

Carrie Underwood Discusses What Bugs Her About Husband Mike Fisher



Soul Surfer actress

Carrie Underwood recently dished to [E! Online](#) about her relationship with husband Mike Fisher. First on the list to discuss were Underwood's pet peeves. "[Fisher] loves the UFC fighting and he will DVR the fights and watch them like five times!" said Underwood. "He'll watch them and then I'll get up for breakfast the next morning and he's watching them again. Then someone will come over and they have to watch it together! I'm like, 'Really?'" Although, Underwood admits she's nearly as guilty. "I think I nag a little more than I would like to, more than he would like me to," she explained.

"I'm like, 'Please take the trash out, please change the lightbulbs. These are man things you should be doing. I'll make you brownies.'" "

How do you deal with habits that bug you about your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

Most couples can attest to the fact that dealing with your partner's quirks can be difficult, even if the two of you aren't living together. Here are a few ways you can deal with those pet peeves:

1. Tough it out: While your partner's habits may be irksome at first, if you will yourself to cope for a short while, you may eventually find that the habits no longer bother you. Be patient, and hopefully you can adjust.

2. Get some space: When your mate's quirks become too much to handle, be sure to get some space. Allowing yourself some 'you' time will make being with your partner all the more enjoyable (and less bothersome) when the two of you are together again.

3. Point out the issue: If you're still annoyed after trying to adjust to your partner's habits, bring the issue to your his or her attention. Instead of making him stop, ask him politely if he'll consider toning down his habit.

**Kristen Stewart and Rob
Pattinson Get Hitched
Onscreen**



On-and-off-screen

couple Kristen Stewart and Robert Pattinson, are preparing to tie the knot ... in *The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn* as the mortal Bella Swan and vampire Edward Cullen. Though they may only be getting married onscreen, Stewart and Pattinson may be heading toward marriage in real life, too. According to [People](#), the pair, along with the rest of the cast, are gearing up to film parts 1 and 2 of the final section of the hit vampire series in Squamish, Canada. In preparation for the much-anticipated wedding scene, numerous cast members have also been seen crossing the Canadian border including Anna Kendrick, Justin Chon, Gil Birmingham, Christian Serratos and Ashley Greene.

Should you have a big or small wedding?

Cupid's Advice:

There are perks and downfalls to having either a small or big wedding. It all depends on your preference and your budget:

- 1. Big budgets can equal big weddings:** If you have the cash and want to make a splash, a big wedding is an order.
 - 2. Keeping it small:** If you are a private person or simply don't have the budget, consider a small wedding.
 - 3. Size doesn't matter:** Though you will eventually have to decide the size of your wedding, size isn't everything. Your wedding day should be about you and your partner and the love you have for one another.
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Prince William Declines Wearing Wedding Ring



Prince William and Kate Middleton are bucking tradition once again, this time with the Prince's refusal to wear a wedding band after he's

married. According to [People](#), Middleton is going to stick to tradition and sport a ring made from a tiny bit of Welsh gold, which was presented as a gift to Prince William from Queen Elizabeth. A spokeswoman from the palace says, "There is only going to be one ring, in accordance with the couple's wishes."

Should you wear a wedding ring?

Cupid's Advice:

Traditions are nothing to scoff at, as some are there for a reason. Others, however, hold symbolism that isn't necessarily prevalent in this day and age. Cupid has some things to consider when deciding whether to wear a wedding band:

- 1. Sentimental value:** If a wedding band holds a lot of meaning to you and you'd feel uncomfortable not wearing one, that's nothing of which to be ashamed. Do what makes you comfortable in your beliefs.
 - 2. Trust:** You shouldn't doubt your partner's trustworthiness if you plan on marrying him or her, but there's no doubt that wearing a wedding ring helps ward off others who are single and looking.
 - 3. Physical comfort:** Sometimes it's simply uncomfortable to wear rings, especially for most men who aren't used to the feeling. If you're in a profession where a ring would get in the way or you just don't like the feel of a ring on your finger, consider abstaining from the tradition.
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Holly Madison is Looking for Her Soul Mate



Since her breakup with Jack Barakat last month, Holly Madison has been busy with her book, which hits stands next month, and as a correspondent for *Extra*. However, the star of *Holly's World* told [People](#) she is still looking for her soul mate. "It's hard for me, the last couple relationships I had were long distance, [and] it's not like I can make much of an effort to travel and see anybody," Madison, 30, said. "The guy had to do all the work, unfortunately." Madison's Mr. Right, according to her, needs to be someone who is secure and not threatened by a successful woman. "He needs to be patient and somebody who knows where he wants the relationship to go," she said. Until she finds this mystery man, Madison said she is content with flying solo.

