### Surprise! Savannah Guthrie Is Married and Pregnant





By Louisa Gonzales

Savannah Guthrie and Michael Feldman secretly tied the knot this past weekend in a private ceremony. According to *People*, the couple said their "I do's" in front a small gathering of family and friends, about 80 to 90 people. The NBC anchor Guthrie, 42, and Feldman, 45, told their quests to keep their marriage a secret until Guthrie could reveal the information herself on air during the Today Monday morning. That wasn't the only surprising news the lovebirds revealed that day. After the pair broke the news of their plans to keep their marriage hush-hush until the right time, they told quests, while the NBC News "Special Report" music played in the background, that they were expecting. Sources reported after the big news, every one of the guest "jumped" to their feet in excitement. This will be the romantic mates, who first met and began dating in 2008, first child together.

#### What are some advantages to keeping your wedding under wraps?

#### Cupid's Advice:

Every couple wants different things and has different ideas on marriage. Once you're engaged and decide to start planning your wedding, know that you'll most likely face a few struggles along the way, but it will be worth it in the end, once you see your beau walking down the aisle or standing in front of you. A marriage is between you and the other person you choose to spend your life with, and if you want to keep your wedding private or have a big affair, it's your choice. Cupid explains some advantage to keeping your wedding under wraps:

1. It will make it more special: Getting married is one of the biggest and most sacred moments that will happen in your life. How romantic and intimate would it be to share your special day with just the people closest to you, as opposed to the whole world. These days everyone is posting every detail about their lives on some sort of social media, which in some cases can take away the magic of it all. By keeping your marriage just between you, your lover and the people you cheirsh it will show how much you honor and want to protect this special moment and your significant other.

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2. Less stress: There's a lot of pressure when it comes to getting married, why add-on more pressure with worrying about what other people will think? For a private or secret wedding to work you need to only let the people closest to you know, to decrease the risks of word getting out. With smaller and more intimate wedding gatherings, there is less stress and worry about pleasing other people. Plus, the stress that comes with planning a wedding for everyone, takes away from the fact you are getting married for yourself, because you and your sweetheart want to.

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3. It will keep the wedding yours: The choice to get married is one of the biggest decisions any couple will make. Choosing to keep your wedding under wraps will show how important and special the pending marriage is to you. It will also keep you focused and help you remember what's important when planning for the big day. The one's getting married are you and your partner, no one else, so the two you should get the wedding you want without hearing from other people on how or when you should get married. The less people who know, the bigger the chance you'll won't let other people influence you.

What do you think are some advantages to keeping your wedding on the down low? Share in the comments below.

# 'Little People, Big World's' Jeremy Roloff Is Engaged





By April Littleton

According to <u>People</u>, TLC reality star Jeremy Roloff is engaged to Audrey Mirabella Botti. The 23-year-old announced the news via Instagram. They have been dating since 2011. Roloff's parents, Matt and Amy, announced they were separating after 26 years of marriage last Wednesday.

How do you know when you're ready to tie the knot?

#### Cupid's Advice:

Lately, you've been thinking more and more about getting hitched to your significant other. You can't imagine your life without this special person right at your side. Marriage is a big step, and you want to make sure you come to a final decision with a clear head on your shoulders. Cupid has some tips:

1. You're confident: You feel extremely comfortable with the way things are going in your relationship. You have the same goals in life, share similar hobbies and the both of you feel completely fulfilled in all other aspects of your life

together.

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2. Family and friends: Your loved ones adore your significant other, and are more than happy to watch you take the next step in your relationship with your honey. You don't want to spend the rest of your life with someone your family and friends don't really care for. Keep their opinion in mind as you make this life-altering decision.

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3. Communication: The communication between you and your partner is off the charts. When you fight, you're both able to come to a solution without the argument escalating into something more heated. The way you handles differences with your significant other now will most likely be how you take care of other problems for the rest of your life. Make sure the two of you share the same amount of respect for each other before you fully commit.

How did you know you were ready to tie the knot? Share your experience below.

Celebrity Interview: 'DWTS' Contestant Candace Cameron Bure Says "Dance Parties" Have Always Been Her Favorite

# Family Activity!





By <u>Whitney Johnson</u>

Earlier this month, when Good Morning America announced the line-up for season 18 of Dancing with the Stars, Full House fans were excited to see Candace Cameron Bure back in the spotlight. And she's just as thrilled to be a part of the cast: "I've always been a fan of the show. Plus, this is probably the most excited I've seen my family get over something that I'm doing!" she shares in our celebrity interview.

### Candace Cameron Bure Opens Up About

# Her Family and New Book in Celebrity Interview

Daughter Natasha was particularly happy about her mom's new role. "She was just freaking out," the star says with a laugh. "She wanted to know all about the other celebrities on the show. She's been coming with me to my weekend rehearsals too."

Once her sons Maksim and Lev met her partner, two-time champion Mark Ballas, they got into it too. "They just thought he was so cool," she reveals. Viewers can expect to see her kids as well as her husband Valeri in the audience cheering her on each week.

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Cameron Bure has certainly been keeping busy, both on and off the small screen. Most recently, the *New York Times* bestselling author published her second book, *Balancing It All: My Story of Juggling Priorities and Purpose*. As for how she manages the never-ending juggling act of being a wife, celebrity mom, actress, and writer, "it's about big picture prioritizing and realizing what's most important in your life. You have to make sure that your top three priorities really stay in place."

She adds, "For me, it's God and family and then my work and social life and all of the rest of the stuff in between. But if God and family aren't in that first and second position, everything else in my life really does become unbalanced."

#### *DWTS* Star on Her Celebrity Marriage

Of course, her husband plays a significant role in helping her hold everything together. "He's an incredibly-involved father to our children and a supportive partner to me. Our lives are really stressful, yet our family is our priority," she shares about her <u>celebrity marriage</u>. "He's just a wonderful man, and I feel really blessed to have him."

The famous couple, who married when they were only 20 years old, first connected over their similar backgrounds. "I lived a very full life before then, as had my husband. We both had been working children: He was playing hockey, and I had been acting since I was five," she explains in our celebrity interview. "We were both very ready to get married and start a family."

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As for what keeps their 17-year celebrity marriage so strong, the blonde simply states, "Common values and love for one another are the main two things. "

For other couples trying to make the most of their union, she stresses the importance of building up your partner to become who they're meant to be. "When you take the focus off of yourself and focus on how you can help your spouse be better, that's when your marriage will become better," the *DWTS* contestant explains.

With her three kids getting older, it's no surprise that her relationship with them is always changing. "It's really fun to see the adults they're becoming. We're having more mature conversations, and I love the stage that we're in," she shares. "I have an open relationship with them, and nothing is off limits."

