an event, this blonde bombshell always makes a splash!

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Kate Beckinsale's High Fashion Charm



By [Ann Csincsak](#)

If I had to admit my celebrity fashion crushes, [Kate Beckinsale](#) would be at the top of the list. Not only does this [mother](#) have amazing fashion sense, but her effortless beauty is a showstopper in every weekly magazine.

This first look (image above) is perfect for a day [date](#) in the city. A simple tee and vintage-washed jeans will make you appear simple and chic, while some great gold accessories and dark polish will help you catch his eye.

1. [Michael Kors Oversized Watch](#) \$275
2. [Sol Angeles Sugar Sugar Tee](#) \$58
3. Essie Licorice Nail Polish \$8
4. [Ray Ban Classic Wayfarer](#) \$200
5. [Joe's Jeans Skinny Vintage](#) \$165

The next outfit shows off the best of spring fashion with a muted print blazer, cropped jeans and dark accessories. Take a cue from Kate's street style, and pair our favorite spring blazer (below) with your comfortable cropped skinny jeans to step out for a great [spring date](#).



1. [Hudson Collin Skinny in Westwood](#) \$205
2. [D&G Oversized Sunglasses](#) \$160
3. [Chica Nova Rainbow Stripe Blazer](#) \$82
4. [Vintage Chanel Xl Jumbo Quilted Bag](#) *actual bag shown in picture

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Jessica Alba's Sexy Sweet Style



By Ann Csincsak

From a hero in *The Fantastic Four* to a stay-at-home mom to her two daughters, this woman knows how to steal the spotlight with every outfit she wears. Her chic style is the envy of every shopper at the Target checkout counter since she graces the cover of *InStyle's* February issue.

Jessica has the perfect balance of sexy and smart in this street-savvy black ensemble and denim-on-denim outfit. She perfectly transitions from winter to spring with a vest and

open-toed heels. **STYLE TIP:** Keep your accessories light and dainty for the upcoming season!

Get The Look



1. MinkPink Motorcycle Diaries Vest, \$69
2. J Brand Low Rise Leggings, \$150
3. Essie Chinchilly Nail Polish, \$8
4. Kate Spade Mini Bow Ring, \$48 *TREND ALERT!

Jessica Alba



1. Wildfox Couture Peacock Feather, \$59

2. Missoni Maki Skirt, \$450

3. Chicnova Denim Vest, \$39

4. Baublebar Arrow Ring, \$24

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Zoe Saldana's Laid-Back Style



By Ann Csincsak, Vintage Sweet & Chic

The fast rising star of the new hit film *'The Words,'* Zoe

Saldana, gets a top-tier award for her easy laid-back style. She always dresses to impress, even in her everyday denim. She takes a t-shirt and makes it special with eye-catching accessories and flawless makeup. If you're looking for a great weekend outfit to wear on a daytime date or out to a lunch at your local farmer's market, take a look at Zoe before heading out the door.



1. Knitted Blue Cardigan (ROMWE.com), \$22.95
2. Bacio 61 Estatto, \$160
3. Waverly Cory Satchel, \$295
4. Grey and White Striped Tee (sheinside.com), \$33
5. J Brand Maria High-Rise (actual), \$220



1. J. Crew Basic White Tee, \$25
2. J Brand Skinny Leg Jeans (actual), \$175
3. Asos Tassel Crossbody Bag, \$26
4. Rocker Bracelet Set (shoplately.com), \$16

No matter what your style, remember to stay true to yourself and you will always look amazing! Follow the trends, but don't be afraid to change them and step out on your own, just like Zoe.

PLUS: TOWNE & REESE GIVEAWAY!

Towne and Reese Giveaway



GIVEAWAY ALERT: This week, we are featuring a fabulous look for any style from Towne and Reese, a favorite jewelry brand of Emily Maynard, our most recent [Bachelorette](#). Emily was spotted wearing Towne and Reese in almost every episode this season – and now, you can wear it too!

Towne and Reese will be giving away two of my favorite pieces: the Harlow Necklace in Gold (above) and the Elena Mint Ring (below), both worn by Emily during the show.

TO ENTER: “Like” the [Towne and Reese Facebook Page](#) and leave a comment saying that you are there for the #giveaway.



Blake Lively's High-Fashion Style



By Ann Csincsak, Vintage Sweet & Chic

Blake Lively has given us something to gossip about for years, between her hit drama TV show on the CW and her high-fashion style. Whether she is hitting the streets of NYC as Serena from *Gossip Girl*, or grabbing a coffee at The Grove in LA, she always looks show-stopping. Her style is high fashion with a mix of sexy sophistication. She shows ladies in their 20s how to take their wardrobe up a notch. With a new major movie at the box office, *Savage*, she is a star we can't take our eyes off.

- 1.Suno Wide Leg Pants, \$420 SPLURGE!**
- 2.H & M Tank, \$7.95**
- 3.Fendi Peekaboo Bag, \$695 Actual, SPLURGE!**
- 4.BDG Classic Belt Urban Outfitters, \$29.95**
- 5.Forever21 Romantic Lace Floppy Hat, \$12.80**

The next look is for all the city girls who are looking to stay with this summer's Maxi trend – while making it look effortless, of course! Some people have a hard time thinking of a long skirt as casual, but Lively shows us that you can be casual and bold with the addition of strong summer colors. Keep this look simple by mixing material like the python bag with a bold-red color, but leave your top and accessories neutral.

- 1.Rag and Bone Feather Red Skirt (Barney's), \$395 SPLURGE!**
- 2.H &M Basic Tank, \$7.95**
- 3.Towne and Reese Ellie Marie Bracelets, \$45**
- 4.Koret Handbag Python, \$278**

You don't have to spend a lot to look fabulous on a weekend away or on date at a super-chic restaurant. Look to this blonde bombshell for fashion inspiration and wear head-turning colors with a variety of accessories to leave a lasting impression.

EXCLUSIVE:

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Contestants Ann and Jesse Csincsak Defend Their Family By Appearing on Discovery Channel's 'American Guns'



By [Whitney Baker](#)

According to recent polls, twenty-three percent of females now own a gun – up from thirteen percent in 2005. However, plenty of women are still fearful of this powerful weapon. Ann Csincsak, 'The Bachelor' Season 13 contestant and wife of 'The Bachelorette' season 4 winner Jesse Csincsak, knows this feeling all too well.

"I grew up in a 'no gun home,'" Ann says. "We strongly

believed in the right to own firearms but never did so ourselves. Until my late twenties, I had never even touched a gun.”

This all changed when the couple faced a string of robberies in their neighborhood. Ann and Jesse agreed that with a sixteen-month-old son at home, it was time to decide how they would best defend their family but the happy couple disagreed about keeping a gun in their home. That was until they met up with Rich Wyatt, owner of Gunsmoke and star of the Discovery Channel series ‘American Guns,’ who lives near the Csincsak’s in Wheat Ridge, Colorado. Ann and Jesse opted to take Wyatt’s three-day self-defense course, which was filmed for the reality show.

Related: [‘American Guns’ Meets ‘The Bachelor’](#)

As viewers will see on this week’s episode, Ann was hesitant about buying a pair of handguns when they arrived at Wyatt’s store. But, her hesitancy soon turned to confidence when she ended up with the fastest draw time in the class. Not only that, but despite her fear of guns, Ann even beat out Jesse in a shooting competition.

“Because of this experience, I now understand the importance of being able to protect yourself,” Ann says. “Women are more vulnerable to attacks, so you have to be prepared to take care of yourself and your [children](#), no matter what the cost.”

Related: [Bachelorette Episode 6: The Dos and Dont’s of Trusting Your Gut](#)

Knowing how to handle a gun with confidence is a valuable skill to have, especially for single women who may live alone or be looking for love in today’s digital dating world. Of course, facing your fear is only the first step. To combat any uncertainty, Ann strongly recommends taking a gun education class.

“Carrying a gun or even just owning one will always make me a little uncomfortable, but the benefit of having one far outweighs the fear,” she says.

Watch ‘American Guns’ this Wednesday at 10 PM/9 PM CT on the Discovery Channel to see what happens when Ann and Jesse meet Rich and his family at Gunsmoke.