What do you do if your partner is more successful than you?

Cupid's Advice:

Unless Madison robs the cradle and marries Justin Beiber, she's going to be more successful than her partner. Cupid has some pointers if your lover is similar to Madison:

- 1. Put the ego aside:** For some, typically men, it's hard not to be the person who brings home the most money. With the current economy, any money you two earn is helpful.
 - 2. Be proud:** In your relationship, you should be supportive of your lover. What better way to show that than by letting him or her know how proud you are of them?
 - 3. Unconditional love:** In the big picture, if you truly love your "soul mate," then money shouldn't matter or play a factor in your relationship.
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'Bad Teacher' with Cameron Diaz, Justin Timberlake and Jason Segel





After being dumped by her sugar daddy, outspoken junior high teacher (Cameron Diaz) starts making drastic attempts to woo a studly colleague (Justin Timberlake). The Bad Teacher's approach to getting his attention takes an unexpected turn as she slowly starts to get better at her job, and the decision causes her to be up against a highly respected co-worker.

Is it healthy to be in a relationship with a colleague?

Cupid's Advice:

Every school has that cute teacher couple, but it's not always as easy as they make it seem. If you're thinking about dating a colleague, Cupid has some things to consider:

1. Little privacy: When you're dating someone you work with, there's sure to be gossiping around the office. Not only do your co-workers constantly see the two of you during the day, but you or your partner are sure to tell someone about your Friday night. If you really want the relationship to work, look into transferring. Otherwise, you're sure to be the hot topic at the water cooler talk for a long time.

2. Pressure: If you think there's pressure at work now, working with your significant other could do a number to your stress level that no deadline could. From wanting to look nice to being better at your job, you'll find yourself focusing more on impressing your mate than getting any work done.

3. Awkward: Even though we avoid it all all costs sometimes, you have to look to the future. What if you break up? Having to see each other every day could be painful and awkward. If your partner is really worth the risk, it won't kill you to figure out a more healthy working situation.

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Michael Lohan Shows Off New Girlfriend on Twitter





Michael Lohan has had a lot going on recently with his daughter Lindsey ever-present in the media as well as his recent split from girlfriend Kate Major last week. [Pop Eater](#) is reporting, however, that Michael Lohan has taken everything in stride and gone off to Fort Lauderdale, Florida with a new girlfriend, Bernadette, in tow-to whom he debuted via a Twitter photo. In one photo Bernadette and Lohan are locking lips with a tweet reading, "U R amazing". Michael claims Bernadette is opposite of his ex Kate Major saying Bernadette is "in great shape" and "hates tabloids".

How do you deal with being jealous of an ex-partner?

Cupid's Advice:

There's not much more in life that stings worse more than when you catch a glimpse of an ex happy with his new partner. In order to keep your cool, remember that everything happens for a reason.

1. It wasn't meant to be: When you become jealous over an ex, think back to all the reasons why you shouldn't be jealous. What flaws of his do you no longer have to put up with?

2. Turn jealousy into pity: Seeing your ex move on with

another partner is never the easiest to swallow. Think of it as you being stronger and not needing a constant partner. You're better than that!

3. Move forward: If you find yourself being jealous of an ex, snap out of it! The sooner you find yourself being jealous the sooner you can make conscious efforts to refocus your energy to something more useful.

'Teen Mom' Stars Leah Messer and Corey Simms Get Married



Teen Mom 2 fans finally got to see show favorites Leah and Corey get married on the season finale. According to UsMagazine.com, Leah, 18, and Corey Simms, 20, who have two 15-month-old twin daughters,

tied the knot in October of last year. “We want the girls to have their mommy and daddy forever,” Corey said of their decision to marry. On a lighter note, the groom talked about a funny moment during the ceremony. “Leah messed up the vows!” Corey added, “She said a couple of words wrong, so we laughed a little bit.”