That includes everything from conversations about "awkward, adult topics" to family dance parties. "It's one of our favorite things to do together. We turn off the lights, put the strobe lights on, and just crank the electronic music," she divulges. "We have a blast!" While she has no professional dance experience, she loves being the first one on the dance floor at weddings and parties. **Related Link:** <u>'Full House' Actress Candace Cameron Bure Talks</u> <u>Motherhood</u>

Cameron Bure and Ballas have been working on a contemporary dance for tonight's *Dancing with the Stars* premiere. "I have a lot of bruises all over my body, so I'm falling down a lot," the author shares about their routine. "I'm a fairly athletic person, so I asked Mark to incorporate that into our dance. We have some lifts, which will be fun."

Of her future on the show, she reveals that she really wants to do the Viennese Waltz. "It's just so classical and beautiful." She's dreading those "dances that have a ton of footwork" but adds that "Mark actually thinks I'll be pretty good at it. It's such complicated choreography. Those are the ones that make me nervous."

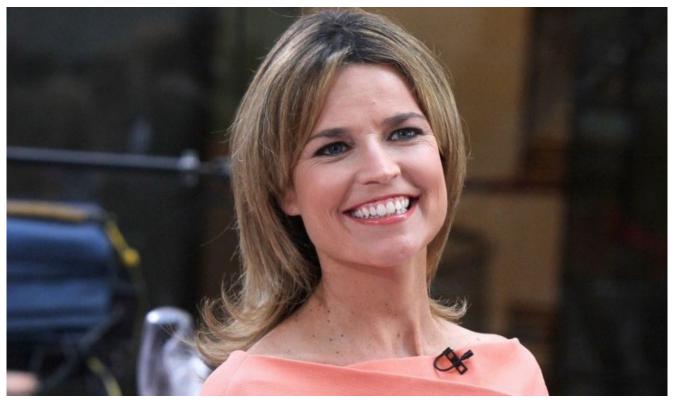
When it comes to her competition, she's seen *Big Time Rush* star James Maslow rehearse and says he's fabulous. Tonight, though, she's most looking forward to seeing Paralympic snowboarder Amy Purdy dance. "I think a lot of people are excited to watch her. We're just curious to see how she's going to move to all of those steps," she says. "When I'm feeling slightly challenged, I immediately think of her and think, 'What am I complaining about? I have two feet.'"

Follow Cameron Bure on Twitter @candacecbure and tweet your support with #DJCandyBall. Be sure to tune in for tonight's premiere of Dancing with the Stars on ABC at 8/7c.

### Find Out What Romantic Thing

### Aaron Paul Tells His Wife Every Day





By Sanetra Richards

Love is floating around and there is no stopping it. *Breaking Bad* actor Aaron Paul is on nothing short of cloud nine paradise with his wife, Lauren Parsekian. The two are almost at their one year anniversary and are still keeping things fresh. At a recent screening, Paul told *People*, "I fall more in love with her every day. Being married to my wife is incredible." The 34-year-old went on to say, ""I tell her every day that I love her, I've got to. If you marry someone, you have to let her know how much you care and I do that as often as I possibly can. She really is the best wife and she should know that." What are some important things to tell your partner every day?

#### Cupid's Advice:

One of a relationship's key aspects is the emotional attachment, which comes with lots of expression. If you want to maintain the connection with your partner and lessen the chaos, conveying your emotions on an everyday basis is essential. Cupid has some advice to help keep the spark alive:

1. Appreciation: Sometimes we forget to tell a person we are constantly around "thank you." We start to believe it does not need to be said because it is understood. Do not be mistaken. Your partner needs to know you appreciate them for all they do, not only for you, but for others as well. There is more than one way to show your gratitude – it could be through an easy home activity, such as cooking a romantic dinner for them. Whatever it may be, your partner should feel like they are wanted.

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2. Affection: A simple "I love you" can go a long way, and we tend to say it often as we are departing from someone or just because we feel obligated to. However, if you want to spice it up with more, add "I love you, and I also love how you..." Pay your partner compliments that will actually require you to take time out and think of your favorite qualities in him or her. Do not be opposed to leaving cute notes around the house or sending warming and flirty text messages.

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**3.** Ask: Often times, you may have so much going on outside of your relationship, you become consumed with just that. Instead, make it a part of your daily habits to ask your

partner about how their day is going/went. A way to avoid the redundancy is to actually be genuine in the conversation. Further it even more with questions about their current thoughts, such as "What's on your mind?" Your interest in them will be clear.

What are a few other things to tell your partner every day? Share your thoughts below.

### 'American Idol' Contestant Ben Briley Sings to Better His Family's Future





By Liz Kim

Ben Briley quickly became a fan favorite on American Idol this season during rush week when the judges couldn't decide between him and Neco Starr to advance to the top 13. They put the decision in America's hands, and Briley was voted to move forward. From his southern drawl to his love for everything Tennessee, he might seem like the token country singer, but one look at the 24 -year-old's YouTube channel, and you'll quickly learn that he enjoys music ranging from John Mayer to James Taylor.

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The contestant admitted that he never even intended on auditioning for the show. "The entire reason I tried out was so I could be a supportive father and husband," he shared. "Being on the show and being married is definitely tough. I don't know too many newlyweds that have spent their first year of marriage like this." The bright side of getting eliminated before the top 10, though, is that he won't have to go on the American Idol summer tour, which would keep him away from his wife Courtney even longer.

Before each performance on Wednesday, the contestants all did impressions of each other and almost every impression of Briley was about his two loves: Tennessee and Courtney. With a wife as supportive as she is, it isn't surprising that he loves out loud. "The only week she wasn't in Los Angeles was last week, but she's been here every other week supporting me and making sure I stay focused," he said. "She would tell me that she doesn't want to distract me and wants to make sure I get votes. She's definitely my biggest fan and my biggest supporter."

This week, he sang Elton John's "Bennie and the Jets," a song that he picked "to show my diversity and to show that I can do something else beside country music. I also wanted to break out the piano and show that I could play because I hadn't done that yet. It wasn't a permanent change to who I am as an artist; it was more about showing something different."

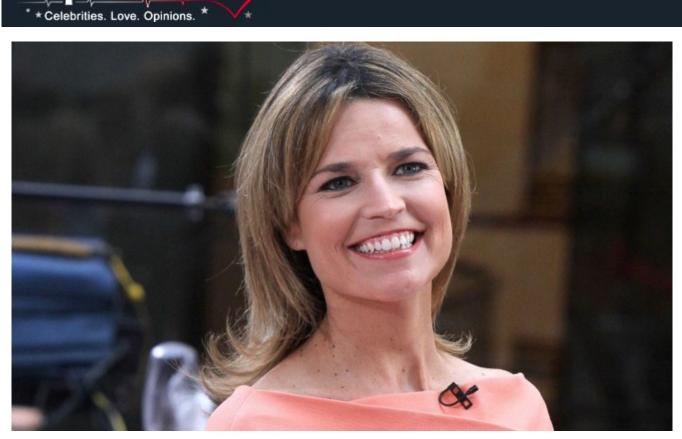
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The judges, however, were confused and felt he lacked a connection to it. While Briley didn't like what they had to say after his performance, he tried not to take it personally. "Their words did sting," he admitted. "For one contestant, they'll say, 'You're consistent, but you need to change it up.' To another person, they'll say, 'You need to stay in your lane and not venture out,' but when someone finally does take a risk and a step forward and tries to be different, it gets shot down on national television."

