

Celebrity Kids: Sean Penn Files to Adopt Charlize Theron's Son



By [Jessica DeRubbo](#)

Being a single parent or being a kid with a single parent is never easy, and it looks like Charlize Theron's son Jackson has just lucked out! According to [UsMagazine.com](#), Theron's fiancé Sean Penn has filed to adopt her celebrity kid. Single celebrity men are often times viewed as having commitment issues, but it's certainly not the case for Penn. Though the famous couple are not married yet, a source said, "There is still talk of adopting again and giving Jackson a brother or a sister." Here's to the happy couple and their celebrity kid!

Celebrity kids like Charlize Theron's son Jackson no doubt want two parents, just like the rest of us. What are three ways to know your new partner is right for the job?

Cupid's Advice:

Choosing a partner who is right for you is hard enough, but when you add in choosing a partner who is right for your kids, it makes it even more difficult. Cupid has some tips:

1. Interest is shown: If your partner never asks about your kid(s) and seems to always want to get a babysitter, these may be signs that things aren't headed in the right direction. But if they show an active interest in hearing the latest happenings about your child(ren) and want to spend time with them to get to know them, forge ahead!

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2. Values match: Everyone has different views on how to raise children, and it's important to discuss such things with your new partner before the relationship get too serious. If you believe in spankings and your partner doesn't, or if you want to pay for your child's college schooling and your partner doesn't, these are major issues that need to be resolved.

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3. Financial situation is good: Celebrity kids like Charlize Theron's son Jackson probably won't be hurting in the money

department, but a lot of people need to throw financial stability into the mix even moreso when there's a child to consider.

What are some other ways to tell if your new partner is up to raising your children? Share your thoughts below.

Miley Cyrus and Patrick Schwarzenegger Enjoy Celebrity Vacation in Hawaii



By [Rebecca White](#)

Hollywood couple Miley Cyrus and Patrick Schwarzenegger enjoyed a celebrity vacation to Maui, after spending time partying in Miami and heading to Idaho with Schwarzenegger's father. According to [UsMagazine.com](https://www.usmagazine.com), the pair is using this time to amp up the romance, although their friends joined them for the trip.

Celebrity vacations are usually expensive and extravagant. What are some ways to indulge in a budget-friendly getaway?

Cupid's Advice:

Not all of us can afford a celebrity vacation, but that doesn't mean we can't have fun. There are many ways to make your next trip easy on your wallet. Consider using a vacation to improve your relationship and love. Keep these three things in mind if you want to have a trip to remember:

1. Keep location in mind: Sometimes all you need to do is focus on picking a less touristy location in order to save some money on your vacation. National parks are very easy on the budget because all you have to do is spend money on gas (pick a park close to home!) and then spend the night in a cheaper hotel or at a campground.

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2. Plan ahead: Plan ahead in order to save money wherever you can. Find a hidden gem and look for places that most people don't usually go to for a getaway to ensure reasonable hotel and flight prices. For example, Morro Bay in California has museums, Morro Rock, a harbor, and the Pacific all within reach ... most people have never heard of it.

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3. Look online: Utilize one of the best resources we have available to us: the internet! Look online for budget-friendly locations, hotel and flight deals, and try going to a travel agent to guarantee that you save money on your budget-friendly getaway.

How do you indulge in a budget-friendly getaway? Comment below!

Olivia Munn Supports Boyfriend Aaron Rodgers at Every Green Bay Packers Home Game





By [Katie Gray](#)

Go green and gold! Green Bay Packers quarterback Aaron Rodgers has the support of girlfriend Olivia Munn at every home game. Relationships and love go hand in hand...or in the football stand, in this case. According to [UsMagazine.com](#), the actress explained, "Every home game, I am there. When there's an away game, that's when I leave to do my work." She went on to say, "I think I'm a good fan. I'm there, and I'm screaming a lot. I think it's really important to scream, and my acupuncturist told me energy follows thought. That was a very Hollywood sentence for you guys." The Packers played a great season and were the division champs. On Sunday, Jan. 18, they sadly lost 22 to 28 against the Seattle Seahawks. We hope this celebrity couple makes it to next season!

Relationships and love require a solid foundation, which includes

supporting each others' interests. What are some ways to support your partner's hobbies?

Cupid's Advice:

Supporting the things your partner loves is important when it comes to solidifying your relationship. Check out Cupid's love advice below:

1. Show interest: When you're dealing with relationships and love, it's really important to show interest in whatever they like to do. If they're into sports, pay attention to the games and scores. It can be as easy as setting up ESPN alerts on your phone. You don't have to be obsessed with their favorite team, but keeping updated on them will make your significant other happy.

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2. Take initiative: This piece of love advice isn't just for celebrity couples like Munn and Rodgers. To show your partner that you truly care, it really is all about the little things. If they are into Mexican food, make them homemade chicken enchiladas as a surprise. If they are wine connoisseurs or beer lovers, take them to a wine tasting or on a brewery tour. If they are into horror movies, suggest going to see one when it comes to theaters. Grab the bull by the horns and let them know that you pay attention to their likes and dislikes.

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3. New experiences: Life is all about adventures. If your partner has a hobby or activity that they enjoy, try it out yourself! Whether that means playing tennis or going fishing, give it a shot. You don't have to be super into these activities, but actually doing them together will bring you

closer. Plus, you will most likely really enjoy yourself. Feel free to invite them along with you to your hobbies too!

What are other ways you have shown support of your partner's interests? Share your experiences below.

