Celebrity Couple Kylie Jenner & Travis Scott Take Romance to Miami





By Whitne

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Kylie Jenner is wasting no time! Just weeks after her celebrity break-up from longtime boyfriend Tyga, the reality TV star was spotted getting cozy with rapper Travis Scott at Coachella. And now, according to UsMagazine.com, the celebrity couple's romance is heating up with a trip to Miami. The duo were spotted walking arm-in-arm in the beachfront city where Scott was performing at the Rolling Loud Festival. "Travis is telling friends that he and Kylie are the real deal," an insider revealed. Looks like this celebrity couple may last!

Sources are saying that this celebrity couple is "the real deal." What are some ways to know you've found something special?

Cupid's Advice:

All signs point to "yes" if you're wondering if this celebrity couple is going to last! But how do you know if you've found the real thing in your own love life? Consider this dating advice below:

1. It feels natural: Some relationships are filled with tension and constant fighting, but if it's meant to be, your love should come easy. If the phrase "When you know, you know" rings true, then hang on to what you've got — it's something special!

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2. You make each other better: You never want to settle in a relationship. Instead, it's important to challenge each other and inspire one another to always be better. You want someone who makes you the best version of yourself — and you want to do the same for your partner.

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3. You share the same values: Your partnership will never last if you want different things for your future. You should be on the same page — or at least open to your significant other's viewpoint — about issues like marriage, kids, and religion if you want to have longterm potential.

Cupids want to know: What are some other ways to know if you've found the real deal?

Celebrity Break-Ups: Taylor Swift's Ex Calvin Harris is Collaborating with Her Nemesis Katy Perry





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Looks like there may be more bad blood in this <u>celebrity</u> <u>break-up</u>! As reported by <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, <u>Taylor Swift's</u> ex <u>Calvin Harris</u> collaborated with her nemesis <u>Katy Perry</u> for his

upcoming album, and the "Bad Blood" singer's fans are already calling out the Scottish DJ for being petty and trying to get back at Swift. The drama between the two female superstars first began when Swift called out an unnamed mean girl during a Rolling Stone interview in 2014. Perry later confirmed their issues when she told a fan that she was still waiting for Swift to apologize. Asked if she would ever agree to a duet with Swift, Perry responded, "If she says sorry, sure!" With Harris's recent announcement, it looks like there's no chance of reconciliation for this celebrity relationship — or friendship.

Sometimes, celebrity break-ups don't exactly lead to smooth interactions down the line. What are some ways to deal with an ex who is purposely trying to hurt you post-break-up?

Cupid's Advice:

This celebrity break-up just took a turn for the worse! If you, like Swift, are dealing with an ex who may be purposely trying to hurt you post-break-up, consider the <u>love advice</u> below as you figure out how best to handle their behavior:

1. Remove yourself from the situation: Avoid your ex at all costs. Spend some time alone, or invite your friends over instead of going out. Delete your ex on social media — or if it's easier, just stay off Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram for a few days. Remember that your former partner can't hurt you if you're not in their line of fire.

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2. Focus on you: After any break-up, it's important to take care of yourself. Start a new exercise routine. Learn how to cook. Reconnect with old friends. Clean your house. Read a good book. Do whatever makes you feel better and try to forget about your ex!

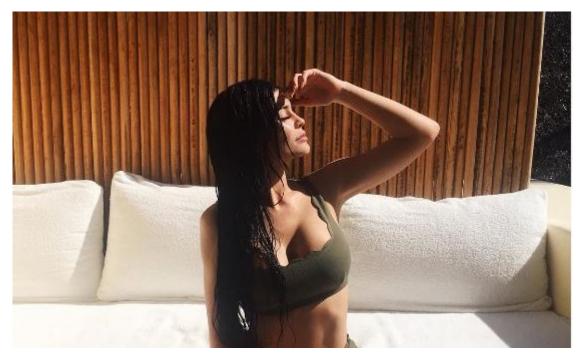
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<u>Taylor Swift on Twitter</u>

3. Be the bigger person: It's time to rise above their petty behavior, no matter how difficult it may be. Whatever you do, don't bash your ex or give into their taunts. If friends ask how you're handling your split, tell them you're moving on. And if your former partner reaches out, ignore them until they can play nice.

Do you have any other ways to deal with an ex who's purposely trying to hurt you post-split? Tell us in the comments below!

Dating Advice: 4 Reasons Younger Women In The City Struggle To Forge Meaningful Relationships





By <u>Joshua</u>

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As someone who lives in New York City, I can say with full enthusiasm that it is one of the greatest cities in the world. The food! The culture! The diversity! And of course, the incredible women are right up there with any other city. Unfortunately, one aspect of city life often let's women down though, and it affects their ability to forge meaningful relationships. And while it's easy to claim that men in the city just don't want to settle down, I've personally found that this is far from the case for most men I've worked with or encountered. Sometimes it's just a matter of avoiding certain mistakes and making the right adjustments to find love. In this article I will be discussing four big reasons many women often struggle to find relationships in big cities, and dating advice to help you avoid these issues.