Briley is looking forward to returning home to his friends and family, eating some Tennessee pizza, and continuing to work on music career. "This is the definitely not the last you'll see of me, and nobody works harder than me. I'm not in it for the money or the fame. I'm in it to be a good father and provide for my family."

You can keep up with Ben on his www.facebook.com/ben.briley and on Twitter @BenBriley. American Idol is on Wednesdays and Thursdays on FOX.

### Kathrine McPhee Trying to Work on Marriage



By Louisa Gonzales

Katharine McPhee and her husband Nick Cokas separated nine months ago, but now it seems the couple may be trying to work

on marriage. According to <u>People</u>, a close friend of the pair says they are trying to work things out. The duo has been spending time together and was recently spotted out in Los Angeles walking their dogs. There was initially a lot of controversy surrounding their separation, because just 5 months after the ex-lovers announcement of their split, news broke about McPhee's affair with married man, director Michael Morris. Morris is married to actress Mary McCormack. However after everything, McPhee and Cokas remained close and now it seems they're hoping to start fresh.

What are some ways to seek help with your marriage?

#### Cupid's Advice:

After you get married things aren't going to be 'happily ever after' all the time. There will be a lot of obstacles and challenges that come after tying the knot and, sadly, sometimes couples can't over come them. However, if you are willing to work on your union, it is possible to overcome any roadblocks you may face. Cupid has some advice and ways to get help with your marriage:

**1.Seek advice from other married couples:** You're not the first couple to face marriage challenges and you won't be the last. Go to trustworthy family or friends and ask them for tips or to share their experiences. It is important to gain perceptive outside of your own marriage, it will help you and let you know you are not alone.

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**2.Go to counseling:** It's not easy to admit you need help and its even harder to take other's people's advice. However it could be good to go the counseling together, many couples have done the same so you don't have to feel alone. A good counselor could help you remember all the reasons you fell in

love and work out your issues.

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3. Look to each other: If you're both willing to admit you have issues, together you can work them out and save your marriage. Communicate with each other, listen, and be willing to compromise. It will help you see what you've neglected concerning your spouses needs. Every good partnership needs "we" time.

What do you think are the best ways to seek help with your marriage? Share in the comments below.

### Kim Kardashian and Kanye West Set a Wedding Date in Paris





By Sanetra Richards

Kimye have set the date! According to <u>People</u>, West and Kardashian are planning a ceremony for May 24<sup>th</sup> in Paris. You may remember the extravagant proposal, which aired on an episode of <u>Keeping Up with the Kardashians</u> back in February. However, a source has reported, "It won't be a huge wedding. Around 150 people."

What are some factors to consider when choosing a wedding date and location?

#### Cupid's Advice:

Your wedding day is one of the most memorable times of your life. Therefore, picking the perfect date and location is crucial. Cupid has some advice to make the planning as less stressful as possible:

1. Ideal scene: Check out various venues so you will have options. You want to aim for the most romantic ambiance. Love should literally be in the air. Also, choose a site that fits

your number of guests. For example, if you are expecting a larger crowd, the location should accommodate.

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2. Serenity: Limit the surrounding distractions. Your guests should not be focused on anything else, except the ceremony. Seek for the most peaceful location – after all, it will only add to the romance. You will have your partner's attention and they will have yours.

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3. Weather and time: Although you may not have any control over the forecast, you decide whether to have an indoor or outdoor ceremony beforehand. If you are a fan of a specific outdoor location, keep in mind any unexpected weather changes and your guests' comfort. In addition, be sure to pick a time frame that will also work for your guests, such as family and close friends.

What are other factors to consider while picking a wedding location and date? Share your suggestions below.

### Mary-Kate Olsen Is Engaged to Olivier Sarkozy





By Louisa Gonzales

Looks like Mary-Kate Olsen will soon be walking down the aisle. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Olsen is now engaged to her long-term boyfriend of roughly two years, French banker Oliver Sarkozy. The couple who first made their public debut back in 2012, have been going strong for years now and even live together in a \$6.25 millon townhouse, despite their major age difference. Olsen is 27 while the half-brother of former French president Nicolas Sarkozy, is 44. Sources reveal Olsen's family is happy for them and "love" Sarkozy for her. The real question though is will twin sister Ashley, whose also dating an older man, be the maid of honor?

What are some things to consider when you're dating an older man?

#### Cupid's Advice:

Finding genuine love is hard and so is finding someone you connect with. Love can come in all shapes and forms. If you found love with someone older it doesn't make your love any

less important or significant. However, no matter who you are with there are going to be challenges. Cupid has some advice on things to consider when you're in a relationship with an older man:

1. Does he have children: One of the biggest things to consider before getting involved with an older man is does he have kids? Kids aren't necessarily a bad thing, but you will have to understand him having kids probably means he will want to devote a lot of time and attention to them. You need to ask yourself if you are okay and willing to become a part of an already established families life.

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2.He's been around longer: Having a partner who is older, not only means they will most likely have more experience than you, buy also more baggage. Are you willing to accept everything that comes with them? You older beau might have an ex-wife, his own home,or may have already experienced things you haven't yet. You might miss out on sharing certain "firsts" together, so ask yourself if you are okay with that.

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**3. There's a future:** You need to ask yourself if you're both want the same things in terms of a future. Both of you might be at similar points in your life now, but it might not always be that way. Like any relationship you're hoping to build long-term, you need to have similar out look on life and there has to be a strong connection both physically and emotionally. With your lover being older will you still be attracted to him ten years from now or are you emotionally ready to be in a relationship with someone who is maybe more mature?

What are some things to think about when considering on being with an older man? Share your tips below.

### Cassie Piersol Chapman on Her Celebrity Marriage: "You Can't Help Who You Fall in Love With"





By Brittany Stubbs

Set in and around the capital of the high-stakes country music business, *Private Lives of Nashville Wives* follows a group of driven women as they navigate their lives through professional challenges, family issues, and social relationships in the South. Award-winning singer-songwriter Gary Chapman and his wife Cassie Piersol Chapman are two stars of TNT's new reality TV series. With a 23-year age difference, there has been some speculation about the couple's celebrity marriage, but they're here to prove that their relationship and love is the real deal.

### Cassie Piersol Chapman Opens Up About Celebrity Marriage

The twosome first met on a tiny island in the Bahamas. "I had no idea who he was," Cassie explains. "Without Internet or cell service on the island, it's not like I had Google to look him up! I knew he was older than me, but I wasn't aware that he was 23 years older. At that point though, I didn't care." Cassie then moved to Nashville in order to be with her man. "You can't help who you fall in love with."

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In Gary, she found a partner who is patient and kind and loves her unconditionally, something she had never felt before. People have given looks and made remarks about her being a gold digger and a trophy wife, but she never lets negative comments phase her. "I don't care what people say. They can call me whatever they want."