Jennifer Aniston’s Simple Style



By Ann Csincsak, Vintage Sweet & Chic

Jennifer Aniston has been a fashion icon since the first day

she stepped on to the set of 'Friends.' She always pulls off effortless red carpet looks, often wearing a flowing gown and loose waves in her hair. Sure, some people prefer to get a little more dolled up, but we can take a few simple tips from her everyday wardrobe and add it to our own sense of style.

This first look is ideal for a daytime date or for any on-the-go woman. She makes us believe that white jeans can actually stay white! Paired with this gorgeous mauve vest, this outfit is a definite must for summer.

- 1. Hudson Skinny Crop Jeans \$165**
- 2. Urban Outfitter Metal Aviator \$14**
- 3. Tulle Mohair Cardigan \$120**
- 4. American Vintage Grey Tank \$24**
- 5. Jessica Simpson Suede Virnica Boots \$89.95**
- 6. Michael Kors Rose Gold Watch \$295 MUST HAVE!**

The next look (image at top) is from Jennifer's recent vacation in Paris, looking better than ever with her new man by her side. This style is easy to copy with a pair of jeans that you already own – just add a classic blazer and simple gold accessories. This outfit is a signature look for one of America's Sweethearts.

- 1. Sperry Bahama Boat Shoe \$75**
- 2. Ralph Lauren Crown Crested Navy Blazer \$119**
- 3. Nila Anthony Satchel \$77**
- 4. H&M Aviators \$6.95**
- 5. Target Floral Scarf \$20**
- 6. Guess Spectrum Oversized Gold Tone Watch \$125**

Jenifer Aniston knows how to look classic and chic everywhere she goes. Just remember: whether this outfit is for a date with your new crush or one with your long-time man, always keep your look fresh with great accessories and simple style.

Kate Middleton's Royal Style



By Ann Csincsak, Vintage Sweet & Chic

Kate Middleton has not only captured our hearts with her sweet disposition and charm, but also with her show stopping royal style. Prince William's wife is arguably one of the luckiest women in the world; she not only gets the everyday luxury of wearing amazing one of a kind designers, but she is also the

future queen of England. For those reasons, we should take a few tips from her flawless look.

The first look (image above) has been on the cover of quite a few magazines in the last few days, but there is a way to take this royal red dress and make it a dazzling date dress. Her actual dress is a one of a kind Alexander McQueen, but I have found a great alternative for the neckline, and the price just for our readers.

1.Amanda Uprichard's Red Silk Wrap Dress \$89.95 SALE

2.Ada Handbags Red and Gold clutch \$ 94

3.Stella and Dot Paradise Brooch \$39

4.Aldo Suede Nude Heels \$69 SALE

5.Hair This Loose wave look is so easy to do with a large barrel curling iron!

The second look is ideal for the classic, easy style of The Dutchess, but can also make for a great going out outfit for any girl looking to up her status in the dating scene. Keep it clean and classic without adding too many bells and whistles with accessories. Kate is keeping with the spring and summer trends without over powering the pop of color in her jeans. *Fashion tip, always let your colored jeans be the main focus of the outfit, never try to pair color with the same, or a different color!

1.J Brand Coral Skinny Jeans \$164

2.Nordstroms Fishtail Blazer \$98

3.OPI 'Sweet Memories' Nail Polish \$8 (MY NEW FAVORITE!)

4.Towne and Reese Maybelle Earrings \$15.50 SALE

5.BCBG Low Wedge \$88

6. Mac Lip Lacquer \$19.95

7. Vintage Hermes Silk Scarf \$295

Kate Middleton's look will always be regal and effortless! Take your cues from her when it comes to sleek style, without losing your fashion edge and personal flair.

Kim Kardashian's Daytime Date Looks





By Ann Csincsak, Vintage Sweet & Chic

Although Kim Kardashian has had her share of ups and downs in her love life, she definitely can rock an outfit on any date. Kim has a great sense of style and always knows how to dress her curvy body to make it look great. Take a few fashion tips from her on her bright color choices and use of accessories!

In this first look (image above), she is wearing her signature stacked platform heels with a pop of orange, which is great for spring and summer fashion. The look works for any daytime date, keeping it casual while still looking polished. Finish it off with some soft waves in your hair and a light polish on your nails, and you will be ready for a day out with your favorite man.

1. **Blank Denim Vegan pants** \$78
2. **Christopher Kane Jacket (actual)** \$1900
3. **Urban Outfitters SkarGorn Female Tee** \$58
4. **Kimchi Black Platforms** \$68

5. Trina Turk Tortoise Cuff \$75

Kim's next look is great for a baseball game, lunch date or any other spontaneous afternoon activity. Keep accessories as the main focus, and your outfit with look effortless.



1. Asos Workwear Blazer \$44

2. Aldo Fones Sunglasses \$12

3. Big Buddha Palm Bag \$78

4. Bertie Kasses Tribal Sandal \$112

5. Sanctuary Cargo Pants \$78.90

6. Essie Nail Polish "Sheer Bliss" \$7.95

No matter what the occasion, take a cue from this gorgeous reality star and showcase your assets while looking simple and stylish!

'The Bachelor' Season 16 Finale: Jesse Csincsak Discuss Ben Flajnik's Decision to Choose Courtney Robertson



By Steven Zangrillo

Matterhorn Madness! It was the ending we saw coming. Courtney Robertson got her ring. America groaned. Life went on.

And so, we've come to the conclusion of the 16th season of The Bachelor. While it would be difficult to attach superlatives

like “best” to the rhetorical descriptive of this season, “most weird” would definitely be a fine way to describe it. This season was beyond weird. Aside from the usual batch of girls who didn’t quite make the cut, we saw a strange dynamic develop between Ben Flajnik, Courtney Robertson and Lindzi Cox. You would imagine that, at first glance, Lindzi would be the runaway favorite. A girl like Courtney, who chafes and bothers everyone she’s in the same room with, shouldn’t have made the cut. Lindzi is a self-made, sharp, talented professional who sustains and supports herself. However, Courtney is, ahem, a skinny dipping model. Unfortunately, for America that’s what Ben seemed to be looking for in a wife. Lindzi was sent packing. Ben worried that the feelings “wouldn’t last a lifetime.” These are the ebbs and flows of *The Bachelor*. Below, Jesse gives his take on Ben’s big decision and whether he flubbed it, or not.

1. Ben’s sister Julie acted as if it would take a lot for her to like Courtney. Were you surprised with how quickly she changed her mind?

Jesse: Nope! She drank the Courtney Kool-Aid. Plus, the producers could have told her what to say and how to act. They probably edited it in a way to make us see it that way.

2. Did Ben look stiff and awkward to you while Lindzi was opening up and being vulnerable to him on their date?

Jesse: Ben always looks a bit stiff to me but, yes he seemed awkward. Listen up ladies... if you tell a guy *numerous* times that you love him and he doesn’t say it back... it’s *game over*.

Related: [Courtney Robertson Says She Tried Hard To Be Nice to the Other Women](#)

3. Was there any time during the episode that you thought maybe, just maybe the whole thing would be twisted and Ben would choose Lindzi over Courtney?

Jesse: Nope. People love to hate. Choosing Courtney meant ratings. Mike Fleiss loves that!

4. Any advice for Lindzi given that she was rejected on National television?

Jesse: Keep on keepin, girl. You're the whole package. You'll be *just* fine.

Related: [What Does Astrology Tell Us About Bachelor Ben Flajnik and His Quest for Love?](#)

5. When Ben was preparing to propose to Courtney, he said "but." What was your reaction?

Jesse: Just a production adlib. They made him include that in his proposal.

6. After watching The Final Rose, have your feelings about Courtney changed?

Jesse: I still don't believe her, but I think Mike Fleiss and his production team have sold out Ben for ratings.

Related: [The Bachelor Season 16: Ann and Jesse Csincsak Discuss Hometown Dates and One Big Faux Wedding](#)

7. Do you think that Ben should have been there by Courtney's side throughout the media backlash?

Jesse: Of course. If you chose her you should defend her, bro. Stick by what you do!

8. Any predictions for this couple?

Jesse: Best of luck!