Should you write your own vows at your wedding?

Cupid’s Advice:

Exchanging vows during your wedding is your chance to tell your fiancé how you feel, and writing them yourself is the perfect way to personalize the moment. Cupid has some tips on how to decide if you should write your own vows:

- 1. Express yourself:** If you have something you really want to say to your mate on the big day, write your own vows. It’s the perfect opportunity to share your emotions and hopes for the future with your family, friends and spouse-to-be.
- 2. Value tradition:** Some religions will insist that you use certain vows at your wedding. So if you plan on having a traditional ceremony, you might want to stick to the standard verses instead of writing your own.
- 3. It’s your day:** The bottom line is, you should do what you want to do. If writing your own vows makes you uncomfortable, don’t do it.

LeAnn Rimes Plans to Argue

Naked for Successful Marriage



LeAnn Rimes has a theory about ensuring a successful marriage. She tweeted, “A good friend just told me that the key to a successful marriage was to argue naked! I’m gonna do that from now on, when that rarely happens.” What guy can continue an argument in a situation like that? Luckily, according to Rimes, everything is flowing smoothly between her and Cibrian. She told UsMagazine.com that Cibrian has been an active participant in the wedding planning process and things have been pretty “chill.”

What are ways to keep conflict from escalating in a relationship?

Cupid’s Advice:

Getting naked is just one unconventional way to prevent conflicts from escalating in a relationship. Cupid has some

other tips:

- 1. Communication:** Discuss things that bother you before allowing them to snowball into something that can end up causing a major rift between you and your significant other.
 - 2. Compromise:** Relationships are all about working together and making the effort to show the other person you care. If certain things bother you, it's best to try to compromise so the little things don't turn into big conflicts.
 - 3. Choose your battles:** Sometimes it's best that you let your partner win an argument every once in a while because there are most likely bigger things to worry about than the typical everyday issues couples face.
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Scarlett Johansson and Sean Penn Go Public at Witherspoon's Wedding





After they were spotted together earlier this month, Scarlett Johansson and Sean Penn finally decided to go public with their relationship. The couple was seen together on Saturday at Reese Witherspoon's wedding to Jim Toth. After the wedding, Johansson and Penn stopped by Jimmy's Bar at Ojai Inn. According to UsMagazine.com, an eyewitness said Johansson was uncomfortable with all the stares they got from the bar. She muttered, "This is so terrifying," and Penn held her hand as they went to their seat. According to the eyewitness, Johansson sat in Penn's lap and they made out in full view for 15 minutes after their table was cleared.

How do you know when to go public with a relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

So you've been dating someone for a while and now you're wondering if it's the right time to take your relationship public. Cupid offers some suggestions on when to break the news:

- 1. The One:** If you think you're meant to be soul mates and the relationship is strong and serious, it's time for you to take your union public.

2. Motives: Think about why you want the relationship to go public. If it's because your loved ones are pressuring you to find someone, then it's not a good idea to introduce your partner solely for that reason. However, if you love your special someone and want those close to you to see why, then go for it.

3. Emotions: If you're still unsure of going public with your partner, this might be a sign that you aren't ready yet. Take your time and introduce him or her once you're comfortable.

Carey Mulligan and Singer Marcus Mumford Are Getting Serious





Actress Carey

Mulligan and singer Marcus Mumford are getting serious about their relationship, reports UsMagazine.com. The two met after a secret *Mumford & Sons* show in Nashville on February 7th and immediately hit it off. A source, who saw Mumford and Mulligan a few days later at an *Arcade Fire* show, explained, " They were whispering to each other and enjoying the show. They definitely seemed like a couple." More recently, the couple have been spending time at Mumford's home in London, as well as vacationing in places like the Orkney Islands and in the Buckinghamshire area of Southeast England.

How quickly should you get serious about a new partner?