Despite some criticism from others, the famous couple have truly found more advantages than challenges to their age gap. Gary claims that the reason their relationship and love works so well is because of their personalities and constant support for one another. "We genuinely have met in the middle," he says of their celebrity marriage. "My life experience is deeper than hers at this point, just because of the calendar, and while I believe she appreciates and enjoys the wisdom I've accumulated, she keeps me young and reminds me that if you want to live a happy life, you can't take everything so seriously."

One thing that the <u>celebrity couple</u> does take seriously is their desire to have children, something that viewers will see throughout the season. While other *Housewives* series tend to focus on the drama between women (although we'll see a little of that too), *Nashville Wives* shines more light on family dynamics. "The husbands and kids are more involved," Cassie says in our celebrity interview. "I think it makes the show more relatable and interesting."

### Reality TV Celebrity Couple on Their Adoption

For the Chapman's, the cameras will capture the emotional and stressful process of adopting their baby girl. Through this life-changing experience, Cassie became an advocate for private adoption. "I want to start a non-profit organization to help birth mothers find adoptive families. It'll be a private adoption service rather than an agency, because I don't think a lot of birth mothers know that's a possibility." The couple agrees that the private adoption path is a much better process for both the child and the parents. "We have a very open adoption with the birth mother," Cassie shares. "She visits all the time, within reason, and I love that our daughter will know where she came from."

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Although they are busy being new parents, the duo understands the importance of making time for just the two of them. Making their relationship and love a priority doesn't always mean having to go out for a date night though. "When we go out, we inevitably end up running into people we know and talking to them, and then suddenly, we're just waving to one another across the room," Gary says with a laugh. "We don't actually end up getting to spend that much time together!" For this reason, they often have more fun just being home. After the baby falls asleep, they enjoy cooking dinner, having a glass of wine, and hanging out on the couch.

It's not hard to tell these two lovebirds are crazy about each other. Although Gary endured two painful celebrity divorces before meeting Cassie, he didn't let past wounds keep him from falling in love again. "You have to decide if the experience of falling for someone and having a beautiful relationship is worth the risk of the pain that you know is potentially out there. I made the choice to take that risk, and I'm so glad I did."

While Gary knows that this marriage will be his last, he definitely hasn't had his last wedding. The couple, now married for six years, have had four celebrity weddings: a small ceremony that Gary's father performed, a mountaintop wedding in Breckenridge, Colorado, a ceremony at a Renaissance fair with Cassie's grandmother, and of course, one in Las Vegas.

Despite all of these ceremonies, the couple is making plans for at least one more. "We've yet to have a big, fancy wedding here in town where all of our friends can come," Gary explains. Though a date hasn't been set yet, it will be a traditional ceremony. "I want my dad to walk me down the aisle, and my mom to button me up — that kind of thing," Cassie shares. "I also want our daughter and Gary's children, my bonus kids, to be a part of the celebration as well."

Be sure to tune into Private Lives of Nashville Wives every Monday on TNT at 10/9c!

## Matthew Rhys Says He Couldn't Keep Up a Fake Marriage in Real Life





By Brittany Stubbs

As good of an actor as he might be, faking it doesn't continue off-screen for Matthew Rhys. While his character keeps up with fake identity just fine in FX's show *The Americans*, Rhys denies being able to do it himself, according to <u>People</u>. "I get anxiety just playing a fictitious part on a drama series," the actor, who plays a KGB spy posing as an American, told reporters. "When I think of those men who actually live a duplicitous life and have multiple marriages or partners, I don't know how they do it." Good news for the woman in his life! What do you do if you feel like you're not being yourself in your relationship?

#### Cupid's Advice:

Nothing is worse than not feeling comfortable in your own skin, especially when it comes to the most intimate part of your life. Cupid has some advice:

1. Reevaluate your partner: If you feel you're not being true to yourself, it's important to consider your partner's influence on this behavior. Are they to blame? If you feel they're making you self-conscious and you can show who you really are, then you might not have met the person fit for you.

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2. Appreciate yourself: Sometimes the only way to allow yourself to be "you" is to remind yourself how great you are. That may sound cheesy, but you're one of a kind, so you might as well take advantage of what you have to offer.

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3. Unveil the mask: The only way to stop acting is revealing who you truly are. Once you start showing the real you, you'll feel more comfortable in both your own skin and your relationship itself.

What do you do if you feel like you're not being yourself in your relationship? Share your thoughts below.

## Nelly Furtado and Demacio Castellon Have 'Healthy Tension'





By Louisa Gonzales

Nelly Furtado has worked with her husband, Demacio "Demo" Castellon for years now, and quite well. The couple has collaborated and produced two successful albums, Loose 2006 and the follow-up Mi Plan, Spanish-language album, 2009. Castellon reportedly admitted they make a good team, but according to <u>People</u>, Furtado explains, just because they work well together doesn't mean its smooth sailings all the time. The singer went on to say they have a "healthy tension" when working together and how he helps "challenge" her as an artist. The lovebirds don't work together all the time and have separate projects according to Furtado, but they will come together this year to work in the studio.

What are some ways working with your partner can strengthen your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

**Working with your partner** can have it's benefits and downfalls. No matter how great your relationship is, no couple agrees on everything, especially in terms of money or work, but if you are working with your lover don't stress too much, as there are up sides. Cupid has some advice on ways working with your partner can strengthen your relationship.

1. Spend more time together: One of the best things you'll gain working together, is getting the chance to spend more time together. For a lot of couples trying to find time to spend with your sweetheart can be difficult because work gets in the way. If you work together you won't have that problem, as you'll have time to see each other often. Couple who spend more time together develop closer long-lasting bonds.

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2. Learn new things about each other: Working together will help you both to get to know each other better. It can be exciting to discover new things about your partner you never knew before and help you understand them more, which will bring you both closer together. You will get the chance to see new sides to each other and see them in action doing something they're passionate about.

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**3. Challenge each other:** Finding motivation to go to work is difficult sometimes, but with your significant other being

there with you, it can make things easier. Plus, they will be there to push and encouraging you. Sometimes all we need is a little nudge for someone we care about to be able to reach our full potentials. They will help you to challenge yourself, because you'll want to impress them and vice-versa, thus it will make you stronger as individuals and as a couple.

What do you think are some positive benefits to working with your partner? Share your thoughts below.

### 5 Fun Facts About Jimmy Fallon's Wife, Nancy Juvonen





By Louisa Gonzales

Lately, things have been especially good for Jimmy Fallon: He became a first-time dad to daughter Winnie Rose in July 2013, and last Monday, he premiered as the new host of *The Tonight Show*. The funny man had some big shoes to fill, taking over for past host Jay Leno, and felt pressure to keep the show's legacy alive, but he got through it with help and support of a special someone in his life: his wife, Nancy Juvonen. The couple first started dating in May 2007 and have been going strong ever since. In honor of their happy relationship, we rounded up five fun facts about Fallon's lovely lady:

1. The couple were introduced by Juvonen's good friend, Drew Barrymore: Juvonen works with Barrymore as partners in her production company, Flower Films. The two started the business back in 1995, producing small projects before working on larger films such as *Fever Pitch*. Barrymore and Fallon played on-screen love interests, but it was off-screen where the real romance began between the producer and comedian.