'The Bachelor' Season 16 Episode 9: Ann and Jesse Csincsak Discuss Ben's Final Dates in Switzerland



By [Lori Bizzoco](#)

On this week's episode of The Bachelor, it was time for Ben Flajnik to narrow the girls down to two. The scene for the infamous one-on-one fantasy suite dates was set in Switzerland where Nicki, Lindzi and Courtney had the opportunity to get some alone time with Ben. In the middle of it all, was an unexpected twist. Kacie B. decided to return. She timidly knocked on Ben's hotel room door and wanted him to give her a reason why he let her go. His reasoning being simply because

they were “world’s apart.” Personally, we didn’t think he could muster up the courage to say that her parents were too old-fashioned for his taste (e.g., they were opposed to having their daughter move in with him before she was married).

Kacie then continued the conversation by letting Ben know that Courtney was up to no good and could break his heart.

This all happened directly following Ben’s one-on-one talk with Courtney about this very issue. Nevertheless, when it came to the final rose ceremony it wasn’t Courtney being sent home; it was Nicki. Sometimes, a man has to do, what a man has to do. And, then there were two! As if we didn’t know who was “winning!” Here’s a look at the weekly Q&A from your resident Bachelor Couple, Ann and Jesse Csincsak:

1. Overall, what did you think of tonight’s episode? What was your favorite part?

Jesse: It’s was very uneventful! I was glad to see Kacie come back; it made it a little more interesting.

Ann: I enjoy watching the show more towards the end because you’re a little more invested in the girls and who goes home and who stays. In the beginning, I don’t care as much about who gets cut!

2. Ben seems extremely confused (for good reason), is there anyone he can call or talk to about his feelings or is it all on him?

Jesse: Nope! He’s all alone on this one. He really isn’t even supposed to talk to his family.

Ann: No, the producers are not the ones to talk to because to be honest they are probably the CEO’s and Board of directors for Team Courtney, THEY want him to pick her.

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3. That scene where Ben and Nicki were dropped off on the cliff by helicopter, how long do they leave them there in the middle of nowhere?

Jesse: A couple of hours they just film a couple of shots and all the producers and camera men are there.

Ann: I would say they were up there long enough to get a good shot and kiss and that's about it. It just made for good TV because it was so dramatic to be standing on a cliff.

4. Why do they keep making Lindzi do these daring dates instead of giving her a romantic one-on-one? Do you think these type of dates work for or against someone?

Jesse: She told producers she was afraid of heights so they play on that. I think he likes her at this point so the dates are just for show.

Ann: They have her do it 1) because she is afraid of heights. 2) He is probably not as romantically interested in her. They just have a really good time together. I think in the begging these stunts work well for women because it shows a sense of adventure in them but towards the end it just feels like a repeat of the daring ones from the beginning.

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5. What's really going on in the fantasy suite?

Jesse: Exactly what you think happens in the fantasy suite happens in the fantasy suite.

Ann: N/A

6. Do you think Courtney was sincere in apologizing? Do you think she really likes Ben?

Jesse: Yes and no. I think she's sorry she is getting flack

but not sorry she's gotten so much attention.

Ann: I think she likes the idea of Ben and WINNING! That's it.

Related: ['The Bachelor' Season 16: Ann and Jesse Csincsak Weigh in on Awkward Kissing Scene and Serial Nudist Courtney](#)

7. What did you think of Kacie B's return? Was that done by the producers to position her as the next Bachelorette like we've seen many times before?

Jesse: Totally produced! I don't think she'll be the Bachelorette but you'll see her again on the pad.

Ann: I think she will be forgotten by the time the next Bachelorette (after Emily) comes around, so no. But it was producer planned and it made for a few minutes of excitement. I kept thinking he would let her come back.

8. What would you do if you were Ben and everyone kept warning you about someone you had strong feelings for?

Jesse: Ignore it! People do what they want in the end.

Ann: It would depend on how I felt for that person. There are plenty of people my friends have dated that were bad news and me telling my friend made no difference to them. Maybe it gets someone thinking but in the end people have to decide for themselves.

9. Anything you hope to hear or see on the tell-all next week?

Jesse: A whole bunch of drama! Haha! They are gonna destroy Courtney and she can't even defend herself. Oh well!

How to Get Jessica Biel's Perfect Date Looks



By [Ann Csincsak](#)

It's not always easy to replicate your favorite celebrity looks, but this weekend it is! We have some of Jessica Biel's iconic looks that are perfect for any date situation this weekend. Whether it's a weekend getaway, a romantic dinner out, or a casual walk around your favorite city Jessica Biel knows how to pull off the perfect look and now SO DO YOU!

Jessica Biel's Getaway Date

Love this look (image above) for a weekend getaway! Always remember black is always a great option, just spice it up with some color pops. I love the way the animal print scarf

becomes the center of this outfit.

Daytime Date

A great pair of boot cut jeans and a blazer are always a casual look for daytime that anyone can pull off. Jessica wears this perfectly with a dressier necklace and a great pair of wedges. This Basic Blazer shown below is from Forever 21 so don't forget you don't have to break the bank to look fabulous!

Most of us can't wait for spring and this next look is a great way to incorporate some lighter spring colors into your fall wardrobe. Remember suffering for fashion is one thing but freezing for it is another so dress warm with lots of cute layers.

Make sure to leave comments on your favorite looks, for more information, or to tell us how YOU wore it! Make sure to check in every Friday for how to steal more of your favorite celebrity looks. For more fashion tips and stories check out www.vintagesweetandchic.com.

**Exclusive: Former
'Bachelorette' Winner Jesse
Csincsak Rescues Mother and
Son from Same Area as First**

Date with His Wife



By Daniela Agurcia and Steven Zangrillo

When Former 'Bachelorette' winner Jesse Csincsak treads deep into the Colorado woods, he should bring a few lotto tickets with him. On Friday, February 17, the Breckenridge local was snowmobiling 15 miles in the middle of the backcountry in Vail when he came across a lost mother and her son. Mother, Hilary Skye, and son, Dillon, had been stranded before Jesse came to the rescue. This isn't the first (or second) serendipitous encounter to sneak up on the professional snowboarder as he's navigated the trails of the Rocky Mountains. Last year Thomas Pazerunas had also lost his way 15 miles behind the Vail Resort with no cell service until Csincsak helped him.

As if playing backwoods Superman wasn't enough, Csincsak also

notably brought his wife, 'Bachelor' Season 13 contestant Ann Csincsak, out into the same backcountry chill for their first date.



Meeting a new flame's friends is hard enough in the first place... but on a weekend getaway in -10F degree weather? Very bold. Ann made it through without a hitch. That's the textbook definition of a "keeper." Ann is proud of Jesse for the lives that he has saved and when asked if he's a hero Jesse says, "I'm paying Karma forward and would want someone to do the same for my wife and son." Looks like Ann has a keeper as well.



So, while it is definitely ill-advised to foray off the trail through the woods in 9 feet of snow, isn't it nice to know that Jesse could swoop in to save the day at any minute? Maybe the chances are unlikely, but it's nice to see someone fusing star power and humility with such harmonious ease. Be it first dates, hitting the slopes, or completing acts of heroism, it looks like the snowy ranges of Colorado are a place of serendipitous success for Jesse Csincsak.

Photos: Courtesy of Jesse Csincsak

**'The Bachelor' Season 16
Episode 8: Ann and Jesse
Csincsak Discuss Hometown
Dates (Three Girls and a**

Wedding)



By [Lori Bizzoco](#)

This week on The Bachelor Season 16 with Ben Flajnik, we were taken to the horse country, the Bible Belt, a Texas-style dress-up party and a mock wedding. Yes, three women and a wedding. Lindzi got to show Ben what it was like to race horses, ride horses and grow up with horses all around her.

She said she rode before she even walked. Nikki's fun-loving spirit led Ben into a Texan cowboy store where they both bought hats and boots and sported being a Texan all day. Ben said it was something that he always wanted to do. Courtney invited Ben not only to meet her family but to meet his future wife (her) in a full-course wedding with an officiant and all.

They exchanged vows in what some Twitter followers say was a rip-off of Sex and the City. Overall, the parents seemed down-to-earth and warm towards Ben. However, the one family

that didn't welcome him as easily as Kacie B. Unfortunately, their traditional values and lack of alcohol consumption (after all, Ben is a wine maker) probably got in the way of his feelings for her. At the end of the episode, she was the one who was sent packing.

Here's this week's Q&A commentary from Ann and Jesse Csincsak:

1. What are your thoughts on Ben's horse date with Lindzi?

Jesse: Umm Lindz is the whole package! She is down-to-earth and fun. Her parents are super fun and she is not bad to look at either.