Miley Cyrus' Brother Is Dating Patrick Schwarzenegger's Sister



By Maggie Manfredi

This will make for a fun double date. According to UsMagazine.com, Miley Cyrus' brother Braison is dating her boyfriend Patrick Schwarzenegger's sister Christina Schwarzenegger. Talk about some juicy celebrity gossip! A source stated, "They are dating and have been since a little after Patrick and Miley got official. Both Patrick and Miley approve of the pairing. Miley loves her brother and thinks it's a great match." This celebrity relationship isn't in the spotlight as much as their siblings, but they seem happy together nonetheless.

Celebrity relationship gossip heats up with this type of development, but it's not always so easy to meet a new partner. How do you mix up your dating game in order to meet new people?

Cupid's Advice:

Dating can be fun, exciting, and invigorating, but it can also be overwhelming and nerve-racking. Cupid has some ideas on how to step up your dating game as you're searching for The One:

1. Get out there: This piece of dating advice is most important, as you can't sit on your couch and expect to find someone special! Don't get stuck in a rut. Single women and men need to throw on some lipstick or cologne and congregate in a social setting in order to find potential partners. Or take a cue from this celebrity relationship and simply hang out with your sibling and their new partner.

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2. Have new experiences: Never been skydiving? Find a social group online that is going, and join the ranks! You'll not only be conquering your fears, but you'll be doing it with new people. That type of experience is no doubt going to lead to some bonding opportunities.

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3. Use your tools: There are websites, apps, events and more all working in your dating favor. Play to your strengths and use the tools provided to you to reach out and make some new connections.

Do you think these two couples are destined to last or just flings? Share your comments below.

'Bachelorette' Season 10 Couple Andi Dorfman and Josh Murray Call it Quits





By Emma L. Wells

Another one bites the dust! Earlier this week, reality TV couple Andi Dorfman and Josh Murray announced that they have ended their engagement. In a joint statement published by [People.com](https://www.people.com), the pair, who met and fell in love during *The Bachelorette* season 10, said, "After several months of being engaged and working on our relationship, we have decided that it's best for both of us to go our separate ways. We are very sad that it has to come to this point, but this is what's best for both of us individually." The news of this celebrity breakup was a shock to many, as the couple appeared happy during their red carpet interview prior to Monday night's premiere of *The Bachelor*.

In light of this surprising celebrity breakup, how can you handle questions about your

sudden split?

Cupid's Advice:

The trickiness and difficulty of a breakup doesn't necessarily end as soon as you and your significant other call it quits. After you admit that it's over, you then have to tell your loved ones. So how do you stay diplomatic when your friends want to hear about the drama? Cupid has some tips:

1. Just say "no comment": Breakups are private and potentially very painful for the parties involved, so there's nothing wrong with telling a questioner that it's none of their business. However, it's usually best to put it as nicely as possible. Thank the person for their concern and then simply say that it's a private affair and that you'd rather not talk about it.

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2. Avoid pointing fingers: In most situations, a split is not the fault of just one person. Take a cue from this celebrity breakup and do your best not to place blame on your ex. After all, listing the faults of your former partner post-breakup isn't going to make you look any better.

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3. Be on the same page: Right after your split, this may seem near impossible, but in the coming months, it will help the situation if you remain amicable. You can avoid drama by making sure your stories match and your facts are true. Have a quick conversation and answer the question, "What are we going to tell people?" This will eliminate a lot of the confusion friends and family may have about what happened and hopefully help dodge any hurt feelings by sharing something too private.

How do you handle questions about a sudden breakup? Tell us in

the comments below!

Kim Kardashian Takes Fashion Advice from Husband Kanye West



By [Sarah Batcheller](#)

In today's celebrity news, [UsMagazine.com](#) reveals that reality star Kim Kardashian is enlisting the help of husband Kanye West to revamp her wardrobe for 2015. The famous couple stayed "up all night" to refine looks ready for the new year. The

middle sister cites her Givenchy gown that she wore at Paris Fashion Week as her favorite 2014 get-up. Being that the ensemble was slinky and fierce to boot, fans can't wait to see what fashion advice West gave his wife for the new year!

How can you share fashion advice with your partner without being pushy?

Cupid's Advice:

Even if we say we don't, we all have an opinion on what our partner wears. Take a cue from this celebrity relationship, and learn how to influence your partner's style without being overbearing:

1. Change your style, too: Make it a team effort – something fun for the both of you to explore and create. That way, it won't come off as you telling them what they can and cannot wear. Maybe you want to channel a glamorous famous couple like Kardashian and West, or perhaps a more laid-back wardrobe is better suited for your lifestyle.

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2. Tell them when they look good: Everyone loves a compliment! Saying something nice about your partner's go-to date night dress will help you come off as supportive instead of bossy. It'll show your partner that you're genuinely interested in their style and love seeing them rock their look. Offer genuine, helpful tips like, "This accentuates your waistline," or "Indigo brings out your eye color."

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3. Share constructive fashion advice: Don't just tell them

that what they've picked out is tacky. Explain *why* you feel the way you do about that old sweater or those distressed blue jeans. Help them stay up-to-date on trends while maintaining who they are. It's all about creating a look that speaks to their personality!

How did you help your partner reinvent their wardrobe? Tell us in the comments below!

Jennifer Aniston Says Justin Theroux Gave Her “A Rock”



By [Sarah Batcheller](#)

A celebrity engagement is everyone's favorite vicarious event. Taking a look at UsMagazine.com, you can get a close-up of the enormous engagement ring that Jennifer Aniston is sporting. According to the latest celebrity gossip, the actress says of the impeccable rock that her fiancé and *Wanderlust* costar Justin Theroux gave to her, "He rocked it up...It took me a while to get used to it. I'm not a diamond girl. I'm more Indian jewelry and stuff." The celebrity couple has been together since 2012.