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2. Juvonen is older than Fallon: Age is nothing but a number for the two lovebirds. Juvonen is seven years older than her man, but the couple has shown no signs of letting their age difference get in the way of their relationship. After all, you never know who you are going to connect with.

3. Her engagement ring is one-of-kind: Fallon proposed in August 2007 at Juvonen's family home on Lake Winnipesaukee, New Hampshire. If that wasn't enough to convince her, his choice of engagement ring didn't hurt his chances either. When he did pop the question, he did so with an original piece: a beautiful emerald-cut diamond and platinum ring, designed and created by Neil Lane. Needless to say, she said "yes"— and the rest is history. 4. They had a fast-evolving romance: Juvonen and Fallon were together for about three and half months before they got engaged. Only four months later, they walked down the aisle and said their "I do's" in front of close family and friends. It's the first marriage for both of them, and hopefully, it'll be their last. The lovers have been together for nearly seven years, which is unusual for Hollywood standards.

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5. Juvonen and Fallon struggled to have a baby: The couple struggled to have a baby for over five years before their daughter was born this past summer via a surrogate. Once they knew they were going to have a child, they thought it would be best to keep it a secret until the baby was born, saying it would be more "fun" and "private" if they kept the news just between the two of them.

Cupid wants to know: Why do you think it is important for a woman to stand beside her man?

### Leighton Meester and Adam Brody Secretly Marry





By Brittany Stubbs

Not even three months since the news of Leighton Meester and Adam Brody's engagement, the couple are officially married! The lovebirds tied the knot in a super-secret wedding, confirms multiple sources to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>. While the news of the nuptial came as a surprise to most, the twosome has always kept their private lives pretty quiet, neither commenting on their romance publicly. Although they've both had past relationships, neither of the stars have been previously married.

What are some perks to having a secret wedding?

#### Cupid's Advice:

While it's often fun to celebrate life's biggest moments with all your friends and family, sometimes all you need is that one person. Cupid has advantages to having a secret wedding:

 Less work: When planning a secret wedding, you don't have to worry about a ton of save the dates, invites, and RSVPs.
 While this might seem like a huge deal, these formalities require more time, money, and stress than they seem.

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2. Keeps the ceremony focused: While planning a wedding, couples often get caught up worrying about ridiculous details and lose site of the real point of the ceremony: celebrating their love and commitment to one another. By having a secret wedding and not constantly discussing the plans and details with the rest of the world, you're less likely to lose site of what is importance.

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3. More romantic: There's something so exciting and special about a secret romance. While technology today allows us to share every thought, moment, and meal we have, it is so romantic to have one aspect of your life kept between you and your love.

Would you consider having a secret wedding? Share why or why not below.

### Kaley Cuoco and Ryan Sweeting Take Mini-Honeymoon at Disneyland





By April Littleton

According to <u>People</u>, Kaley Cuoco and husband Ryan Sweeting took a mini-honeymoon to Disneyland. Sweeting wore a first pin and a *Fantasia* hat. Cuoco sported pink Minnie Mouse ears. The Big Bang Theory actress documented most of the day via Instagram. "Mini honeymoon at the happiest place on earth! @ryansweething #myhusbandisadisneyvirgin," she wrote, along with a picture of the couple at the park.

#### Where are some quick honeymoon destinations?

#### Cupid's Advice:

Honeymoons are a great way to spend the first moments of your new marriage with your honey. What type of honeymoon you decide to go on depends on your personality, what your partner enjoys doing and what the two of you agree on as a couple. Cupid has some tips:

**1.The islands:** Most couples love the idea of going on a romantic, island honeymoon getaway. You and your honey can rush off to Hawaii or another island of your choice. You can

soak up some sun, learn how to surf or go shark diving. The memories you create with your partner during a honeymoon like this will be unforgettable.

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2. Bed and breakfast: Nothing will get as intimate as having your honeymoon at a bed and breakfast. Think about the tranquility of the environment and the complete isolation from the city. You and your significant other can enjoy some muchneeded time alone.

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**3. For the adrenaline junkie:** If you or your companion prefer a bit more of an exciting vacation together, think about spending a week or so out camping or in the mountains. You can catch fish, go skiing, sledding, etc. You'll probably be on the go at all times and you might be able to experience a new activity or skill.

Where did you go on your honeymoon? Share your experience below.

# Nick Carter Ditches Sister's Wedding for His Bachelor Party





By Louisa Gonzales

There is a new addition to the musically inclined Carter family. Nick and Aaron Carter's sister, Angel Carter recently got hitched to lover Corey Conrad at Newhall Mansion in Piru, California, on Saturday, February 8th, according to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>. The wedding celebration, which took place in the late afternoon, included many family and friends of the couple, except there was one important member of the Carter family missing, brother Nick. The Backstreet Boy singer Nick, 34, was supposed to walk his sister down the aisle, but didn't in favor of attending a joint bachelor and bachelorette party, held in Las Vegas at the Palms Hotel and Ghost Bar with his own bride-to-be, Lauren Kitt. However, even though one of her brothers couldn't make the wedding ceremony, her twin brother Aaron was in attendance and the two even shared a touching moment on the dance floor together as seen by a picture one of the quests posted.

What are some things to consider around the timing of your wedding?

### Cupid's Advice:

A wedding is a special occasion and it is lovely to be able to share your special day with family and friends. Of course, you want everyone important in your life to attend the witnessing of your wedding vows, but sometimes life gets in the way. It's sad when your loved ones are unable to make it to the wedding celebration, and there could be many reasons why, maybe they're sick, or can't afford to travel to the wedding destination or maybe it conflicted with prior engagements, you know as they say timing is everything. Cupid has some advice on things to consider around the timing of your nuptials.

1. Plan your wedding months in advance: Doing this will give people a considerably amount of time and a heads up to make arrangements to come to your wedding. Let guests know exactly where and when the wedding is taking place so they can make plans accordingly and make all necessary arrangements. It's harder for people to plan to do things in such short notice no matter what it is, just think wouldn't it be hard to plan your wedding on a short time frame? Think about your guests, everyone has their own lives and schedules.

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2. Ask friends and family when's a good time to get married: See when is the best day for all your closest family and friends to attend. Ask them things like when they will be off work, or have time to take off. It is wise to consider the people you both hold dear when making wedding decisions and who knows they might even be able to share some good advice. Another thing to consider before saying your "I do's", is if you plan to travel or to invite guests who have to travel to your wedding think about things such as the weather, time and month. You wouldn't want people to not be able to attend because of the weather or work conflicts when it could have been resolved by picking a better wedding date.

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3.Check up on who is and isn't coming: Don't assume all the people you sent invitations to are going to attend your wedding nuptials. Include on the invitation a R.S.V.P line as this will let them know they need to reply if they're going to attend so you can plan accordingly. Ask them to send back their reply on whether they can make it by the "Reply by" date. If certain guests don't reply by your set deadline, check up on it by contacting them to confirm because maybe the invitation could have gotten lost in the mail or they forgot. Remember though, sometimes no matter how much you hope and try to pick a date that can work for everyone you plan to invite it's just not possible, so don't be too bummed out if certain people can't make it and focus on the ones that can.