Ann: Very cute! It seemed very true to who she is. Not just sitting around the house but outdoors enjoying life.

2. What did you think of the coincidences between Lindzi's parents and Ben and Lindzi's first date?

Jesse: Her parents are easy going and I think they would be fun to have as in-laws.

Ann: I thought it was funny Lindzi didn't know any of that stuff about her parents but very funny coincidences...

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3. Do you think Kacie B's conservative family had anything to do with Ben not choosing her? Why?

Jesse: No one and I mean NO ONE wants to have in-laws that are up tight and tell you how you're gonna live your life with your other half. LET PEOPLE LIVE THERE LIVES!!

Ann: Yes!!! I think that was most of the reason. If Jesse asked my dad if he could marry me and my dad said no that would be a big deal. Ben must have sensed that after meeting them.

4. Thoughts on Bachelor Ben in a Texas cowboy get up?

Jesse: I know nothing about fashion but I am sure my wife would call it a #FashionFail

Ann: Gag! Ben looked hilarious in that hat. Thank God he didn't audition for Sweet Home Alabama.

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5. There were four bottles of wine opened on this episode (maybe more) over promotional? normal? or on the brink of alcoholism?

Jesse: Producers pump you full of alcohol and try to get you to say things that you wouldn't normally say- PERIOD.

Ann: Most people would call that alcoholism on the bachelor it's just another Monday night!

6. What did you think about Courtney's family? She obviously picked up the skinny dipping hobby from her dad if you saw the last few moments of the episode!

Jesse: Courtney's family seemed ok but she still seems to act like she is better than them or above them. I can't really put my finger on it. The producers are definitely realizing that they need to redeem Courtney and her image and as far as I am concerned it's just too late. And the wedding was a total repeat of a date Ashley Hebert had on her season. I really wish the producers would stop recycling dates!

Ann: They seemed nice but very negative and skeptical. Probably where she gets it from! I hope she didn't steal skinny dipping tips from her dad.

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7. What would you have done if you were the Bachelor/Bachelorette and someone played out the whole marriage scenario like Courtney did?

Jesse: I would refuse. Marriage is the real deal not something fun to do for a joke on a date.

Ann: I wouldn't do it. It would be funny for a second but vows and a ring exchange was too much. Being married and having that moment is serious and shouldn't be cheapened for a good TV episode.

8. Do you think Courtney took a risk setting up the whole wedding or she smartly played right to the cameras?

Jesse: It was totally produced. It was a cut and paste date from Ashley H.'s season.

Ann: I think the cameras and producers set it all up and Courtney said YES! They have very little to do with the dates.

9. Any thoughts or surprises with the final rose ceremony?

Jesse: I thought Nikki could be the one to go home but Kacie's parents shot any of her chances down. It's okay Kacie; you're a doll. You will be just fine.

Ann: I was surprised Kacie B. went home but not surprised after her family's reaction to Ben. Her family doesn't even drink and he MAKES WINE for a living... Those two don't add up.

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10. Are you looking forward to watching Emily on the next season of 'The Bachelorette'?

Jesse: I think Little Miss Golddigger's season will be the

worst one yet. How can you watch someone that you know is a LIAR? She claims that she hates the press and the cameras but yet she's The Bachelorette? Sorry, not interested in seeing you send 24 guys home and choose an ARMDOLL to prance around with for a few months after your season is done. Total fail in my opinion. Her season will be as fake as it gets!

Ann: Yes, but to be honest it's to see her fashion choices. She has great style.

11. They showed what looked to be a dramatic trailer and a surprise appearance on Emily's season, who do you think comes back?

Jesse: Honestly, I think we will either see Brad or Bentley. Either one would be stupid to come back for her.

Ann: That scene was from her season with Brad but I think it might be Brad that shows up or at least I hope it is.

12. Do you think the producers will do what's needed to keep Emily's daughter, Ricki close by? Do you know what took place when Jason Mesnick went on the show?

Jesse: I think Emily bringing them to the south to film is going to be a total train wreck and having her daughter close by is a sketchy situation at best.

Ann: I believe Ty stayed home with Jason's family, not sure. I think Ricky will either stay with family back home or Emily's family is staying in LA with Ricki to be close by.

13. Have you heard anything about Bachelor Pad 3 yet?

Jesse: Nope, but I am sure they have all their producers chipping away at it.

Ann: No but I have a few good guesses for the new cast!

14. Anything to add?

Jesse: I will be surprised if this show gets resigned after Emily's season.

'The Bachelor' Season 16 Episode 7: Ann and Jesse Csincsak Weigh in on Ben Flajnik's Ladies in Belize



Welcome to Belize. This week's episode of 'The Bachelor' had quite a few break downs. Lindzi gets a Blue Lagoon type date with Ben and they spend their date hunting for food caveman

style. They end the date by writing a fairy tale love note, putting it in a bottle and sending it out to sea (cheesy).

Nikki has break down #1 complaining that she needs a one-on-one with Ben.

Breakdown #2 was in full swing by Courtney after she becomes enraged at her 'boyfriend' for betraying her by giving Emily a date card. Unfortunately for Emily, there was absolutely no on-air chemistry between them although viewers had to witness their disgusting display of tongue action (gross)!

When Courtney receives the final one-on-one date card, she tells the other girls "he listened to me." Noting earlier, that she better get a date card if he "knew what was good for him." On the date, Courtney makes Ben work for her love by telling him that she may have lost a spark. Sweet and lovable Kacie B. gets a rose on the three-on-one shark diving date with Rachel and Nikki but gets our vote for Breakdown #3 when she opens up about her disdain for Courtney. During the rose ceremony, Emily and Rachel are eliminated.

Next week we are off to the hometown dates!

1. Of the four girls left, who do you feel has the most chemistry with Ben when you watch them together on television?

Jesse: Well let's see. Who has gotten naked for him? Courtney. Who rode him naked in the ocean? Courtney. Who plays the "I-don't-know-if-you-can-meet-my-parents" card? Courtney.

Ann: Kacie B by far! The funny thing is, I dont think he even has chemistry with Courtney. They have a lot of sexual chemistry, but not the romantic kind.

2. Who do you feel has the least amount of chemistry with Ben?

Jesse: Nikki.

Ann: Nikki. I actually thought she was going home and Rachel was staying!

3. What if Lindzi said “no” to jumping out of a plane on her date because she was too scared?

Jesse: It would have made their date a lot more interesting.

Ann: I would have pushed her in! Just kidding. I think they would have bullied her into jumping. Don't underestimate the power of the producers to get you to do something uncomfortable if it makes good television.

4. Is she allowed to say, “no?”

Jesse: This is reality TV. There are no rules. The rules are what the producers say they are in that exact moment! If one of the girls wanted to walk up to Chris Harrison and kiss him, they would let it fly if it created ratings.

Ann: Yes, she is allowed to say no, but they would have made it really awkward for her. At this point, the producers are her “friends.” I use that word lightly – it would have been like all of your friends making you feel dumb for something.

5. If Ben liked her, wouldn't he still like her even if she didn't do it?

Jesse: If Ben is a *real man*, he knows that women almost never do what you ask them (sorry, honey).

Ann: I think Ben is genuine enough that if she hadn't done it he still would have liked her. Do I think she is going to win the show regardless? NO!

6. Are the stunts they do on the show dangerous or is it just made to look that way (shark diving, helicopter jumping)?

Jesse: People do shark diving every day in places like that and people jump out of planes from 4,000 feet in the sky not

30 feet over the water, totally safe in my book!

Ann: They are all things any tourist could do with enough money. So, they're definitely not that dangerous. The show would be over if anyone died from one of these things.

7. Why does Ben keep saying, "I could see myself spending the rest of my life with (insert the person he just went on a date with)?" Or, "I could be falling in love with this person." We hear this after almost every date. Is this true or a canned response?

Jesse: All those lines are done post show. So after the finale, they make Ben and the winner go back and do voice overs, saying all the lines they need to fill in the show. Those just happen to be the lines that they use!

Ann: If you watch closely, his hair is different in some of these shots and it sounds very generic. They use clips from all throughout the season and paste them together (gotta love editing). Aside from that, one of the main requirements to being the 'Bachelor' or 'Bachelorette' is being able to play ball with the producers. Meaning, they have to say certain things on camera if the producers request it or suggest it.