Cupid's Advice:

Especially after recovering from a broken relationship, diving into another serious relationship can be tricky. Here are a few ways to tell if you are ready for a serious commitment:

- 1. You are excited:** Trust your gut. If you're genuinely excited about your new partner and feel that the two of you will be able to maintain a serious relationship, then go for it. Your enthusiasm will help the relationship succeed.
- 2. Past relationships are behind you:** If there are any

leftover feelings or drama from any previous relationships, you may not be ready to jump into another serious relationship. You need to be burden-free in order to give your new relationship a fair shot.

3. Your partner's feelings: Even if you are more than ready for more commitment, your partner may not be. Make sure that you're both on the same page before you try to take the relationship further.

Sean Penn and Scarlett Johansson: Is the Age Difference an Issue?



By Christie Hartman,

PhD

After 14 years of marriage, Sean Penn and Robin Wright divorced in July 2010. Now Penn, who's 50, has been caught canoodling with Scarlett Johansson, 26. Yes, your calculations are correct: Sean Penn is dating a woman who is literally half his age.

Of course, the obvious questions are: Why would Sean Penn go for someone so young? And why would Scarlett Johansson date a man so much older than herself? That's when all the pseudo-scientists come out of the woodwork and start spouting evolutionary theory – i.e. that older men like young and pretty women because they represent fertility, and that younger women like older, not-necessarily-good-looking men because they have the maturity and means to care for her and her young. While there is some truth to these theories, it's only a small part of what drives dating (and mating) behavior.

More often, such theory is used as an excuse for older men to chase women who are too young for them, and for younger women to seek sugar daddies.

That said, many people assume a May-December romance is somehow typical, and that it's what every man wants. Single women in Penn's age bracket may wonder, "What chance do I have if men my age can get women in their 20s??"

Here's why you shouldn't fret much when you see a relationship like Sean Penn and Scarlett Johansson:

1. Older men often rebound with younger women. In fact, dating a much younger woman is an ironclad sign a man is still recovering from a past relationship. He's looking for fun, sex and an ego boost after the difficult time he's been through.

2. Celebrities are not like regular people. You will often observe more extreme mating behaviors in celebrities,

including multiple marriages, rapid transition from one partner to another, marrying after having dating only a few months and partners with vast age differences. These behaviors are far less common among the rest of us. In fact, only 7.5% of U.S. marriages include a husband who is more than ten years older than his wife.

3. Most older men admire younger women, rather than prefer them. A youthful, pretty face is a pleasure to look at, but most men want a partner with whom they connect. That special connection will rarely occur with someone half your age. Likewise, most women prefer men much closer to their own age.

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Will Jessica Simpson Elope with Eric Johnson?





Now that Jessica Simpson and Eric Johnson are engaged, we may end up seeing them as husband and wife when we least expect it. According to [People](#), Simpson says that her second wedding ceremony may be a bit more low key than her previous wedding to singer Nick Lachey. In a recent interview with *Women's Wear Daily*, Simpson says, "We've both been married before, we're enjoying our commitment to each other. We want to take our time ... We might elope if it gets to that point." So, don't be too surprised if you see Simpson and Johnson sporting wedding rings without an elaborate ceremony.

What are the advantages of eloping?

Cupid's Advice:

A wedding can be the best day of you and your soon-to-be spouse's lives, but it can also be one of the most stressful. Cupid has some reasons eloping could turn out to be your best bet:

1. Money: As a brand new couple, the two of you may not have a lot of cash to spend on an elaborate ceremony. Eloping gives you the flexibility to have a small gathering on your own budget.

2. Privacy: Sometimes when creating the guest list, you may feel as if you need to invite your Uncle Harry's third cousin once removed. Sneaking away with your hubby gives you the opportunity to tell whomever you choose, without the added guilt.

3. Time: Many couples who have been dating a while, and even some who haven't, don't want long engagements. Eloping allows you to have your wedding on your own time, whenever you and your partner choose.

Prince Harry Throws Prince William Bachelor Party in U.K.





Prince Harry threw his brother Prince William his bachelor bash this past weekend, and according to [E! Online](#), it included water skiing, motor boat racing, and a floating pub crawl with 20 of his best friends. A Clarence House spokesman didn't have too much to say about the event. "Prince William has enjoyed his stag and it was in the U.K," said the circumspect spokesman to London's Daily News.