What do you think couples should consider around the timing of their wedding? Share your tips below.

# Rosie O'Donnell Says Health Scare Brought Her Closer to Wife





By Louisa Gonzales

Rosie O' Donnell and her wife, Michelle Rounds both may have recently experienced health scares back in 2012, but fast forward to now and they are both better than ever, and so is their relationship. <u>UsMagazine.com</u> reports that the scary turn of events surrounding Rounds' health scare brought O'Donnell and her partner closer together. O'Donnell and her lover were to have a big wedding on August 17 out in Long Island, where O'Donnell grew up, but it had to be postponed because it was around the time Rounds got sick. Rounds was diagnosed with Desmoid tumors, which is a rare cancer disease. However, it didn't stop the two from tying the knot as they said their "I do's" at a private and intimate ceremony in their own apartment home.

How do you cope with a health scare in your relationship?

### Cupid's Advice:

When someone you love and care about gets sick, your first instinct is to take care of them, sometimes it's easier to do

so than other times. When something as serious as an illness or possible sickness comes across in your relationship it can either strengthen it or weaken it. How can you make sure you and your partner get through something as dramatic as that? Cupid has advice on ways to cope with a health scare in your relationship:

1. Be there for them: The best way to help someone through a difficult time is to simply be there for them. Offer your support and help in any way you can. Everyone copes with stressful and difficult things and times differently, but if your partner is the one experiencing a rough patch it's good to let them they're not alone. Letting your lover know you are in it for the good and bad times and willing to face them together can only make your relationship stronger and bring you closer.

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2. Focus on the positive: Think about all the positive things in your lives and forget about the negative for a bit. If you keep thinking about the bad things it can only make things worse for both you and your relationship with your romantic mate. Being stressed out all the time over something you can't control is not healthy and is not the key to happiness. Nothing is certain in this life, but we can only do the best we can to make everyday as fun and enjoyable as possible. Remember all the good times you shared together and think about all the great future moments you have yet to experience.

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3. Participate in things that make you both happy: Take both your minds off the difficult and dramatic events, such as a health scare, by doing something together that makes you both happy. Celebrate the fact you both survived the "scare", that you're alive and made it through together. Whether you go on a romantic trip, or get hitched, or spend a lovely evening at your home, make it memorable. No one knows when their last moments are, so cherish the times you have now.

What do you think are the best ways to handle health scares in your relationship? Share your tips below.

# Celebrity Wedding Planner Kevin Lee Says, "I Think Famous Brides Are More Humble Than Everyday Brides"





By Maria Darbenzio

Kevin Lee, owner and founder of LA Premier, has been taking the floral and event planning business to the next level for years. As his company has grown over the past two decades, he has become one of the most sought-after event planners in the Beverly Hills area. His portfolio includes many of the hottest A-list celebrities (including <u>Jennifer Aniston</u>, Christina Aguilera, and Drew Barrymore), and his work has been featured at some of the most prestigious award shows.

# Exclusive Celebrity Interview with Kevin Lee

The saying "you need to love what you do in order to be happy" rings very true for Lee. "To me, working with the flowers and planning weddings is my life – I get to create so much," he says in our exclusive celebrity interview. "My clients get the freshest flowers, and I love making beautiful masterpieces for them. Every design is a one-of-a-kind organic touch, and I love the fact that it's such a creative career." His passion for his job radiates from him, and his bliss is contagious.

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When it comes to planning elegant <u>celebrity weddings</u>, the event planner has put together his fair share of big days for his star clientele. You may have seen him featured on reality TV shows like *Brides of Beverly Hills* and *The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills*. In order to work alongside these stars, he had to set himself apart from others in the industry. "If you want to prove yourself, you need to stand out, which I was fortunately able to do," Lee explains. "I get to be unique and creative and use my artistic vision. A lot of jobs don't let you do that these days." It's no surprise that what you see on television is what you get in real life. "I'm confident and creative, and that carries over on or off the camera. I'm not afraid to do anything unnatural," Lee candidly shares in our celebrity interview. "Whether I'm on *The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills* or getting together with friends, I'm still the same person."

### Celebrity Wedding Planner Shares Love Advice

When it comes to wedding planning, the florist believes the same love advice applies to celebrities and non-celebrities alike. "It doesn't make a difference," he explains. "Everyone is looking for something special and unique because it's her special day and a once-in-a-lifetime experience."

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Of course, there is still one notable distinction — and it's a surprising one. "I actually think famous brides are more humble than the everyday bride. Celebrities already stand out every day, while the ordinary bride isn't necessarily used to so much attention. It's their one day to feel like a celebrity."

For Lee, it's hard to chose a favorite wedding that he has planned. However, his fondest memory was opening in Toronto for the Bridal Show of Canada. A crowd of 45,000 people came out to make it the most memorable experience of his career.

Planning a wedding on your own can be full of long days and sleepless nights, but hiring an event planner can lead to a large price tag. Not everyone can afford a private coordinator to help them along the way, but there are options available for those who can't. "Ask a hotel wedding coordinator to help you out. They'll make a big difference," Lee advises couples with a tight budget.

As we all know, flowers are a huge part of every wedding, and there are two types that Lee believes a bride should avoid: pom-poms and mums. "I'm into elegant flowers, and they don't stand out to me as elegant." On the other end, Lee says hydrangeas are his go-to flower and that white is always in.

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With Valentine's Day quickly approaching, flowers are on everyone's mind right now. So does this famed florist think a bouquet of roses is too cliche for the romantic holiday? "Any time you think of Valentine's Day, you think of roses – they're very symbolic," he shares. "It's a day of someone remembering you. I love how some things never change; tradition never goes out of style. Roses are just like diamonds – diamonds are forever, and they never lose their popularity."

Recently, Lee and his company teamed up with BloomNation, a unique marketplace for floral arrangements. "There are many services out there, but some of them don't alter themselves to keep up with the era," he says of the partnership. "BloomNation lets us use our creativity and artistic touches to make each arrangement different. It reminds us why we love doing what we do, and it lets us show each of our unique and personal touches as florists."

To learn more about Lee, visit his LAPremier.com. Be sure to check out his arrangements available on www.bloomnation.com/ too!

# Exclusive Celebrity Interview: 'The Bachelorette' Star Desiree Hartsock Says Confidence is Key to Finding Mr. Right





Interview by Whitney Johnson. Written by Elizabeth Kim.

Fans were overjoyed when Desiree Hartsock, who finished as fourth runner-up on Sean Lowe's season of *The Bachelor*, was named the next *Bachelorette*. The bubbly brunette captured our hearts even more as we watched her search for true love. It was a gift from Chris Siegfried – a journal filled with a heartfelt message to her and poetry he had written – that ultimately convinced her that she had found Mr. Right. Following his moving proposal in Antigua, the couple moved in together in Seattle, Washington, and are enjoying life since their celebrity engagement.