Whether or not you're inspired by a celebrity engagement, how can you find out what type of ring your partner wants?

Cupid's Advice:

Asking too many questions will give away the big surprise, so here's Cupid's advice on how to stealthily pick out a diamond worthy of a celebrity engagement:

1. Log in: You say: "Hey babe, I'm going to use your laptop to check my e-mail really quick!" What you mean is: "Hey babe, I'm going to open up your Pinterest account because I know that you've been pinning images of vintage-style diamond rings that appeal to you!"

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2. Listen to their style opinions: If you're a guy, it's hard to listen to everything your partner says about fashion, but if you do, you can use these comments as clues as to what kind of rock they would like. Is your significant other's style more classic than trendy? She may want a round diamond. Is she super girly? Perhaps something extra sparkly will catch her

eye.

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3. Ask their friends: Easy as 1,2,3! Ask your honey's friends what kind of ring they want. If you have known for a while that marriage is in your future, it's inevitable that your partner has discussed every detail with their pals. Just make sure these friends can keep it hush-hush until the proposal!

How did you find out what kind of ring to get your love? Tell us in the comments below!

Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie Are Scheduled to Meet the Pope





By Maggie Manfredi

When in the Vatican City! According to UsMagazine.com, Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie are set to meet the Pope while on their celebrity getaway in Rome. Pitt grew up Baptist, but he currently associates somewhere in the space between “agnosticism and atheism.” Still, the famous couple admires Pope Francis and his message. The VIP appearance with the actors is in the process of being planned and is set for some time in January.

This famous celebrity couple learned to compromise about religion – what are some ways to do so in a relationship?

Cupid’s Advice:

When you’ve made it past the first, second, and third dates, and your relationship is thriving, those somewhat taboo topics

like politics and religion will inevitably come into play. With the above celebrity news in mind, Cupid has some tips on ways to compromise when it comes to religion in the relationship:

1. Understand your partner's religion: The best way to compromise when it comes to religion in the relationship is to expose yourself to your partner's practices. Understanding their religious choices will help you now and in the future.

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2. Have self-awareness: In order for you to claim a stake in your religion, you have to be aware of how you practice and why. Identifying these factors will help you move forward when it comes to acceptance and love.

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3. Engage in open discussion: You have to be able to talk about religion. When you are in a committed relationship like Pitt and Jolie, things like marriage, children, and cohabitation are on the table, and religion needs to be a discussion, especially if you do not share the same beliefs.

How do you handle religion in your relationship? Share your insight below!

Sofia Vergara and Joe

Manganiello Are Like High School Kids In Love



By [Jared Sais](#)

Celebrity couple Sofia Vergara and Joe Manganiello have been all the rage since they started dating last summer. Both seem to be the latest sex symbols that men and women alike gawk over. Vergara continues to steal the spotlight in *Modern Family*, while Manganiello went shirtless nine out of ten times in *True Blood*. It would seem this celebrity romance is meant to be. But does their body language agree? I share my expert love advice about the newly-engaged pair below.



Photo courtesy of Sofia Vergara's Instagram.

The Body Language of Celebrity Couple Sofia Vergara and Joe Manganiello

In the photo above, we see the happy couple hugging and cheek to cheek. Maybe it's their play on the classic song "Cheek to Cheek," written by Irving Berlin. It is also possible that these two are so in love that both just couldn't stand for any distance between them when taking such a heartfelt picture. I think Berlin sang it perfectly: "I seem to find the happiness I seek when we're out together, dancing cheek to cheek."

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If you've read my expert love advice before, it's very likely you know the importance of mirroring. The non-verbal cue of mirroring is one of the tell-tale signs of attraction and interest. Mirroring is simple: Copying your partner's body language or imitating their actions and/or their tone and pitch. We do this to show we have things in common or to build a liking. We tend to like others that act like ourselves and even look like ourselves. Vergara and Manganiello are doing the same pose as one another, almost as if they were directed to do this by some high school prom photographer.

Hands are one of the most used tools in non-verbal body language. If we focus just on their hands, we can get an idea of how they feel at this given time. His hands lie flat and tight on her lower back or upper butt. This is an attraction point and lets others know you are interested in them. If someone put their hand there on you, how would you feel and react? Let's say the same person put their hand on you upper back near your shoulders. Do you get the same vibe, feeling, or sensation? I bet you don't. Additionally, flat hands are a sign of trust and commitment.

Now, let's look at her hand on him. She is touching his mid-back (just a tad on the lower side) with her palm and her fingertips. This is still a loving touch; her palm is flat on his back, reciprocating the same love and trust that he is showing to her.

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A flat palm is not always what I see couples do. In other cases, you may see someone touch with just their fingertips. Touching with the fingertips is usually a non-verbal cue that adds distance and shows less affection.

What Their Smiles Say About This Celebrity Romance

Vergara's smile is one that shows 80 percent of her emotions. The actress is gleaming from ear to ear. Her eyes are wide in a natural way to show excitement. Her mouth shows true happiness, as her teeth are visible (mouth open). You can also see a dimple form at the end of her mouth, meaning that her cheek is in full "happy" mode and that a real smile has taken place. Her entire face is taking part in the action!

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The actor's smile is a bit less obvious. He is happy but is mainly smiling from his eyes. He does show some dimples, which is a sign that he's truly content and showing a real smile as well. This is a genuine photo of them, and they are showing real love.

Finally, there is no space between these two. That's a good sign. People in love tend to stay very close to each other. When I analyze couples, this is one of the first things I look for: the space between the two. In this photo, there is zero space, so if you're wondering how they feel about each other, it is easy to see they love each other very much. No space means more love and attraction.