What are some unique bachelor/bachelorette party ideas?

Cupid's Advice:

- 1. A fancy dinner at a hot spot:** Go somewhere where everyone goes to see and be seen, like a celebrity hot spot. Drink some strong Cosmopolitans in true *Sex and The City* and eat some quality food.
- 2. What happens in Vegas stays in Vegas:** Think about Sin City for a wild and crazy time. Based on the interests of your group, plan a trip full of gambling, shows and clubs. It's a party the groom or bride-to-be will never forget!
- 3. Have an outdoor adventure:** Instead of the traditional club scene, plan a weekend filled with outdoor excursions, whether that means cattle wrangling or white water rafting.

Ryan Phillippe and Amanda Seyfried Vacation Near Reese Witherspoon's Wedding



Reese Witherspoon and ex-husband Ryan Phillippe could have stumbled across each other this past weekend, reports [RadarOnline](#). Witherspoon, who was married to talent agent Jim Toth on Saturday, had her wedding at her Ojai, California home. Phillippe and new girlfriend Amanda Seyfried were vacationing at the expensive San Ysidro Ranch near Santa Barbara, a mere 30 minutes from Witherspoon's home. Phillippe and Witherspoon share two children together: Ava, 11, and Deacon, 7. The two finalized their divorce in 2007.

What are ways to tell that your ex is jealous of your new

relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Even when all seems to be said and done in an ended relationship, it's possible for leftover feelings to resurface. Here are a few ways to find out if your ex is jealous:

1. He wants to see you: Even if the two of you agreed to be friends after your relationship ended, there's still a line between being friendly and clingy. If your ex contacts you more often now that you're in a new relationship, it may mean that he's jealous.

2. Ask mutual friends: If you share mutual friends, ask your friends if your ex has been mentioning you more than usual lately, or if your ex seems to be moody. A bad attitude and a need to bring you into the conversation is a sure way to tell if your ex is jealous.

3. His dating tendencies: If it seems that your ex is taking a long time to move on from your relationship, it may mean that he still has feelings for you. While your ex just may not be the type to rush into a new relationship, his repeated avoidance of the dating scene may be cause for concern.

Jennifer Hudson's Fiance Adjusting to Her New Body



Although most are excited about Jennifer Hudson's loss of 80 pounds, her fiancée isn't too thrilled. UsMagazine.com reports the 29 year-old Academy Award recipient told Jay Leno on Friday's show that her man, David Otunga, preferred the casual clothes versus her new wardrobe. Also, she admitted her fiancée is not a big fan of change. "He fusses at me like, 'Why do you have to have to get all dressed up to go out and why can't you just go out like you used to?'" said Hudson. "And I'm like, 'I'm a walking billboard now honey.'"

How do you overcome your partner's judgment?

Cupid's Advice:

- 1. Stay confident:** If you feel good, chances are your partner will think you look good. After all, your attitude reflects on the outlook of your day.
- 2. Listen to feedback:** Your lover may criticize if you change your look randomly, but try not to just blow it off. Listen

carefully to their point so you fully understand.

3. Make your case: What's most important is that you clearly explain that how you look now is very important to you, and it makes you feel happy. Your partner will come around.

Khloe Kardashian Says Kris Humphries Must Pass Family's Initiation



Khloe Kardashian has some advice for sister Kim's long-distance basketball boyfriend Kris Humphries: impress the fam. Khloe, who married Los Angeles Laker star Lamar Odom in September of 2010 knows firsthand how critical her brood can be. "I don't think Kris

knows what he's getting into," Kardashain told [People](#). She says that this summer Humphries will get the opportunity to spend some time with the whole family and get initiated into the Kardashian group ... if he can manage.

What do you do if your partner doesn't get along with your family?

Cupid's Advice:

There is no one more influential in your choice of mate other than the members of your family. It may work in movies, but if your boo and your family butt heads, something needs to be done:

1. Talk it out: Discuss things separately first and then together if need be. Why does your partner not get along with your family and vice versa? As soon as you figure out where the conflict begins, you can start to mend the situation.