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### Reality TV Star Discusses Life Since The Bachelorette

In our exclusive celebrity interview, the reality TV star happily admits that there haven't been any rude awakenings and attributes their success so far to good communication. "From our time getting to know each other on the show as well as seeing each other while the show was airing, we had a great idea of what it would be like living together," she explains. "We work well together because we already disclosed all of our little quirks."

They're also lucky enough to live close to *Bachelor* alums Jason and Molly Mesnick. "They have been so great to us, and it's nice to share a common bond," she says of the celebrity couple. "We'll get together with them whenever possible for dinner or even just to hang at their house with Riley, their adorable baby girl."

Although Hartsock may be best known for her role on *The Bachelorette*, she's also an accomplished designer. While working toward a degree in fashion design, she fell in love with the bridal industry and eventually worked as a stylist in various bridal salons. She also worked for a plus-size women's contemporary brand that gave her the experience and appreciation of designing clothes that flattered all shapes. She even designed and created the dress she wore to fellow *Bachelor* stars Lowe and Catherine Giudici's wedding.

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After devoting so much of her life to the bridal industry, some may think that Hartsock feels pressured to have the ultimate celebrity wedding. But true to her easygoing nature, she isn't stressing over every detail. With an engagement party coming up in a few weeks, the famous couple are in the beginning stages of planning their nupitals. "We are working on setting a date," she shares in our exclusive celebrity interview. And lucky for fans, she adds, "We're open to having it televised and still planning for the fall." As if the prospect of a televised wedding wasn't daunting enough, she also plans to design both her wedding and reception dresses.

The former *Bachelorette* is working with award-winning designer Maggie Sottero to help her visions come to life. "I have worked with many designers in the past and found that Maggie Sottero is the most sought-after designer because of the company's commitment to ensuring a bride's happiness as well as providing the best fit possible." She coyly adds that, while she doesn't want to give too many details away, one thing is for sure: "Both dresses will reflect my personality in different ways. I love to dance and be comfortable, so my reception gown will cater to that, while the ceremony gown will be more romantic."

### Desiree Hartsock Gives Love Advice

Given her reality TV past, she knows what Juan Pablo Galavis, who competed for Hartsock's heart, and the current season's *Bachelor* hopefuls are experiencing. Of the remaining ladies, she says, "There is definitely chemistry with Nikki, Andi, and Renee as well as with Clare. I don't like to choose favorites, but I do like Renee's demeanor and personality." No matter who Galavis picks, Hartsock advises the women to focus on their potential future with Galavis rather than worry about the other girls. Related Link: Why Confidence is So Important in Dating

It certainly takes a level of self-assurance to be vulnerable in front of millions of viewers, but Hartsock believes that confidence is key to finding love on *or* off the screen. "My love advice is to know your self-worth and what you deserve, to be confident in who you are, to let him pursue you, to be independent and not desperate, and to be yourself."

With such a dismal track record, past stars of *The Bachelor* and *The Bachelorette* may also want to heed the designer's advice for dealing with broken hearts. "The way that I have always gotten over break-ups is knowing that things happen for a reason, and no matter the circumstance, there is always something more or better to come," she says. "Although it can be really tough to do, it's important to hold on to the hope that there is someone out there who will be everything you deserve and more and to not dwell in the hurt or past, but keep pushing forward with each new day."

To learn more about Desiree visit her website, www.desireehartsock.com/. The Bachelor airs on Monday nights on ABC at 8 p.m. ET!

Celebrity Interview: Lance Bass Gives Relationship Advice and Says, "It's All About Communication in a

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Interview by Shannah Henderson.

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### Lance Bass on His Upcoming Celebrity Wedding

"We haven't started planning it yet," he says of his upcoming celebrity wedding to fiancé Michael Turchin. "We keep saying that so we need to start. We are guys. We need to hire a wedding planner...that is our next step."

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# 'The Bachelor' Celebrity Wedding: Sean Lowe & Catherine Giudici





By April Littleton

According to <u>People</u>, The Bachelor reality TV stars Sean Lowe and Catherine exchanged celebrity wedding vows on live TV on Sunday. Lowe's father officiated the ceremony. The couple got engaged in Thailand in November of 2012.

'The Bachelor' celebrity couple Sean and Catherine Lowe were able to add some personal flare to their celebrity wedding. What are some unique ways to incorporate your personal style into your big day?

### Cupid's Advice:

Your wedding day is fast approaching, but you still haven't found that special "thing" that will make your wedding a oneof-a-kind experience. Don't worry, Cupid has your back:

1. The decorations: Don't pick the same old boring decor every other couple has picked before you. Think outside of the box. Try different color schemes, different flower arrangements. Better yet, create some of your own decorations for the ceremony and reception so that they are truly unique. If you have a creative eye, you can come up with something nobody has ever seen before.

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2. Plan it yourself: This option might be a little tough to do. When it comes to your special day, plan the whole event yourself. This will allow you to have more freedom of thought and ideas as you go. It can be extremely stressful so we do not recommend this for just anyone. Obviously, you can ask for help whenever you need it, but for the most part, doing it by yourself can feel like a huge accomplishment. **Related:** <u>'The Bachelor' Wedding of Sean Lowe and Catherine</u> <u>Giudici</u>

3. The little things: The music. The food. The guest list. Think long and hard about ways you can make the small details creative and fun. Ask your partner to help out. Maybe he/she joked about having chicken nuggets at the reception? You don't have to order fancy filet mignon just because that's considered to be a "normal" entree. Do your own thing. If you want a personal friend to DJ at your wedding, let them. After all, this is YOUR wedding day.

What are some other unique ways to incorporate personal style into a wedding? Comment below.

# Queen Latifah Officiates Mass Weddings at Grammy's





By April Littleton

According to <u>People</u>, Queen Latifah officiated 33 marriages during the Grammy performance of "Same Love" by Macklemore and Ryan Lewis. The couples joined together were a mix of gay and straight sexual orientation. Afterward, Madonna serenaded the newlyweds with her 1986 hit "Open Your Heart."

#### What are some advantages of mass weddings?

### Cupid's Advice:

Congratulations on your big day! However, this day isn't just about you — it's about the group of other couples who decide to get married at the same time as you. Mass weddings shouldn't be something you're afraid to experience. If you're still on the fence about participating in one, Cupid has some tips:

1. Celebration: If you choose to participate in a mass wedding, you get to celebrate your special day with multiply people who are feeling the exact same thing you're feeling. A wedding is a joyous occasion, and the love and happiness of it all should be shared with others.

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2. Unique experience: Going through with a mass wedding is an unique experience not everyone can say they've been apart of. You will get to exchange 'I Dos' with the love of your life around a group of like-minded couples who are doing the same.

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**3. The memories:** At the end of the ceremony, you will have memories to last you a lifetime. What you get to look back on goes beyond just thoughts of your wedding, but the fact that you got to witness other weddings as well. The emotions you felt that day, the happiness you felt for the lovebirds around you and the pure love you felt for your significant other will stay with you for the rest of you life.