This celebrity romance is just as cute and cheesy as the photo, and to top it off, we can give them the name "SoJo" to put the cherry on top of the cheesecake.

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Blake Lively and Ryan Reynolds' Baby Gender Revealed: It's a Girl!



By Maggie Manfredi

Pass out the pink! According to [UsMagazine.com](https://www.usmagazine.com), the latest celebrity baby news revolves around Blake Lively and Ryan Reynolds' new bundle of joy, confirmed to be a girl. Rumors are flying about the pair's addition, specifically when it comes to the name. A mysterious tweet revealed that the happy celebrity couple named their daughter Violet, but it hasn't been confirmed. The baby girl came early, but Lively is

already back at work with *Preserve*, her lifestyle website. Now that she's a mom, we can't wait to see the new content!

The birth of your baby may not be the latest celebrity baby news, but what are some creative ways to announce the gender of your child?

Cupid's Advice:

It's an exciting experience to share your baby's gender with friends and family. In light of the happy couple's latest celebrity baby news, here are some creative ways to make a gender announcement of your own:

1. Keep it sweet and simple: Make copies of a recent ultrasound and put it in a colored frame (blue/pink) for a subtle, but lasting reveal. Wrap the frames and watch your loved ones' faces as they figure out what their gift means!

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2. Make something yummy: We know that this approach would be Lively-approved! Do a little baking and sneak in the respective color where you can. Whether it be the filling of a cupcake or the plate under a pie, have fun with it! For something less surprising, bake a vanilla cake and ice it with tons of blue or pink frosting.

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3. Blow it up: Buy some colored balloons, balloons filled with glitter, or a combination of the two! Blow them up and put them in a big box. At your baby shower, open the box (or let

an older sibling do it) to release the balloons and reveal your baby's gender. If you're not planning a party, tie the balloons to your mailbox instead.

Put in your last-minute suggestions for Blake Lively and Ryan Reynolds' baby's name below!

Cameron Diaz and Benji Madden Tie the Knot at Her Beverly Hills Home



By [Whitney Johnson](#)

Turns out she *is* the marrying kind! After years of sharing her distaste for marriage, Cameron Diaz settled down with Good Charlotte rocker Benji Madden. The couple, who began dating this past summer, tied the knot at her Beverly Hills home on Monday, Jan. 5, according to UsMagazine.com. It's no surprise that their big day was a star-studded affair: Guests included bridesmaids Nicole Richie and Drew Barrymore, Joel Madden, Reese Witherspoon, and Gwyneth Paltrow. We wish the newlyweds nothing but the best!

What are some perks of having your wedding at home?

Cupid's Advice:

If a big wedding at a fancy venue isn't your style, why not consider getting hitched in your own backyard? Here are some perks of having your wedding at home:

1. It's easy to plan: Getting married at your house eliminates the need to search for the perfect spot to say your vows. Sure, you'll still need to find a caterer and other vendors, but securing the location is always step one! Plus, you don't have to worry about your favorite locale being booked on the date you want.

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2. You can get hitched quickly: Diaz and Madden's engagement was confirmed on Dec. 19, and less than three weeks later, they're husband and wife! If you want to make things official sooner rather than later, follow the actress's lead and plan a wedding at home.

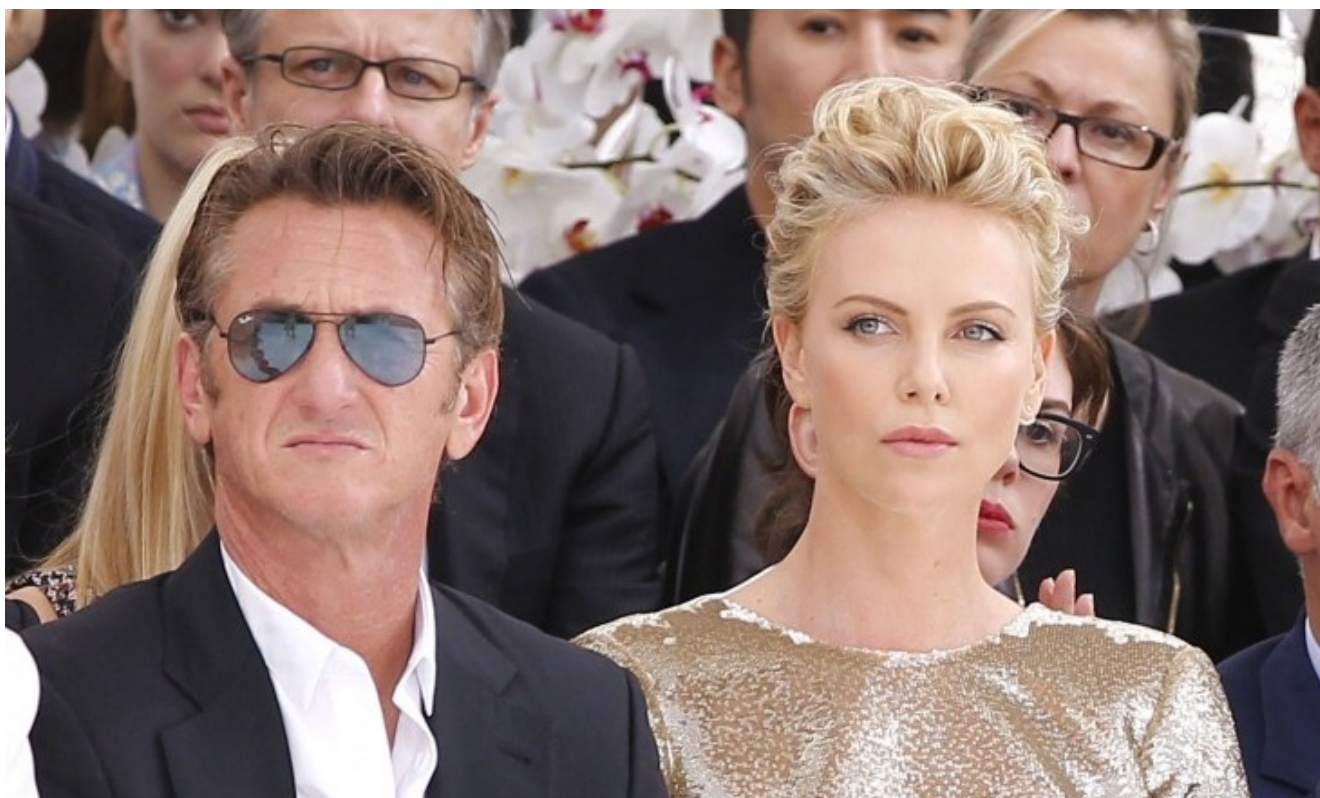
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3. There are no restrictions: A lot of venues will put a cap on the number of guests you can invite or force the party to