2. Figure out the reason: Is there a good reason for conflict between your partner and your family? Perhaps your family is concerned about your well-being when you're with your partner. Consider these objections for what they're worth and if they hold any value.

3. Blood is thicker: than water. Just like when your parents would weed out the good-for-nothing friends you brought home from school, you're family is still (and always will be) your family. If this boyfriend is just a passing phase, consider moving on.

Fergie Wants to Spend More Time with Husband Josh Duhamel



Now that Fergie finally has a break from touring, the first thing on her agenda is spending more time with her husband Josh Duhamel. According to UsMagazine.com, Fergie says that her and Duhamel's quality time consists primarily of listening to music and going down to North Dakota to visit Duhamel's parents. The singer says, "My husband and I like playing music from our childhood," says Fergie. "Music which makes a difference to us. It's a bonding thing. It's nice to share music from your past with someone you love because you learn a lot more about the person."

How can you carve out more time with your significant other?
Cupid's Advice:

Between work and kids, quality time with your partner is pretty hard to come by. Here are some tips on how to create more time with your significant other:

- 1. Date night:** Set aside one night a week that you two have committed to each other. For that one night, every other responsibility must fall to the waist side, no matter what.
 - 2. Breakfast:** No matter what time each of you has work, make a set time to have breakfast with one another. It's the only meal that is guaranteed.
 - 3. Take a trip:** As hard as it may be to take time off from work, whether its two days or five, make sure that at least once a year you are able to get away together as a couple.
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David Arquette and Courteney Cox: Did Over-Complaining Kill Their Marriage?





By Guy Winch, Ph.D.,

author of *The Squeaky Wheel*

While it's natural to moan and complain to our spouses and expect support and understanding from them, too much complaining can change the very nature of our relationship and damage it beyond repair. When David Arquette and Courteney Cox announced they were splitting up last October, Arquette mentioned that Cox was sick of "mothering" him. For a celebrity couple, the two have been relatively close-lipped about the details of their separation. However, it's fair to assume that if Cox was doing too much mothering, Arquette was doing too much complaining.

When one member of a couple becomes an over-complainer, it creates significant stress on the relationship and the entire household. Unproductive complaining such as venting, whining and moaning, creates an atmosphere of negativity and dissatisfaction that pervades the home. Over-complaining of the unproductive kind can also make it difficult for other members of the household to express their own joy and happiness.

The problem is that such habits can develop slowly and go unnoticed until the problem is severe. For example, a husband

might go through a period of employment instability and feel down about himself and the world. His wife might be supportive at first. She might try to help out by offering regular dollops of sympathy and taking on more responsibilities. However, by doing so she is reinforcing her husband's complaining and enabling him to remain miserable and passive. Over time, the husband in this scenario can become comfortable in the situation and expect his wife to continue "mothering" him.

When left unchallenged, this kind of dynamic can lead to a shift in the very nature of a couple's relationship. Instead of being husband and wife, they now relate to one another in a manner more reminiscent of mother and child or mother and teenager. As a result, their relationship suffers, their marital satisfaction drops and their sex life erodes. Whining is rarely a turn on.

Although it's natural to go through difficult times and expect support from our spouses, couples should never let negative circumstances turn into an enduring reality. If your spouse is over-complaining so much that you begin to think of him or her as a whiner, alert your partner to his or her behavior and how it is affecting you. Ask your mate to learn how to use complaints sparingly and productively—for everyone's sake.

Khloe Kardashian and Lamar Odom Talk Reality Show





Another Kardashian, another reality show! [Access Hollywood](#) reports Khloe Kardashian and hubby Lamar Odom are currently promoting their new E! show, *Khloe & Lamar*. But with reality TV's long history of ruining relationships (like Jessica Simpson and Nick Lachey or Carmen Electra and Dave Navarro), the couple are taking a chance by letting cameras film every moment of their personal lives. However, Kardashian insists that the show has actually strengthened her family's bond. "This show has made [my family] closer and stronger, because it does make you spend time with each other, and also, this show is therapy to us." She added that watching herself on camera has helped her become a better person. "We do watch things and when we watch them we're like, 'Oooh – I hated how I treated you,' or, 'I hated how I said that,' and you learn to mature and change yourself."