8. Doesn't Courtney "losing the spark" send a red flag that she may do the same thing in a relationship with Ben once the cameras are off and things get "real?"

Jesse: She got naked and rode him in the ocean, need I say more?

Ann: Yes, Yes and YES! If she weren't such a TV gold mine she would be gone by now. This is the "bad boy" syndrome in reverse. Ben is attracted to her because she plays hard to get.

9. Are you excited to see how Courtney acts among her family and what they have to say about her?

Jesse: Nope. I am pretty sure her parents are just like her – they think they're better than the rest. *Sad, really.*

Ann: No, I am sure her family is a lot like her. If they aren't, THANK GOD! I would love to see her family put her in her place, that would make for good TV, but after her mothers article that came out I doubt that will happen.

10. Were you shocked at the outcome? Emily going home and Nicki and Courtney staying?

Jesse: The only one who I thought would stay was Rachel and that Nikki would go. Courtney will be in the final two. She makes the show; otherwise no one would watch!

Ann: YES! I dramatically gasped outloud. I actually thought Rachel would stay instead of Nikki. Oh well.

'The Bachelor' Season 16, Episode 6: Ann and Jesse Csincsak Weigh in on Awkward Kissing Scene and Serial Nudist Courtney





By [Lori Bizzoco](#) and Steven Zangrillo

Welcome to Panama. This season of 'The Bachelor' has taken a turn for the... weird. First, we have serial nudist Courtney Robertson who continues to use her body to command Ben's attention. While on the other end of the sexual spectrum, we have prude-gone-wild Jamie who gives full on kissing instructions to Ben. And, somewhere caught in the middle is Blakely who during the two-on-one date with Rachel, reveals an over-the-top visual board to Ben fantasizing the non-existent romance she was having with him. Jamie and Blakeley were sent packing.

The one-on-one date was with Kacie B., who Ben took to a private island (surprise!). Over the course of the date Kacie divulges that she once had an eating disorder. Opening up to Ben gets her a rose. On the group date, the girls are taken a tribal village in Panama. The girls all don traditional Panamanian tribal wear – over their bikinis. Courtney, however, decided that beads alone would do the job. Ben didn't look so upset about it. However, Lindzi was the one receiving the rose much to Courtney's dismay.

Speaking of being sent home, it was discovered (although with gray areas) that Casey S. has a love interest of her own at home-her (ex) boyfriend Michael who refuses to marry her. Ben wasn't too thrilled and Casey is ousted. And, then there were six!

1. What lessons can we learn from watching Kacie B's interaction with Ben?

Jesse: Realness and honesty are key!

Ann: Be natural and be yourself and it will get you a long way. Like I said a few weeks ago, no games and you will go far in a relationship.

2. Do you think Courtney's strategy of being sexual will keep her in the competition or will it eventually be her demise?

Jesse: Demise! Ben will eventually catch on because being sexual only goes so far. Anyone in a long term relationship knows that you can't base a relationship on it or it will crumble.

Ann: Normally, I would say that doesn't work well for women but in this case I think Ben is under some kind of spell and doesn't realize that he's making the classic mistake of falling for the wrong things about a girl. Courtney is getting her 15 minutes and she knows that, she'll come out of this looking dumb with a lot of attention!

3. Next week looks interesting. Any thoughts on what will happen with Courtney?

Jesse: Maybe she gets pushed off a cliff? A guy can hope. Sorry.

Ann: I think 'The Bachelor' is creating drama this year more than ever. Tonight's episode is a perfect example. Lots of girls have feelings for other guys and none get called out and sent home.

4. What did you think about Blakeley's inspiration book?

Jesse: Creepy. You have known him a month.

Ann: The scrapbook was way too much! I'm just saying. Talk about too much, too fast. She made a vision book about a life with Ben she didn't have. Scary.

5. Why didn't Ben choose Blakeley over Rachel on the two-on-one?

Jesse: Blakeley is always putting her two girls in his face – *not attractive*. Get to know him and cover up your bits and pieces.

Ann: Blakeley came out of nowhere with these serious feelings and was pushing too hard. Lesson for all girls, push too hard and you become too available with no mystery.

6. Regarding Casey S., do you think it's common that people go on The Bachelor/Bachelorette still in love with their ex?

Jesse: Every guy or girl who has ever come on this show has an ex back home and probably had some sort of feelings for them. So, the fact that the producers just pulled this nonsense out of nowhere is ridiculous. They will exploit anyone and everyone to get drama for this show. It's sad really.

Ann: Yes. I think lots of people go on from all different situations. I think they needed a little drama so they made an example out of this. I think if all those girls were honest on camera they would admit to being there for all different reasons, some including fame (*cough, cough* Courtney).

7. The show felt pretty uneventful until the awkward kissing scene with Jamie took place, we would love to hear your thoughts on that scene.

Jesse: I think Jamie was probably told by producers that if

she didn't do something like that, then she was going to be sent home and she fell for it hook line and sinker. I kind of feel bad for her.

Ann: Horrified! I covered my head cause the awkwardness actually made me uncomfortable. It was like watching someone narrate a sex class.

8. Any predictions for who will go home next week?

Jesse: Nikki. No one even knows who she is.

Ann: Emily! Possibly Nikki. I think Emily was kept here for drama but that seems to be gone so, so will she.

'The Bachelor' Season 16 Episode 5: Ann and Jesse Csincsak Talk Skinny Dipping, Ball Playing, 'Sick of Being Single' Bachelorettes





By [Lori Bizzoco](#)

The drama shifted to Puerto Rico this week, where Ben and the remaining ladies visited the island of Vieques. Nicki got the first date, but with a downpour of rain and no umbrellas, the duo was forced to do some shopping for “authentic” and dry Puerto Rican threads. Ben gave Nicki a rose that evening.

For the group date, Ben took the ladies to the historic Roberto Clemente Stadium where they were divided into two teams and went head-to-head in a baseball game. The winning team would enjoy a wonderful beach party with Ben. Kacie B.’s team won and she got the group rose that night but directly following it, Courtney stole Ben at fourth base with some baseball playing of her own.

The next one-on-one took place on a private yacht with Elyse, the same environment as where Ben fell in love with Ashley. Unfortunately, “sick of being single” Elyse will have to suffer because Ben sent her packing. After the one-on-one with Elyse, Courtney decided to “make good” on her promise to skinny dip, so she surprises Ben at his room. A Bachelor

first, the two take off their clothes, the film is edited and the rest is left to our imagination. At the rose ceremony, Ben admits that he feels “crappy” about what happened, Emily bashes Courtney again and the “best kisser” Jen is sent home.

It’s anyone’s guess what will happen next week. Here’s what Ann and Jesse had to say about the episode:

1. After tonight’s episode, which two women do you think have the best shot at being the last ones standing?

Jesse: I think Kacie B, Courtney, and Lindzi have a good shot.

Ann: N/A

2. What did you think of Nicki’s one-on-one? The wedding scene? The rain? And most importantly, her neon nail polish?

Jesse: The only thing interesting about this date was the rain.

Ann: Nicki’s date was cute and seemed very relaxed. She handled herself well with the rain, most girls would have ran for the first cover they could find (me included, due to having curly hair, haha). As far as her neon nail polish, although cute, I think little things like that show peoples age and she is still very young in her actions and personality.

3. On Elyse’s one-on-one she said she was “sick of being single.” Do you think that hurt her chances of getting a rose? What would you have done differently to secure a rose if you were her?

Jesse: I think if she said that to me, she would have been sent home. I wouldn’t want to be the “I-dont-want-to-be-single” choice.

Ann: Yes! She sounded very sincere about finding a guy but not sincere about finding BEN. I think she forgot that she wasnt just talking to a girlfriend about her wanting to be in love again she was talking to a guy she was “dating.” I think that

was the exact reason she went home this week. My one complaint with girls sometimes is when they ask "what they did wrong?" If a guy breaks up with you or ends things dont ask what you did wrong, thank them for admitting that they weren't right for you. They're saving you time and more heartache. I felt like we hadn't heard a lot from her as far as her feelings for Ben until this episode and then all of a sudden she went in high gear to tell him she liked him...too much too fast. I would have told him that I liked him and would like to see where this goes. Not: I want to fall in love with whoever and you happen to be here.

