

# Demi Moore and Ashton Kutcher Are All Smiles



The rumor mill is straining when it comes to Demi Moore & Ashton Kutcher. Although the much-talked about couple are in the midst of fighting off infidelity banter from critics and fans alike, they seem to be showing a united front, at least in public. Full of giggles, jokes and all sorts of PDA, Moore and Kutcher were all smiles on the set of Moore's new film *The Reasonable Bunch* last week, according to [People](#). "Demi and Ashton got here in the early hours of the morning, and you could hear them laughing and carrying on from inside her trailer," says a source. The pair, whose fifth anniversary is quickly approaching, are faced with claims that Kutcher cheated with a 21-year-old. But if the two are troubled at all by these serious accusations, they certainly aren't letting on.

## How can you stop cheating rumors from circulating?

### Cupid's Advice:

There's no doubt about it – rumors, especially negative ones, are tough to deal with and difficult to hear. And the age-old advice, “don't dignify a rumor with a response” doesn't always work. Cupid has some suggestions for ways to halt rumors before they spiral out of control:

**1. Prove the rumor isn't credible:** The people who start rumors want other people to believe they're telling the truth. So, they make sure that what they're saying is plausible. To stop the news before it spreads, determine what makes the rumor credible in the first place.

**2. Keep it simple:** One of the worst things you can do in the face of a dirty rumor is to appear defensive and angry. There's no reason to let it get that far. If you have evidence to the contrary, just say, “That can't be true, because ...” and leave it at that.

**3. Create a new truth:** The reason gossip exists is because it's fun to know things about other people that they're probably trying to keep to themselves. If you find yourself the subject of rumors, introduce a new rumor – one you can control more easily. People will stop focusing on the old news and put their attention to the new information they just got.

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# Ashton Kutcher's Lawyer Slams Cheating Rumors



When *Star Magazine* recently ran an article claiming that actor Ashton Kutcher cheated on his wife of five years, Demi Moore, things got heated. Kutcher's lawyer, Marty Singer, recently released a statement to [Us Weekly](#) saying, "*Star Magazine* continuously publishes lies about Ashton Kutcher and many other celebrities. This is not the first, nor will it be the last time they engage in reckless conduct." The article in question featured a quote from a 21-year-old, who said she "made love on his living room couch while Demi was out of town." Kutcher had faced previous accusations from *Star Magazine*. At the beginning of the month *Star* reported that Kutcher had a brief flame with a "a sexy, young, 20-something." Kutcher took to his Twitter page to protest the accusations. He tweeted, "I think Star magazine calling me a

'cheater' qualifies as defamation of character. I hope my lawyer agrees. STAR magazine – you don't get to stand behind 'freedom of the press' when you are writing fiction." **What do you do if you're faced with rumors that your partner is cheating?**

### **Cupid's Advice:**

**1. Get the facts:** Most rumors are as superficial as the people who create them. However, the occasional rumor may have some merit. Don't accuse your partner of cheating, but don't completely dismiss it either. After hard thoughts and questions, if you still deem the claim completely unreliable, then simply leave it alone.

**2. Laugh it off:** Most rumors are not worth your time. Sometimes they're just a sign of jealousy from an outside person who isn't happy in their own life. If you have trust then that should be enough to hold you and your partner together. Laugh off the rumors ... sometimes they're pretty funny!

**3. Confront those responsible:** While most rumors are trivial, some of them have the potential to seriously harm your relationship and create stress. If you must stop the rumors, then try confronting the source. Most people gossip for fun, and they should stop when they see that it has truly hurt you.