end by midnight. Getting hitched at your house means the sky is the limit!

Would you get married at home? Share with us in the comments below!

Another Celebrity Pregnancy! Alec Baldwin and Wife Hilaria Share Baby News



By [Whitney Johnson](#)

New year, new celebrity baby! It looks like there's going to be another celebrity kid toddling around soon, because [Hollywood couple](#) Alec and Hilaria Baldwin rang in 2015 by sharing their celebrity pregnancy news. According to [UsMagazine.com](#), in the sweet announcement, the actor holds their 16-month-old daughter Carmen as she touches her mom's growing stomach. Along with the photo, Hilaria wrote: "The sun has set on 2014 and on my year of daily #hilariaypd ...2015 is going to be very exciting as we are thrilled to announce we are expecting another little addition to our family! (tadasana) #yogapostureoftheday."

The Baldwins' celebrity pregnancy news shows they're ecstatic for their newest celebrity baby. How do you think you should prepare differently for a second child?

Cupid's Advice:

With every addition to your family comes moments of excitement...and exhaustion. Still, after you welcome your first child, you should feel a bit more ready for future babies. So how do you prepare differently for a second child during pregnancy? Cupid has some ideas:

1. You have more hand-me-downs: Before your first baby was born, you were probably scouring the Internet for "must-haves" and stocking your home with all of the essentials: a crib, a changing table, a car seat, a stroller, clothes...the list goes on. Now, though, you should have plenty of hand-me-downs for your second child to use.

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2. You don't feel so stressed: No matter how many books you read or how many friends you grill, it's hard to truly prepare for becoming a parent. Since you already have one child to call your own, you won't feel quite so much worry as you get ready for your family to grow.

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3. You have another child to focus on: Of course, you can't forget about your oldest kid just because you have a baby on the way! This time around, you'll have a new set of worries: Will he like his baby sister? Will she feel neglected when her brother arrives? Try to make those last few months as a family of three extra special for your little one.

Cupid wants to know: How did you prepare differently for your second child?

Joseph Gordon-Levitt Secretly Marries Girlfriend Tasha McCauley





By [Whitney Johnson](#)

There's no doubt that Joseph Gordon-Levitt's *Don Jon* character would be disappointed: The actor is now a married man! According to [UsMagazine.com](#), he secretly wed girlfriend Tasha McCauley on Dec. 20 at their home. The star, who is known for keeping his private life to himself, opened to Howard Stern about his relationship, saying "I think I'm a pretty good person and a good boyfriend. Yeah, I just wouldn't want to be with someone who was disrespectful to me."

What are some benefits of keeping your nuptials under wraps?

Cupid's Advice:

Not every bride and groom dreams of a big wedding with extravagant bouquets, a five-course meal, and a guest list that includes everyone they've ever met. Some, like Gordon-Levitt and his new wife, prefer to keep their special day more low-key. Here are three benefits to keeping your nuptials under wraps:

1. You can make it personal: It's easy to get caught up in the

festivities and start worrying about making your future mother-in-law or grandmother happy instead of focusing on what makes you and your partner happy. By keeping your big news to yourself, you'll be able to do what you want and just enjoy your time together as newlyweds.

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2. You can save money: If you're trying to stick to a strict budget, remember that each additional guest costs more money. The smaller your wedding, the more you can save! Plus, with less people in attendance, you'll feel less pressure to fill the space with gorgeous (and expensive) flowers, candles, and other decor.

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3. You can settle into life as husband and wife: Even if you've been together for a few years or already share a home, your relationship will inevitably change after you tie the knot. If you keep your big news private, you'll have a chance to get used to your new roles as spouses without your loved ones sharing their best pieces of (unsolicited) advice or nagging you about your thank you notes.

Did you keep your wedding under wraps? Share your story below!

Celebrity Couple Predictions: Helena Bonham Carter, Cameron Diaz and Chris Brown



By [Shoshi](#)

With the new year finally here, there's bound to be a lot of exciting celebrity couple news for us to digest! Here are my predictions for three pairs who are currently popular in the media:

Helena Bonham Carter and Tim Burton: After thirteen years together, Helena Bonham Carter and Tim Burton have separated. The couple actually split earlier this year, and this news is just now coming out. In what appears to be one of the more amicable splits in Hollywood, they are staying friends because they have two children together.

This separation shouldn't come as such a surprise. About a year ago, Burton was seen with a mystery blonde and accused of cheating. While he may not have been cheating, where there is smoke, there tends to be fire.