4. Okay, we are dying to know your thoughts on the skinny dipping scene.

Jesse: Courtney is a *skank*. I bet Ben's mom was pumped to see what kind of person she really is when she saw this!

Ann: OMG! The bachelor is gettin scandalous! I am very surprised that Ben went along with this. I know she is gorgeous and what guy wouldn't be into that but I think the producers egged that on and he did it in the end because of production value as well as shock value and IT WORKED! Courtney is the girl you have a fun fling with not settle down with.

5. Do you think Ben and Courtney went all the way? If so, how does this change the game for the other girls?

Jesse: I would have to go with 100% "Yes." As far as changing the game for the other girls, I don't think it changes the game at all.

Ann: No, I don't think they did. I think he is too smart for that. That would ruin the rest of his time on the show cause the other girls would find out and never let him live that down. It's not ok to get physical like that for at least another 4 dates! Kidding. I guess it will be ok to let your boyfriend sleep with other girls when theres only 4 left.

6. If Ben really felt "crappy" then why did he go skinny

dipping in the first place? Unless he picks Courtney in the end, won't the girl he picked get pretty upset at that scene?

Jesse: I think the producers pushed that scene for the drama factor.

Ann: I think he just said that and maybe was feeling a little guilt because he has feelings for some of the other women. If he didn't pick Courtney, I can guarantee whoever was watching that scene got very upset and that is going to be a game changer whether they are still together or not.

7. Do you think Emily staying on another episode was something the producer's decided or do you think Ben really picked her again?

Jesse: Plain and simple, the producers of the show picked her and are keeping her around.

Ann: Producers, plain and simple. He obviously is getting annoyed with her but it makes for good TV, so she is sticking around till they can't get anything else out of her.

8. Why was Jennifer's departure so anti-climatic? Ben didn't even say anything to her. It went from a great date to him kissing her before the rose ceremony tonight to a good-bye with barely any words and a cold embrace.

Jesse: Sometimes this show has moments where it makes absolutely no sense, and this was one of those instances.

Ann: Again, I think the producers gave him a small choice between one of the other women and Jennifer and he might have liked the other woman more and that's why she left. When it gets down to the end Ben has feelings for very few women, and the rest are there as fillers and drama. Sad as it may be, that's the truth and they won't know what part they are playing till they are cut from the show. Jennifer seemed very sweet, I think it was too bad she was blindsided by that.

9. Anything you want to add?

Jesse: This was the most boring episode I have ever watched.

Ann: N/A

'The Bachelor' Season 16, Episode 4: Ann and Jesse Csincsak Give Emily Dating Advice



Drama continues in Park City, Utah where Rachel had the first one-on-one date with Ben and got Rose 1. Then came the group date where the girls rode on horseback through the woods, and

spent an afternoon fly fishing. Ben was testing their ability to be in the country and in a group setting. Unfortunately for some (Samantha Levey), it didn't work out in her favor.

Tensions mounted when Courtney Robertson pulled Ben away and actually caught a fish in the process! Then, she stole Ben again and told him that she needed reassurance where she won his heart and got Rose 2. While she was gloating, Samantha was told by Ben that she was too "emotional" and he sent her packing before the Rose Ceremony. The last date and final rose went to the shy and reserved Jennifer Fritsch (then again, Ben did vote her best kisser). On their one-on-one, the new Bennifer plummeted into a 300 foot crater together.

After it was over, they ran through pouring rain to an outdoor concert by country singer, Clay Walker and she was given date Rose 3. With Samantha already gone, there was only one more person to eliminate that evening. Say good-bye to Monica Spannbauer. And then there were 12.

1. What are your initial thoughts about Rachel?

Jesse: I think Rachel is down to earth; she really seemed to like the lake and canoe date. I think it's pretty rad that she is normal and can enjoy the simple stuff.

Ann: My initial thoughts were: I love her bangs. But passed that, I haven't seen or heard enough from her to form an opinion. I have barely noticed a lot of the girls this season, because they either don't talk very much, or they are going to be cut early on, so the producers aren't showing them too often.

2. Did Ben make the right decision sending Samantha home right there and then? Did you witness her being "emotional" on the group dates?

Jesse: Absolutely – that girl is what's wrong with women in America. She wears high heels, and has blonde hair, but no brains. Did you hear her say, "OMG I am so scared of horses?"

It's like, who is scared of horses? Our country was founded on horseback. Pull it together Blondie!

Ann: When Samantha went home, I looked at my husband and asked, "Where did she come from? I hadn't noticed her other than her amazing Nicole Miller dress at the last rose ceremony. I did appreciate the fact that Ben did not beat around the bush on that one, that he kicked her to the curb faster than Kim Kardashian did her last husband.

3. Did you like the way Courtney played Ben for the rose on the group date? Do you think he'll eventually see what Emily and some of the others see or do you think that maybe Courtney IS a nice person?

Jesse: I despise few things in life, but diarrhea and Courtney are now at the top of my list. She is the worst. I get a headache every time she gets a rose.

Ann: I thought it was weird because it seemed like Courtney hardly had any friends, and then last night she had a BFF that popped out of the woodwork. The producers are showing us what they want to, so even though I think Courtney is not a keeper, she may not be as bad as they are portraying her; except for her laugh, that is truly unnerving.

4. What advice would you have given to Emily?

Jesse: DO YOU GIRL! Don't sweat the stupid models.

Ann: My advice to Emily is the same advice that I would give my daughter or my best friend. Focus on your relationship not anyone else's. The more you tune all the rest of the women out, the faster your relationship with Ben will have the opportunity to blossom (yes, I just used the word blossom).

5. Kacie B., Rachel, Courtney and Jennifer all seem completely different. What do you think Ben's doing with such diverse women?

Jesse: Ben didn't pick them, production did, and each of these different girls appeals to a different audience, which equals ratings, which in turn, equals money.

Ann: I think if anyone were to look at the people they have dated, they would realize they are all completely different. It's one of those things I guess, you just don't know unless you try!

Here are two more questions from our visitors:

6. If Ben decides after four episodes that he found the right girl, what are his options? Must he continue the season? If so, does he have the liberty to pick the same girl for a one-on-one each episode or must he change it up?

Jesse: Ben picks his final 4 girls on night one and the producers pick the one-on-ones and the group dates. If he does find the final one, it's the producer's job to keep him interested in at least one other girl for the sake of the show. If he were totally set on one girl mid-season the show would tank, and it wouldn't be fun to watch.

Ann: I would say on any given rose ceremony, Ben gets to decide only about half the women that get to stay. I think he gets input on what girls he wants one-on-one time with, but at the end of the day he doesn't write the "date cards." I do think, however, that he gets to say if there is someone he really does *not* want to go on a one-on-one with, AKA Samantha.

7. I've heard a lot of complaints about the 20-30 crowd not really knowing what they want and clearly it's hard to make the relationships stick afterwards. What do you think about having an older gentleman 40-50 on the show?

Jesse: I have said forever, that I think they should do a few seasons with non-related Bachelor people involved to make things fresh. I am totally game; lets do it!

Ann: Brad Womack (38) is a good example of someone who was a little older, and it still didn't work out. It doesn't matter the person's age; 'The Bachelor' is not a normal dating situation no matter how you spin it. A "normal, everyday date" on the bachelor still includes a helicopter so the reality is, after the show it's going to be hard to keep the relationship strong, no matter how old someone is. If you want an example of how to make it work after the show just ask Jason and Molly Mesnick, they stayed out of Hollywood and out of drama and they are still happily married because of it.

8. Anything more that you want to add?

Jesse: The guy who puts the black boxes over the naked people is going to be busy next week!

EXCLUSIVE: Former 'Bachelor' Contestants Prepare to File Class Action Lawsuit against ABC Producers





In a move that would be the first-of-its-kind in reality television history, former contestants of the ABC hit reality television shows, 'The Bachelor' and 'The Bachelorette' have spoken to attorneys and are in discussion to file a class action lawsuit, against creators Mike Fleiss and Elan Gale.

This information was disclosed to us in an exclusive interview today by former contestant and 'Bachelorette Season 4' winner, Jesse Csincsak.

"Once you're on the show, they own you," Jesse said. "Even when your contract is up, they still interfere in your life and prevent you from promoting other brands and making money."