Can a relationship in the public eye last?

Cupid's Advice:

While celebrities aren't known for having long-lasting relationships, there are some exceptions. Cupid has some ideas on whether a public relationship can work:

1. Use it to your advantage: In rare cases, being in the public eye can actually improve a relationship. If you can make it work for you like the Kardashians do, then celebrity can make your bond stronger.

2. Just the two of us: Sharing your personal life with the rest of the world can make a relationship seem a bit crowded. If you just focus on the two of you and tune out all the naysayers, your union can thrive in the spotlight.

3. Avoid it: In general, being in the public eye puts stress on a relationship and exaggerates problems. Unless your job requires it, try to avoid public life if you want your love to last.

Cupid Exclusive: Jaimie Hilfiger on Old Hollywood Romance





By **Vicky Sullivan**

of **Aspiring Socialite**

Supermodel Jaimie Hilfiger, niece of famed fashion designer Tommy Hilfiger, has been seen around town wearing the latest in fashion – which includes old Hollywood styles. During L.A. Fashion Week, she wore a light pink cocktail dress complete with old world-inspired lace and Edwardian beadwork designed by Sue Wong to the designer's *My Fair Lady* Champagne Brunch/Fashion Show at The Cedars, the former historic Hollywood home of silent-screen icon Norma Talmadge, which was purchased by Wong in 2004. Hilfiger's most recent project is being the face of boyfriend Igal Dehan's jewelry line, Cuffs of Love, worn by celebrities like Kim Kardashian, the Hilton sisters, and Stevie Wonder.

Hilfiger took time to speak exclusively with **Cupid's Pulse** about love, dating and celebrity style. For hopeless romantics intent on experiencing the romance and chivalry of old Hollywood, this young model reveals how to glam up your love life simply by bringing back nostalgic designs and genuine class:

What do you like best about old Hollywood styles?

Old Hollywood has inspired so many recent styles, with high-collared fitted outfits and of course, hats. Kate Middleton has taken a lot of her style from old Hollywood and *My Fair Lady* inspirations. There is just so much one-of-a-kind craftsmanship that goes into these fashions.

How do you incorporate the romance of old Hollywood into your everyday life?

My boyfriend, Igal Dehen, is from Paris so it's always a romance movie in my house. At the height of old Hollywood, men had a lot of manners and courted women with the utmost respect.

Do you feel that wearing these soft, glamorous styles evoke old-school romance?

Yes, you're absolutely treated differently. When you present yourself with class, you're treated with class. People also tend to take you more seriously in classically beautiful styles.

How has being from a famous family affected your dating life?

You have to find someone who doesn't care either way and is there for you. They must be successful in their own right and aren't looking for a free ride.

Besides a man, what is your favorite accessory?

Diamonds are a girl's best friend.

What tips can you give our readers on how to get ready for a date?

The day of the date you should wake up early and go to the gym. Make time to talk to your girlfriends that day. Wear something hot, but not slutty. It is very important that you're comfortable in what you wear, or you won't be comfortable on the date. Don't be exactly on time, because

chances are he won't be. But don't be any more than 10 minutes late, because otherwise you look like a diva.

How do you dress for a casual vs. formal date?

No matter if the date is casual or formal, you should always be comfortable in what you're wearing. Always ask what you're doing first so you know what to wear. Even if you're wearing heels to a fancy dinner, you should bring along a pair of flats in your purse in the event that you take a walk on the beach after dinner.

What other dating tips and advice can you give us?

Don't text or be on your phone while on a date. Be polite and ladylike. Always say "please" and "thank you." Remember that 90 to 95 percent of the time he's more nervous than you are.

Cupid thanks Jaimie Hilfiger for her time! For more on Hilfiger, visit her website at www.JaimieHilfiger.com, Facebook page and follow her on Twitter: @JamieHilfiger.