So what's next? Burton will attempt to make some movies without Bonham Carter, but that won't last for long. He will bring her back to his films. Even though they are no longer together, she is still his muse. Look for Bonham Carter to have a new boyfriend soon – a younger actor, someone who will be quite shocking. Let's not forget that, while she is quirky, she is an attractive woman. Her brilliance, beauty, and different appeal will keep the stud very interested.

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Cameron Diaz and Benji Madden: The latest celebrity couple that is rumored to be getting married is Cameron Diaz and Benji Madden. Depending on what news source you believe, the two of them will be skipping down the aisle and having a baby as soon as possible.

This is a very interesting pair. When I take a look at their love energy, it isn't so cut and dry. It is not clear what will happen between them. This could be due to the fact that they are still trying to figure it all out. I do see problems for them down the road unless Diaz is more open to change in their relationship. She is a very independent woman. Let's just say that she is just fine without a man by her side. Some of that reasoning is because she has had no problem getting one; the issue is finding a guy that she wants to *keep*.

I wish this couple the best. Baby energy is circling Diaz, and she will make a great mom. Let's cross our fingers that Madden keeps Diaz interested, or this relationship may not last long.

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Chris Brown and Karrueche Tran: Recently, the rapper proclaimed that he was single and went off about his ex-girlfriend dating Drake behind his back when he was in jail. It appears that it was all in his mind though. According to Drake, Tran's small bottom is not big enough for him to

look at her twice. In case you didn't know, Drake loves a big booty on his woman.

Just when you thought they were finally over, it looks like Brown and Tran may be back on again. They were spotted all cuddled up at a club. One has to wonder if Brown will be able to have a healthy relationship. He has been diagnosed with bipolar disorder, which seems to be affecting some of his choices. Tran may want to stand by her man, but she's enabling him to treat her any way that he wants – which is never good!

This relationship will continue to be filled with drama. The on-and-off love will continue until Tran says “enough is enough” and moves on to get herself a new man to settle down with.

For more information on Shoshi, click [here](#).

**What celebrity couple do you want to see predictions for next?
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Miley Cyrus Meets Boyfriend Patrick's Dad Arnold Schwarzenegger





By Maggie Manfredi

Talk about meeting the parents! According to UsMagazine.com, celebrities united for one of the most coveted relationship milestones on Dec. 29 when Patrick Schwarzenegger introduced Miley Cyrus to his father Arnold Schwarzenegger, former governor and actor. They all did dinner in Idaho, and Cyrus dressed conservative (compared to her recent wigs and nipple pasties) for the occasion. An insider stated, "Arnold knows his place as father. He's happy for Patrick and was thrilled that Patrick introduced him to Miley."

How do you know when it's time to introduce your partner to your parents?

Cupid's Advice:

Meeting the parents is a big step, so how do you know when you're ready? Cupid has some tips:

1. Timing is important: If you are in a monogamous relationship that means a great deal to you, then you may be ready to meet your beau's family. Make sure it feels right and

seems like the appropriate next step. Remember that you shouldn't involve your loved ones until things are serious.

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2. Keep it simple: Don't add too much pressure to your relationship by springing this special event on your partner at the last minute or having a super fancy dinner. Make sure both your significant other and your parents are comfortable.

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3. It's a commitment: You should only take this step for long-term relationships. Your parents don't need to meet every person you date, just the ones you love and are fully committed to (for your sake and theirs).

Have some advice on introducing your sweetheart to your parents? Share with us below!

Ben Affleck Says Jennifer Garner's Love Helped Him Become a Hollywood Star





By Maggie Manfredi

Love and fame *can* fit together. In fact, we have proof! According to UsMagazine.com, Ben Affleck and Jennifer Garner are a happy couple. The *Gone Girl* star said, “My wife is an amazing and strong woman, and I’m so happy to be here supporting this work that she does.” Both have continued to have amazing careers while raising their three children Violet, Seraphina, and Samuel. Garner stated, “We’re boring parents. I’ll usually cook a meal for everyone, help them with homework, that’s usually our date night. Otherwise, he’s an amazing husband.”

What are three ways to inspire your partner to be successful in his/her career?

Cupid’s Advice:

For a couple to be successful, you have to each follow your individual dreams while also setting goals together. Cupid has some tips:

1. Be honest: Share your vision for the future and everything

you want to accomplish so that your partner is aware of your hopes and can help you achieve them. Honesty is key in any relationship, especially when it comes to your long-term partner.

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2. Celebrate: When your partner gets a win, you get a win too! Celebrate your accomplishments to show that you're in it together.

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3. Dream big: You have a support system, so work off of this base and dream big. With the right mentality, you can do great things with your life!

How do you support your partner's career? Tell us in the comments below!

Chris Rock and Wife Malaak Compton-Rock Are Divorcing After 18 Years





By Maggie Manfredi

Sad news comes our way from comedian Chris Rock. According to [UsMagazine.com](https://www.usmagazine.com), the funny man and his longtime wife Malaak Compton-Rock are getting a divorce after almost 20 years together. Rock's rep reported, "This is a personal matter, and Chris requests privacy as he and Malaak work through this process and focus on their family." The couple have two children together.

How do you know when it's time to call it quits on a longterm relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Every relationship has its ups and downs, and some unfortunately come to an end after a rough patch. Cupid has some thoughts on how to know it's time to split:

1. You're not happy: It's never easy to leave a life that's totally connected to someone else. However, if you are never feeling or finding happiness within it, then it might be time to call it quits.

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2. You've made other plans: Have you been planning your future...with your partner out of the picture? If you no longer envision spending time with your significant other, this is a definite sign that you should move on.

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3. You've tried your best: You've given counseling a shot, or you've talked it through and worked on things as a couple independently of a therapist, but nothing has changed. Don't get trapped; this is a sign that, even with effort, neither of you are where you want to be.