Jesse notes that the last straw for him came when Gale contacted his business partners and other companies telling them not to work with him. He says that the producers have also contacted former 'Bachelor,' 'Bachelorette' and 'Bachelor Pad' contestants threatening to blacklist them if they participate in any of Csincsak's events.

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Since appearing on 'The Bachelorette' Jesse has remained in the spotlight by hosting annual bachelor reunion gatherings with the former contestants and most recently he launched the successful web show 'Reality Smackdown.'

Discussion about a class action lawsuit surfaced this month after Csincsak was reviewing his rights with his attorneys.

"I had planned to file my own lawsuit last month but after discussions with numerous people and former Bachelor contestants, we realized that this issue is much bigger than me," he said.

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This isn't the first time ABC has been to court regarding the hit show. In 2003, the show's producers filed suit against former 'Bachelor' Season 4 star, Bob Guiney for breaking his contract by promoting his new CD '3 Sides,' and his music video. Guiney won the case.

Last month, spoiler blogger, Steve Carbone (a.k.a Reality Steve) was slapped with a lawsuit by the producers of ABC for coercing former contestants to breach their confidentiality contracts to help reveal spoiler activities for his website.

Jesse a retired pro snowboarder, who won the heart of DeAnna Pappas on Season 4 of 'The Bachelorette' is now married to former 'Bachelor' Season 13 contestant Ann Leuders.

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Episode 3: Ann and Jesse Csincsak Discuss the Return of Shawntel Newton and Emily's Fear of Heights



By Jennifer Harrington

The city of San Francisco provided the back-drop for what ended up being one of the most dramatic episodes in recent history of *The Bachelor*. Ben and Emily climbed to the top of the Golden Gate Bridge, Brittney left before her one-on-one date with the winemaker, Shawntel (the funeral director from Brad Womack's season) re-surfaced to confess her crush, and one of the ladies fainted at the rose ceremony! Wow, what an episode. To help us make sense of the craziness, here are

insights from *Bachelor* experts Jesse and Ann Csincsak.

1. We saw Ben's relationships with several of the women blossom this week. Who do you think that he had the best connection with this week?

Jesse: I don't even think Ben is sure who he likes the most yet! He just can't believe he gets to kiss more than one girl at a time!

Ann: He seemed to have a good connection with Emily, his partner in the climb up the Golden Gate Bridge. She seems laid-back, despite being a little riled up at the rose ceremony. That ceremony definitely did not show anyone in a good light.

2. Was Emily's climb up the Golden Gate Bridge, the most daring date you've seen on the show?

Jesse: When you apply to be on the show, they make you fill out a packet telling them everything, including things that scare you. For the past few seasons, they take one of these "fears," and make it happen. This episode was almost a total repeat of what they did to Michelle Money on Brad's season of the show, and it seems like each season we see a different person facing a fear of heights.

Ann: I am freakishly scared of heights, so that would have been a nightmare for me. It was a daring date, but not the craziest thing I've seen so far. Personally, I found the rose ceremony to be more suspenseful to watch.

3. What do you think was behind Brittney's decision to leave the show before her one-on-one date with Ben?

Jesse: I think Brittney was tired of being told what to say and do by producers, and realized that you can't fall in love in a scenario like that. She made the decision to say "I'm out!"

Ann: I think she thought the necklace was not that cute and split (joke). In all seriousness, I think she felt that Ben wasn't into her and she wanted to leave before being asked to leave. Never underestimate the power of a woman's intuition.

4. It was shocking to see Shawntel arrive in San Francisco. What did you think when you saw Shawntel get out of the car, and did you think that it was fair she had a chance to join the cocktail party?

Jesse: I think it's totally fair; all is fair in love and war. Shawntel is a great down-to-earth person, and he should have kept her around if he liked her, regardless of what the other girls thought.

Ann: Agree to disagree with Jesse. I get where she was coming from. She wanted her last chance with Ben before he was potentially engaged, but that's like interrupting a date and saying "Sorry to interrupt, but I love you and wanted to let you know." There's a better time and place to do that, and if you missed your chance, so be it. However, with that being said, I think the reaction from the girls was nothing but insecurity all the way around. They went way overboard and were incredibly nasty to her. I can't even imagine sitting on that couch being Shawntel. I even heard the line "Brad's dumpster trash." Have some class, those types of statements are just unnecessary, no matter how upset you are.

5. When you saw Erika fainting/collapsing and Jaclyn crying during the rose ceremony, what was your reaction? Did you think their emotions were genuine or simply last-minute attempts to capture a rose?

Jesse: I think they need a Bachelor with a serious backbone, like Dave Good or Wes Hayden. The type of man who would tell those girls to hit the road when they pull that nonsense.

Ann: I think their reactions were genuine... genuinely ridiculous. I think the fainting was from too many cocktails

and standing there for an hour during the rose ceremony. Never lock your legs, every good bridesmaid knows that. The crying was from embarrassment. If you watch closely, they show her crying but in the wide pan shots she's not, I think she cried at the end and they showed it over and over again (gotta love editing)!

6. Given the fact that the other girls observed "chemistry" between Ben and Shawntel, were you surprised Ben didn't offer her a rose?

Jesse: Not at all, I think Ben was afraid. It's sad, really. As the Bachelor, you should be able to call your own shots, but it seems like he's not.

Ann: Absolutely! They obviously had chemistry but she never would have been given a fair chance if she had stayed. Everything happens for a reason and I think he made the right decision for him and protecting the relationships he was establishing with the other girls. I wish her nothing but the best she is a gorgeous girl who will have no problem finding a good guy.

7. Courtney seems to be getting more obvious and vocal about her feelings towards the other girls. What do you think it will take for Ben to take notice of Courtney's problems with the other girls?

Jesse: This is TV. Of course he won't see what's really happening, and that's what makes it so fun to watch.

Ann: She will do herself in soon enough. Likely, one of the other girls will tell Ben and then he will start to notice it on his own. Her "see ya later" to Shawntel was not classy; not to mention her pause during the "will you accept this rose." Heidi Klum is a smoking hot model and I guarantee she didn't stand in front of her husband and pause when he asked if she would go out on a date. Guys don't want a girl who plays games and Courtney is going to find that out the hard

way.

Be sure to tune in next Monday night for the next installment in Ben's journey to find love (in Park City, Utah), and while you are watching, send CupisPulse questions about the episode for Jesse and Ann to answer.

Reality TV Couple Ann and Jesse Csincsak Answer Questions About 'The Bachelor' Season 16, Episode 2





By [Lori Bizzoco](#)

Last night Ben Flajnik brought his 18 beautiful *Bachelor* contestants to Sonoma where things became more intimate and drama unfolded between the girls. There was crying, cat fights and as Blakely said, “claws are coming out.” The claws sure did come out when a bunch of ‘Bachelor’ contestants dressed up as fairy tale characters and preformed a play on stage for Ben’s hometown during the group date.

One-on-ones last night were with Kacie B. and Courtney Robertson. Each girl received a rose at the end of their date. During the rose ceremony Jenna and Shawn left empty handed. Next week the girls head to San Francisco. Ann and Jesse Csincsak are back this week to answer our questions from Episode 2:

1. Kacie B seems sweet, and down-to-earth but Ben says, “He trusts her.” When you’re on this show, can you really trust someone after knowing them for such a short period of time? How long would Ben have known Kacie at this point?

Jesse: This is week 2 so they wouldn’t really know each other

yet. By the time of the rose ceremony, at the end of the episode, they've probably only known each other about 10 days.

Ann: I wouldn't give my ATM pin number to someone on the second date so I definitely wouldn't say u can trust someone that quickly! He's only known her a few days and he's hardly seen her in that time – way to quick. But, this whole process is dating in fast forward.

2. Why do you think ABC took the show to Ben's hometown?

Jesse: It's very rare, but I actually think this was one decision they let Ben make on his own.

Ann: Every season they attempt to make the show a little different and make the bachelor stand out on his own. By going to Ben's hometown, it made him more relatable. Therefore, better ratings and the girls get attached more quickly.

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3. Do you think Coutney is on the show for fame or to boost her modeling career? Do you think she's really into Ben?

Jesse: Totally for the fame in my book, but I've always said never judge someone by their edit. Therefore, I will wait until I actually meet her until I make a real opinion!

Ann: Modeling and apparently an acting career as well – she seems to be fooling Ben pretty good. I think she's into what Ben and this whole show can bring her.