What are some other advantages of mass weddings? Comment below.

# Pete Wentz Hints at Marrying Model Girlfriend Meagan Camper





By Brittany Stubbs

Just because love went wrong the first time doesn't mean there isn't hope for the future. This comes to mind as <u>UsMagazine.com</u> reports that Pete Wentz, ex-husband of Ashlee Simpson and father of her 5-year-old son, is possibly taking the next step with his current model girlfriend, Maegan Camper. Wentz and Simpson were married for three years before finalizing their divorce in November of 2011, and have both found new relationships since. When asked whether he plans to get married again, Wentz replied, "I think so. I mean, we talk about it a lot. I feel really lucky. It's, like, really interesting [to be] in a relationship with someone who is truly my best friend. Like, I talk to her about everything. She will tell me when I'm being not so insane, and sometimes she's like, 'You're being a little bit insane.' It's very helpful."

How do you know the right time to pop the question?

Cupid's Advice:

Just because you found the right person, doesn't mean it's the perfect time for a marriage proposal. Consider these situations when determining if it's the right time for your relationship to take that next step:

1. Financially secure: Granted, money isn't everything, but when planning to begin a life with someone (and planning the celebration of it), it's important to be at a place where you feel both comfortable and financially stable. Money problems can not only have influence on the future wedding details, but it's also an extremely stressful time, which is not the state of mind one should be in when getting excited about an engagement.

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2. Your relationship is stable: Many couples will try and get engaged to fix their problems when they're going through a rough patch, but their conflicts will still be there at the end of the day. If you've been going strong for a significant amount of time without any serious fights or having to "take a break," this is a sign your relationship might be ready to take the next step. You and your partner should feel strong and secure as a couple before popping the question.

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**3. You lack hesitation:** If thinking about getting engaged fills you with excitement and confidence versus questions and anxieties, this alone might be a sign it's the right time to pop the question. It sounds silly to describe it as "feeling," but sometimes that's what love comes down to. If you've looked at both sides of the situation-taking that next step in your relationship or staying where you are-and you feel confident the timing will work, that just might tell you enough.

How do you know the right time to pop the question? Share your thoughts below.

# Find Out Details About 'The Bachelor' Winner Catherine Giudici's Celebrity Wedding Gown!





By Louisa Gonzales

The final countdown to the celebrity wedding of celebrity couple Sean Lowe and Catherine Giudici from *The Bachelor* is on! The event will be shown live on ABC in a series first from 8-10 p.m. ET on Sunday, January 26th. The happy celebrity couple first got engaged in Thailand in the 17th season of *The*  Bachelor. The gorgeous duo are only days away from tying the knot and in the meantime have been making their way around New York, sharing their engagement experiences and wedding details with the media and their fans.

The big day is coming up quick for this happy celebrity couple and 'The Bachelor' fans are dying to know more about this celebrity wedding.

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The famous couple was on *Good Morning America* on Wednesday morning, and the major topic of discussion was, of course, Giudici's celebrity wedding gown. Every bride-to-be knows the dress is one of the most important elements on a girl's big day. Lowe's fiancée gushed about her gown and shared that she can't wait for everyone to see it. She described it as "perfect" and "sexy," saying she has always felt like the "cute girl" but is finally ready to show the world her more womanly side.

The reality television starlet didn't reveal too much about her dress, as she wants it to be a surprise, but says it goes with the "grown sexy" theme of the wedding. Some fans of *The Bachelor* are tuning in to see the lovers say their vows, but for many of the viewers, it's all about finally getting a glimpse at the wedding gown! Lowe even revealed that, come the big day, he'll only be focused on his bride in her dress.

The happy celebrity couple also told anchor Lara Spencer that they're "anxious" and "ready" to say their I do's in front of family, friends, and, of course, fans. By just watching the lovebirds in this exclusive interview, one can see how their eyes light up when they talk about each other and how happy they make one another. Interestingly enough, we learned that the one most likely to cry first during the ceremony will be *The Bachelor* stud, confirmed by Lowe himself.

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The excitement won't stop after the ceremony; the reception is sure to be a blast as well. Given the fact that Lowe is a former *Dancing with the Stars* contestant, lots of boogieing will definitely occur. The Hollywood couple will share there first dance to "One Woman" by the Randy Rogers Band, a song picked by the future groom.

The couple stated that, while they want their wedding to be traditional in the sense they're getting married in a Christian ceremony officiated by Lowe's father, the wedding reception is going to be more modern and festive. The soulmates want their special day to be full of laughter, smiles, and love for themselves and all who witness it – us included!

Be sure to watch The Bachelor wedding special on Sunday, January 26th at 8 p.m. ET on ABC.

# Celebrity Couples Who Keep Their Relationships Out of the Spotlight





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Most of the famous and wealthy individuals we see on our TV screens and in the magazines enjoy having their love life on display for the whole world to see. However, there are a select few who prefer to keep their relationship out of harm's way. Cupid has a list of celebrities who manage to keep their private life – private:

1. Dolly Parton and Carl Thomas Dean: The country singer has been married to Dean since May, 30, 1996. They met at a Wishy-Washy laundromat on her first day in Nashville with his first words to her being, "Y'all gonna get sunburnt out there, little lady." Since marrying, Dean has only seen Parton perform once and he rarely makes any public appearances with his wife. Parton and Dean have no children together, but she commented on his romantic side in an interview stating that Dean does spontaneous things to surprise her and sometimes writes her poems.

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2. Beyonce and Jay-Z: This couple kept their relationship under wraps for quite a while. It was rumored that the couple began dating after collaborating together on the hit single "03 Bonnie and Clyde". The lovebirds took it a step further by secretly marrying on April 4, 2008. When it comes to the status of their relationship, the couple have since eased up on their privacy, especially when Beyonce publicly announced her pregnancy during a live performance on the 2011 MTV Video Music Awards.

**3. Morris Chestnut and Pam Byse:** Who knew that *The Best Man Holiday* co-star was married? Well he is – and has been for 18 years now. Chestnut and his wife Pam have two children together, Grant and Paige. In an interview with *Upscale* magazine, the actor explained what makes their marriage successful. "I let my wife be the woman. You know? I let her be the woman... And she, in turn, when it comes down to it, she lets me be the man," Chestnut said.

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4. Rachel Weisz and Daniel Craig: These two lovebirds got married with only four people attendance, while the rest of the world didn't even know they were dating! Weisz and Craig tied the knot in a private New York ceremony June 2011. The Oz the Great and Powerful actress has since told Marie Claire magazine that the marriage gives her 'a wonderful feeling of stability.'

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**5. Megan Fox and Brian Austin Green:** It's no secret that these two stars have been in an on-again, off-again relationship since 2004, but the fact that they managed to hide the birth

of their firstborn for three weeks should speak volumes. Fox gave birth to baby Noah Sept 27, 2012, but didn't publicly announce the news until much later. Recently, the couple told the media that they are expecting their second child together sometime this year.

Are there any other celebrity couples who should be on this list? Comment below.