Reese Witherspoon Marries Jim Toth





America's sweetheart

Reese Witherspoon has officially tied the knot with her agent beau, Jim Toth, at a private ceremony at Witherspoon's ranch in Ojai, California. The two have been engaged since December. According to [People](#), Toth is quite the family man. The *Legally Blonde* actress' children, Ava and Deacon, from her previous marriage to Ryan Phillippe, took to her new husband early in the relationship. The 20-minute ceremony was preceded by a pre-wedding cocktail hour. An insider close to the couple stated that the new bride was very giddy and excited about the future.

How can you make a wedding at home unique?

Cupid's Advice:

A wedding at home can be both convenient and personalized. Here are some tips to make the most out of this new trend:

1. Decorations: Just because your wedding is at home doesn't mean that it has to look like home. Splurge on some classy decorations to spruce up your pad for the big day.

2. Use your backyard: An outdoor wedding is always fun and romantic. Why not have one in the comfort of your own home?

3. Showcase your memories: Home is where the heart is. Having a wedding in a place that holds so many wonderful memories will be unforgettable.

Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie Keep a Tight Family Life



If their life was like a sitcom, it'd be called "The Brangelina Bunch." Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie were out in New Orleans last weekend with their entire clan of kids, according to [People](#). While things are busy on vacation with the family, the life of this celebrity family is becoming, as a source said, "organized chaos." "Of course it's wild when all the kids are there, and evening tends to be a bit chaotic with dinner and bedtime are both good with rules," the source said. "[Pitt and Jolie]

there are definitely consequences, like time-outs, for bad behavior, but for the most part the kids all get along.”

How can you include your kids in date night?

Cupid's Advice:

1. Go somewhere kid friendly: Avoid the bars and clubs with your children. Instead, perhaps try a child's movie, bowling or mini-golfing. Plus, it's sometimes fun to revisit your own childhood!

2. Back before bedtime: Try to have your kids in early. But just because they went to sleep, doesn't mean your night is over. Rent a movie to watch after the kids are sleeping so you can have some romantic alone time.

3. Keep it 'G-Rated': Try to be mindful about you and your partner's PDA. Your offspring are observant creatures so try to set the example for proper etiquette when in public.

Rachel Bilson and Hayden Christensen Call It Quits For Good





Both the engagement and the relationship are over for Rachel Bilson and Hayden Christensen. According to UsMagazine.com, the couple just couldn't make things work. The pair met in 2007 on the set of *Jumper*. They were engaged a year later and called it off in the summer of 2010. It seems like this on and off couple may officially be on the outs.

How do you know what a relationship is truly over?

Cupid's Advice:

Sometimes relationships work and sometimes they don't. If you are in an on-and-off-again relationship that just doesn't seem to be working, the best course of action may be to move on:

- 1. Too much drama:** If you are in a relationship where the tears of make-ups and break-ups never seems to end, get out for your own sanity.
- 2. Boredom:** Along with being over-dramatic, a relationship that is dead in the water can also be underwhelming. If your partner no longer excites or interests you it may be time to say, "Let's just be friends."
- 3. You don't trust your partner:** If you're back with an ex and find that you can no longer trust them due to your painful

past, don't walk ... run out of this relationship.

Hugh Hefner and Crystal Harris Get Close at Lingerie Party



Playboy founder Hugh Hefner and his much-younger fiancée Crystal Harris were caught huddling close all night at the *Playboy* Golf Lingerie and Pajama Party at the *Playboy* Mansion in L.A. last week, according to [People](#). The duo “looked smitten,” according to a source at the party with them. Hefner, the 85-year-old husband-to-be, also received a life-sized birthday card from *Playboy* Golf CEO Ajay Pathak.

Does age matter when it comes to marriage?

Cupid's Advice:

Cupid tends to think that age in itself doesn't matter, but there are some things to consider before entering into a relationship with someone significantly older or younger than yourself:

- 1. Different generations:** If you and your partner were born in different generations, you grew up with different commonly held beliefs. Make sure you're on the same wavelength morally before you get too serious.
- 2. Think longterm:** Think about whether you want to have kids and what your age difference means in that situation. Will your spouse have enough energy to put into raising a child?
- 3. Energy levels:** Someone younger might have a lot more energy for activities and outings than someone older. If your partner is much older than you, are you willing to deal with those limitations?