What are your thoughts on splitting after a long relationship? Share with us below.

Mel B. Speaks Out about Husband Stephen Belafonte's Alleged Abuse





By Maggie Manfredi

If you wanna be my lover, you gotta get with my fans! According to UsMagazine.com, Melanie Brown, better known as Mel B., finally addressed the public on the rumors that her husband has been abusing her. The Spice Girls alum recently shared on Instagram, “This is for my fans havin problems with my Twitter will be back soon! I’m very good was very polly but much better now and for the record my hubby never would lay a hand on me sorry took so long but any response fuels rumors #lovemyfamily #lovemyfans.”

What are some ways to keep rumors about your relationship to a minimum?

Cupid’s Advice:

The rumor mill can be a dark place for relationships, so Cupid has some tips on how to survive it:

1. Stay off social media: If you’re having a bad day or a silly fight, don’t post about it. It can be easy to feel the urge to vent to your friends, but often times, it does more

damage than good. Things live on in social media history, so take a deep breath and really think before posting your feelings on Facebook, Twitter or Instagram.

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2. Your problems are your problems: If you don't want rumors to spread, don't give people anything to share. It's as simple as that. If you do feel the need to address them (like Mel B.), keep it simple and to the point. Don't write a novel or go into too much detail.

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3. Don't sweat the small stuff: If there are silly rumors out there that are false, don't let them tear you and your partner apart. Just laugh it off because giving the rumors attention only heightens them. Remember to keep the truth in the back of your mind, no matter what lies are floating around.

What's your best advice for handling rumors? Share your tips below!

Jason Aldean and Brittany Kerr Spend Christmas Eve With His Kids





By [Katie Gray](#)

This is country superstar Jason Aldean's kind of party! Aldean recently celebrated Christmas Eve with his fiancée Brittany Kerr and his daughters, Keeley and Kendyl. They enjoyed the holidays at the performer's home outside of Nashville, Tennessee. It was their first holiday season together as a family, and the foursome shared a picture of their happy times on Instagram. According to UsMagazine.com, the "Dirt Road Anthem" singer said, "This year has been a good year for us. All of this... now [Brittany] can come out to shows and be normal. All the craziness around us has died down, and that's been the coolest thing about this year."



Photo courtesy of Jason Aldean's Instagram.

How do you introduce your kids to your new partner?

Cupid's Advice:

Introducing your kids to your new partner can be a touchy situation. Cupid has some tips:

1. Evaluate everything: Introducing your new partner to your children is something that shouldn't be taken lightly. Consider your situation and your new relationship carefully before you take this next step. If you are really serious with your love interest and are committed, it's a good idea to be honest to your children.

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2. Be somewhere neutral: When you initially introduce your children to your new significant other, it should be somewhere neutral. It should be done in a place where they feel safe and comfortable. Make sure you consider the childrens' ages first. Perhaps a zoo or amusement park is a good option,

somewhere they can have fun after having a “grown-up” talk.

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3. Keep it simple: When your children are first getting to know your new flame, make sure everything stays light. Try to limit the public affection in the very beginning and then slowly ease into it. Make sure you give your partner details about your kids and share their likes and dislikes. This makes the bonding process much easier.

What are some ways you have introduced your children to your new partner successfully? Share your stories below.

Kate Hudson and Matthew Bellamy Spotted Shopping in Aspen Post-Split





By [Courtney Omernick](#)

Who says exes can't be friends? Kate Hudson and Matthew Bellamy were spotted in Aspen this week as they were finishing some Christmas shopping, according to [UsMagazine.com](#). The pair recently ended their relationship after a three-year engagement. Hudson and Bellamy have one child together, son Bingham.

How do you know how much space to give your ex post-split?

Cupid's Advice:

Breakups can have different outcomes depending on the couple. Sometimes, it's mutually beneficial and no harm has been done. Other times, one or both members are left feeling many different emotions all at once. So how do you know how much space to give your ex post-split? Cupid has listed some tips below:

1. Assess their emotions: If it was a mutual breakup and the other person also clearly thought that it was for the best, you probably don't have to give them too much space. However,

if you both disagreed about the breakup and there are hard feelings, you may want to give your ex more space before you're able to be friends or hang out post-split.

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2. Consider how long you've known them: If the two of you have been friends since you were teenagers and you've been dating for the last five years and if the relationship didn't end because of a cheating scandal, you won't have to give the other person too much space. But if you haven't known each other very long and it ended because you both want to go different directions with your lives, you might want to hold off on a lot of contact.

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3. Blended friend group: If you've been together for a long time or if you both work at the same office, went to the same school, etc., you might have the same friends, and you may not be able to take a break from each other for long. If this is the case, you should figure out how to behave around each other as friends as quickly as possible.

How have you known how much space was needed for your ex post-split? Comment below!

5 Celebrity Couples Who Celebrate Hanukkah



By Molly Jacob and Melissa Tierney

It's time to light the Menorah and get ready for gifts from Hanukkah Harry, and celebrities are no exception. These famous couples are embracing their roots by participating in Jewish traditions together. Here are five of our favorite celebrity couples who are spinning their dreidels this Hanukkah:

1. Ben Stiller and Christine Taylor: *The Secret Life of Walter Mitty* star enjoys embracing the Hanukkah traditions every year with his wife and their two children, daughter Ella Olivia and son Quinlin Dempsey. They're all ready to light the candles on the Menorah in hopes for another healthy and successful year.

