

# Taylor Swift Denies 'Kidnapping' Conor Kennedy



By Nicole Weintraub

Taylor Swift recently opened up during a *Rolling Stone* interview in which she assured everyone that she did not kidnap her boyfriend, Conor Kennedy, according to [People](#). Via the internet, there have been rumors circulating that the singer whisked away her boyfriend who is still in high school amidst a private jet. "You can't kidnap a grown man," exclaimed Swift, explaining that stories as such are exactly the reason as to why she does not investigate tabloid and rumor stories. Another story was fabricated claiming that Swift crashed a private Kennedy wedding, stealing her beau but this time from a family function.

**What are some ways to keep rumors from affecting your relationship?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

Regardless of how old you are, in a time where lives are publicized, rumors are bound to surface time and time again. Here are some ways on how to keep those rumors from affecting your love life:

**1. Fact or fiction:** Know the difference between fact and fiction for the benefit of your own relationship. If you hear a rumor regarding your lover, don't look too much into it. Chances are, you would have known about it first if it were true.

**2. Let it bounce off of you:** Remember the infamous old saying rubber and glue? Just let it bounce right off of you and don't let it get to you. If a particular rumor is keeping you up at night, talk about it with your partner. It's better to set the record straight than to keep thinking what if.

**3. Laugh it off:** Rumors are rumors – they are childish and honestly a part of everyday life. If someone asks you if such and such is true, laugh it off as if you don't have a care in the world. Others will see your reaction and have similar ones.

**How have you kept rumors from affecting your relationship? Share with us in the comments below!**

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## **Taylor Swift Calls John Mayer “Presumptuous” for Thinking Song is About Him**



By Nic Baird

Taylor Swift's 2010 hit "Dear John" hints at a broken heart from her 2009 relationship with 34-year-old singer John Mayer, according to [UsMagazine.com](http://UsMagazine.com). Mayer told *Rolling Stone* that the song made him feel terrible and that it was undeserved. "How presumptuous!" Swift responded in November's *Glamour* magazine. "I never disclose who my songs are about." However the age gap between the former couple makes some of the song's lyrics suspiciously fitting: "It was wrong/ Don't you think 19's too young/ To be played/ By your dark, twisted games/ When I loved you so." Swift said she never read Mayer's comments on the song because she's too fragile for media gossip, but admits that her music follows her personal life. "I feel like you can share enough about your life in your music to let people know what you're going through," Swift said. For the past two months, the pop-country singer has been dating Connor Kennedy, 18, of the famous Democratic family.

**How can music help you get over a breakup?**

## **Cupid's Advice:**

Your feelings often affect your choice of music, but after a breakup sometimes you need the music to influence your feelings. Using breakup songs in combination with more cheerful subjects can be just the musical cocktail to cure your aching heart. Music is a powerful tool, so always make sure it's steering your emotional rollercoaster in the right direction:

**1. Understand your feelings:** Talented lyricists can put into words feelings we cannot. A breakup can hit you a million different ways, but since love is the main subject of nearly all music every scenario has already been considered. There's no reason you should be taking advice from the hit single of the day, but if breakup songs are what your mind needs to find closure, then indulge it for awhile.

**2. Cheer yourself up:** While you may empathize more with a sad ballad of heartbreak and betrayal, it is known that music directly affects your mood. If you want to feel uplifted, listen to uplifting music. If you want to feel fun, listen to fun music. If you want to obsess over the similarities between Taylor Swift's disappointing boyfriends and your own, maybe you can still find some dismal solidarity, but nobody's dancing to "Dear John".

**3. Get new experiences:** Besides song composition being a great outlet for creative energy, exposing yourself new music post-breakup demonstrates you're moving forward and opening yourself to fresh possibilities. If you music is your passion, then now is the chance to get some friends together and go see some shows.

**What music has meant the most to you after a breakup? Share your experience below!**

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# Taylor Swift and Conor Kennedy Put on a PDA Parade in New England



A new [Taylor Swift](#) fling can only mean one thing; a new song! But let's not get ahead of ourselves. Swift and her new beau Conor Kennedy have only been dating for a month. The couple has been none-too-shy to show the world how they feel about each other while vacationing in Hyannis Port, Mass. [UsMagazine.com](#) reports that on Monday, Kennedy was spotted with an arm around his famous girlfriend while kissing the side of her head. The couple has also been photographed out and about in their bathing suits enjoying their vacation time together. From her upscale outfits to family approval, it seems like Swift already fits in with the Kennedy's. When Kennedy's grandmother

Ethel was asked if she could see Swift becoming a Kennedy one day she replied, "We should be so lucky!"

**What are some ways to show your partner you care in public?**

**Cupid's Advice:**

If you're only showing affection toward your partner in private, they may think you're purposely hiding them from the world. To avoid this, show how you care in public using these tips:

**1. Harmless cuddling:** If you are out in public with your partner and you stop and sit on a park bench, resting your heads on one another and comfortably sitting next to each other can be a respectable public display of affection. Do not go too over the top, and, well, get on top of each other. Find a balance that shows your partner you are thinking about them and long to be near them without overdoing it.

**2. Stealing kisses:** Note that I said stealing kisses, not making out. Making out in public is too much inappropriate PDA for anyone to handle, but stealing innocent kisses on the forehead, cheek and even a peck on the lips shows your partner you want them but will have to wait 'til your indoors for more action.

**3. Holding hands:** Holding hands in public is a classic symbol of love and care. Holding hands lets the world know you are taken, and lets your partner know you want to be close to them at all times.

**How would you show your partner you care in public? Tell us below.**