4. Why did Coutney appear so genuine while on her date with Ben and so conniving on camera? Editing can only do so much. What are your thoughts on this?

Jesse: Again, I see some "ok" traits but the editing room can really switch things up. Plus, it's not too hard to make

someone look sweet and romantic on this show.

Ann: Wes Hayden had a made up girlfriend his whole season so don't underestimate the power of editing.

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5. Do you think Blakely's tactics of hogging Ben's attention are going to work or will she eventually suffocate The Bachelor? We still think that the producers have her playing the Michele Money role.

Jesse: She is totally stamped with the Michelle money role! They always make someone go to the Bachelor or Bachelorette who already has a rose to take time away from someone without a rose classic producer move.

Ann: My prediction is she's gone on episode 4 or 5. How many times can u hide in the luggage room before it gets awkward?

6. I know you feel bad for Jenna but she claims to be a relationship blogger-that's a little embarrassing given she can't even form a sentence half the time. Did Ben do the right thing by letting her go?

Jesse: These producers are getting that girl so drunk she can't even talk without her face quivering. This is a perfect case of getting someone wasted and putting them in a situation where they need to think = CRASH AND BURN. This girl understands what has happened now, but didn't see it coming then. However, I will let you know if I smell booze on her breath when I meet her in the future!

Ann: Yes, yes and yes! Guarantee Ben wanted to let her go episode 1 and production let her go episode 2.

7. What are you expecting/ hoping to see next week?

Jesse: This season seems to be a mix of previous seasons.

They are in need of some new things happening in my opinion.

Ann: His ex-girlfriend will show up and girls will get jealous. Hopefully we'll see more waterproof mascara cause it's going to be a doozy!

'The Bachelor' Premiere: Reality TV Couple Ann and Jesse Csincsak Answer Questions About Season 16





Hello, we're back again with another season of 'The Bachelor!' Last night was the start of Season 16 with our new, hot, sexy, eligible, Sonoma winemaker, Ben Flajnik. This time Ben's in control handing out roses; ready to find love this season. For the next 10 Mondays, we will be joined by Ann and Jesse Csincsak to get their weekly perspective of Ben, the single ladies and all the drama that's bound to happen when you get 25 estrogen-fueled women in a room. Here's our take on Episode 1:

1. Many people want to know why Ben went back on the show as the Bachelor? Wouldn't he have had plenty of girls to choose from after being dumped by Ashley? What makes being on the show better for finding love than in real life?

Jesse: I don't think the show is better for finding love; I actually think you have a better chance of winning the powerball than you do finding love on that show. Let's take a walk back through time, shall we? The only couple who actually found love on the show to date are Ryan and Trista. Jason and Molly didn't fall in love until way after their show. Ann & I met at one of my reunions and got married and

Tara Durr and John Presser met at a reunion and got married, so actually there are more people who have found love at my reunions than on the show itself. Ask yourself: Would you be able to fall in love and get married with 50 producers and camera people standing over you?

Ann: Other than the obvious fact that walking on the set of *The Bachelor* is like walking in a perfect bar with 30 gorgeous girls that have already passed a Psych test (even though some of them squeaked by), I think the more obvious answer is that he is a business man with a business to promote. What better way to do that with 15 million people interested in what YOU do?

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2. Which three girls are your early pick for Ben and why?

Jesse: Right now the only girl they are showing us anything real about is Kacie from Tennessee. There are so many girls that are being kept there just for the drama factor right now that its sickening. Would you keep two girls around if you saw them making out? Those girls got production roses plain and simple!

Ann: The girl who got the first impression rose is the only personality we saw that didn't scare us. The rest haven't had time to show us who they are yet.

3. There were so many unique introductions this season; a horse, sanitizer, a pageant sash and someone's grandmother. Who had the best introduction?

Jesse: I liked the Grandma intro the best. However, I think all the intros were very well-produced. When's the last time you brought your grandma on your first date?

Ann: I fast forward through that part. They talk to the

bachelor for about 2 minutes and they only show 30 seconds of it. Also, it's what the producers want to show you anyway.

4. Any initial thoughts on Courtney? Do you think the producers have pegged her as the new Michelle Money?

Jesse: Oh man, there are so many villains being pegged on this season. It's going to be fun to watch.

Ann: I think anyone that is willing to drink the first night gets taken advantage of. Like I said before, take the alcohol out of the show and it's just another awkward Monday night.

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5. What are your thoughts about Monica's agenda and Jenna's emotional reaction?

Jesse: I actually feel bad for Jenna. They met that girl in casting and produced her into this season's train wreck by pumping her full of alcohol. She is probably a really nice girl but just doesn't handle her alcohol very well. Keep your chin up Jenna; this too will pass!

Ann: This is super produced and I feel bad for the girls who are letting themselves be a part of this. Jenna probably had a few too many producer-poured drinks, lost it somewhere between cocktail number 8 and 9, and it was all caught on tape!

6. It appears that Ben's ex-girlfriend will be back in the picture this season. Do you think it's fair to the other girls that the producers bring her on the show?

Jesse: The producers on this show would literally trade their first born child for drama, so anything is possible.

Ann: No. Plain and simple. When do you date a guy who all of the sudden introduces you to his ex-girlfriend? Any guy that did that would find himself alone. That's why we love TV!

7. Did Ben get it right or are there any girls who shouldn't have gone home so soon?

Jesse: Honestly I like the girl who was rallying the shotgun in the beginning Amber T

Ann: You can never tell. Probably some of the girls that went home had to so they could make room for the girls that would bring a lot of drama whether they are right for Ben or not.

**'Bachelor' Alumna Ann
Csincsak and Partner Katie
Meyer Open Vintage Sweet &
Chic Boutique**





By Lauren Kochendarfer

Get ready to shop! Ann Csincsak (née Ann Lueders) of ***'The Bachelor'*** Season 13 and her business partner, Katie Meyer will be opening a new clothing boutique in Breckenridge, Colorado called Vintage Sweet & Chic on November 12, 2011.

Although formerly a dream of Katie's, when she met Ann, the two joined forces to get the business off the ground. During a recent interview, both ladies expressed their overwhelming excitement about the venture and emphasized the need for a place on Main Street that carries cute and trendy pieces.



“Breckenridge’s staple clothing piece is snowboard pants and

tall tees,” Ann said. “So unless we wanted to dig through our husband’s closets to fit in them, we decided to make a change rather than conform.” The ladies also decided to keep the name of the place simple. “Vintage Sweet & Chic, comes from ‘Vintage’ which speaks for itself, ‘Sweet’ is the old fashioned candy wall, and ‘Chic’ defines that it’s a totally



awesome boutique for the ladies.

Despite the fact that Ann and her husband **Jesse Csincsack**, the winner of ‘*Bachelorette*’ Season 4, are both very busy with their newborn son Noah (the store mascot), Ann does plan on being at the store as much as possible. In fact, for the time being she and Katie will be the only employees. “We are everything from the cleaning crew to the head buyers to the personal stylists of the store,” Katie noted. For the single ladies traveling to the area, Ann and Katie say that if you happen to meet someone on the slopes, come by their shop. They will help make sure that your outfit turns that weekend fling into a lifelong romance! Vintage Sweet & Chick inspires great date night clothing pieces and also offers vintage fur coats, an essential winter piece in a chilly place like Breckenridge.

This is one Grand Opening event that you don’t want to miss. In addition to Ann’s husband, Jesse, here are a few names of famous reality stars you may see on the red carpet:

Natalie Getz – Bachelor 13 / Bachelor Pad 1 Co Winner
Erica Rose – Bachelor Rome / Bachelor Pad 2 / VH1 Cut off

Jeff Medolla – Wine Maker / Bachelorette 7 = THE MASK

Nikki Kaapke – Bachelor 13 / Bachelor Pad 1

Eliza Orlins – Survivor

Richard Mathy – Bachelorette 4

John Hardesty – Bachelorette 5

Kirsten Pittman – Bachelor 14

Mark Huebner – Bachelorette 5

Suzie Williams – Bachelor 5

Also attending are some ladies from the upcoming season of “The Bachelor” with Ben Flajnik and survivor ‘South Pacific’ contestants. The event is being sponsored by Popchips, Freaky Muscato and Rubywood at Paragon Lodging.