2. Natalie Portman and Benjamin Millepied: The superstar and her French-born dancer and choreographer husband met on the set of *Black Swan* and married a few years later. Millepied announced last January that he would be converting

to Judaism, so the dynamic duo will surely be together for a holiday that is important to Portman: Hanukkah. The Israeli-born actress has even been quoted as saying her heart belongs in Jerusalem.

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3. Sarah Jessica Parker and Matthew Broderick: The fashion trendsetter and her actor husband sure have their plate filled. Between building a fashion and movie empire and raising their children, the couple still has time for the important things, like celebrating the holidays. Of course, the *Sex & the City* star most likely has a pair of Manolos for each of the eight days of the Celebration of Lights.

4. Adam Sandler and Jackie Sandler: As if it weren't already obvious, the actor and comedian is all about Hanukkah tradition at his house. The funny man loves getting together with his family and embracing the holiday season. He even wrote a song about the Jewish holiday called "The Chanukah Song" for *Saturday Night Live*.

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5. Robert Downey Jr. and Susan Downey: The bad boy actor may be a trouble maker in Hollywood, but when it comes to celebrating the holidays, he's all warm and fuzzy inside just like everyone else. This couple needs to take a break from their acting, producing and film making to sing some Hanukkah songs and celebrate their good fortune.

What other celebrity couples do you know who are lighting the Menorah this holiday season? Share your thoughts below.

Nicki Minaj Blasts Her Ex-Boyfriend on Twitter



By Maggie Manfredi

Oh no she didn't! According to UsMagazine.com, Nicki Minaj and her ex Safaree Samuels took their drama public on Saturday, Dec. 20. Minaj tweeted, "Even when I try to protect ppl, they still try to take advantage of me. Haven't u learned that God is in control? Stop while you're ahead. Anything you don't appreciate will be taken. God sees your ungrateful evil soul. I gave and gave and gave. Threatening me? Blackmail? Jump," she continued. "30K watch the night my cousin was killed on the street like a dog. More than rappers. But it was never

enough. Don't make me. Too much love."

What are some ways to keep things civil after a breakup?

Cupid's Advice:

Breakups are tough, especially when one of the parties airs your dirty laundry. Cupid has some advice on how to keep things civil:

1. Stay offline: Just stay off the Twittersphere and Facebook with your personal information. If you need to vent, talk to a close friend or write it out in your journal. Once you post something on social media, it's hard to get it back. The last thing you want is to regret something down the line.

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2. Don't fear counseling: If you are struggling after your split, don't be afraid to seek outside help. Talking it through with a therapist might be just the release you need. Someone who isn't invested in the situation and who is impartial can give you advice with an unbiased outlook.

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3. Have fun: Go out with your friends, try new things and play. Life is short, so try not to get caught up in the past. Though it's easier said than done, those close to you can help.

How do you feel about tweeting about your ex? Share your thoughts below!

'N Sync Alum Lance Bass Marries Michael Turchin



By Maggie Manfredi

Wedded bliss! According to UsMagazine.com, Lance Bass married fiancé Michael Turchin in L.A. on Saturday, Dec. 20. The pair tied the knot at the Park Plaza Hotel and had a quick ceremony. For personal details, you can search the hashtag “#LanceLovesMichael,” which Bass used to show his excitement leading up to the big day.

How do you decide how long to make your wedding ceremony?

Cupid's Advice:

Your wedding ceremony is just that: yours! That being said,

timing is a major decision you have to make when confirming the details of your big day. Cupid has some factors to consider:

1. Who will be: Keep in mind the amount of guests when deciding on the ceremony length. If there are a ton of people or a very small group, that may change the way you plan your ceremony. Think about who you want involved with the ceremony too; if you have one speaker versus three, that'll impact the amount of time it takes to say your vows.

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2. Where it is: If it's a hot August afternoon or a windy beach day, make sure to take that into account. Having guests who are uncomfortable – or a bride or groom who is uncomfortable, for that matter! – will spoil the mood.

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3. What traditions you want to include: If you have plans to do something religious or traditional with your bridal party, don't get caught up on time. This is your one opportunity to have the celebration of love that *you* want, so do what makes you happy.

What are some other factors to consider about your wedding ceremony? Share your thoughts below.

Elton John and Partner David

Furnish Marry in England



[By Katie Gray](#)

Music legend and superstar, Elton John, tied the knot this weekend with his longtime partner, David Furnish! The duo got a civil partnership in 2005 and have been together for 21 years. They married in England, where same-sex marriage was recently legalized. According to UsMagazine.com, John said, "We'll do it very quietly. But we will do it, and it will be a joyous occasion, and we will have our children [there]. For this legislation to come through is joyous, and we should celebrate it. We shouldn't just say, 'Oh well, we have a civil partnership; we're not going to bother to get married'. We will get married."

How do you incorporate your kids in your wedding?

Cupid's Advice:

If you have children, you'll no doubt want to include them in wedding festivities. Cupid has some ideas:

1. Tie the knot with family ties: When tying the knot, it's wonderful to be able to include children in the celebrations! Whether that means your own children or children of family members, it's a beautiful thing. Include the children in the wedding by simply inviting them to all of the events and festivities on the big day as well as the parties leading up to it. They'll simply be happy they're there with the adults.

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2. Walk it out: A great way to involve kids in a wedding is by letting them be in the wedding party! Have them walk down the aisle as a flower girl, ring bearer, junior bridesmaid, or junior groomsmen. Let them hold the bride's bouquet during the ceremony or have another kind of task to make them feel important.

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3. Put on a show: Consider allowing the children to sing a song or have a musical solo during the wedding reception. Let them entertain you and put on a nice show for your guests to enjoy. It will no doubt showcase the love in the room.

What are some ways you have incorporated kids into your wedding? Share your stories from your celebration below.