Dating advice that will benefit young women living in a city.

1. Not prioritizing: There is always a lot going on in a city. If you don't get your priorities straight about what's

truly the most important thing to you, you will never find love. When I was single there were so many times I would attempt to arrange a date with a city girl, only to find out that she wasn't free for another two weeks. Yoga class, the gym, and happy hours with friends took priority over their first date nights with me. This is a big mistake. There will always be another happy hour. There will always be another yoga class. Friends will always be around. But a great guy with the potential to form a meaningful connection? That doesn't come around every day. Dating needs to be the priority if you are really serious about it.

2. Your career will not be emotionally there for you when you get old: A big part of the city mentality is often, "I'll get into a relationship at age X, get married at age X, then have children at age X. In the meantime, I'll just focus on my career." This fictitious notion that you can time when you find love, get married, and have kids is completely misguided. Not to mention forcing these aspects of life can cause relationship problems. Having drive is a positive thing. But before you sacrifice your entire youth by prioritizing your career over your relationships, ask yourself, will your career be there for you one day as much as a loving partner?

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3. The paradox of choice: The city life creates this illusion that there are millions of potential partners out there for you. Just sit on one city block and you'll probably see hundreds of men walk by in one hour. Sometimes this creates a serial dating mentality. With so many men around, good isn't good enough. Why settle for good when you could find perfect? Unfortunately, that perfect guy may have already been on a date with you, but you passed up on him because he didn't blow your mind during the first date. Sometimes it takes time to build chemistry and realize how strong a potential suitor is. So my dating advice as a relationship expert is to

be careful when dismissing men who don't seem to be "perfect" matches just because you believe there might be someone better around the corner.

4. Not breaking out of your social circle: Even though there is always so much going on in big cities, sometimes we tend to fall into repetitive patterns of seeing the same people every day and going to the same places. Take advantage of the diversity and opportunities that cities provide by joining new clubs, going to new social groups, and meeting new people. The more people you meet from different walks of life, the more likely you'll meet someone that you connect with.

For more online dating advice from Joshua Pompey, visit his website, or you can find free advice for women by visiting this page.

Dating Advice: How to Answer 'Why Are You Still Single?'





On this

week's episode of Single in Stilettos, founder and matchmaker Suzanne Oshima talks to relationship expert Duana Welch to offer their <u>dating advice</u> on how to handle the difficult question: "Why are you single?" Learn how you can answer this inquiry in a smart way with the following dating tips!

Dating Advice On Handling Questions About Your Single Status

1. Explain your position. If the question offends you, you can tell the asker you don't like being asked this and why. Or another option you can try is being honest about why you're single in a way that's lighthearted. "My man-picker is broken," "I'm in a relationship with chocolate," or "I'm in a relationship with myself" are all nice ways you can answer this question without adding awkward tension.

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2. Consider before you speak. Yes, this question is loaded and invasive, but it's also important that you know the asker's intent before answering. Are they being snarky? Or are they showing sincere concern? If they're not asking from a

place of love, then you can respond to their inquiry as respectfully as possible and redirect the conversation back on them. No need for drama.

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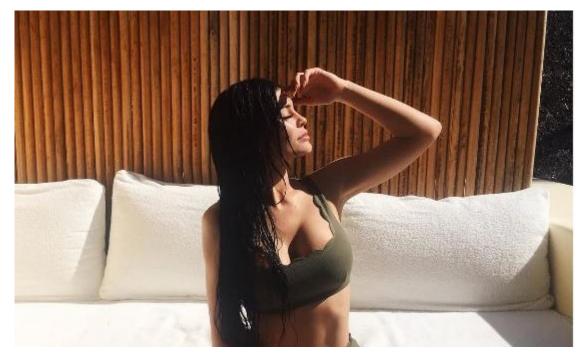
3. Use your own dating service. If the person who asked you this question actually cares about your single status, you can turn this around by using their network. Tell them you're not sure why you're single and ask if they want to help you. This could potentially get you a date with someone special. People love being matchmakers, so enlist their help if you trust them.

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Date Idea: Ignite Sparks While Camping





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You've undoubtedly heard of camping in the woods with a tent, campfire and roasted hot dogs. It's time to take the weekend off to enjoy a camp called "Love". Feeling like you and your partner never have time away from everyday distractions? Don't stress — Cupid's got you covered.

This weekend, take a load off and get a babysitter for the kids. Cupid has some date ideas to make both staying in and enjoying nature seem like the best ideas you've ever had.

Slumber party! Light some candles, dim the lights, and pop in your favorite movie from back in the day. Snuggle up on the couch with your beau and piles of blankets. Relive *The Breakfast Club* from start to finish and chuckle at the memories it leaves you with.

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If you live in the NYC area, book a campground outside the city for some time away from the over-bearing lights and intrusive car horns. Black Bear Campground is a great option! Take a romantic stroll on a nature trail or lounge in front of the campfire as the warm glow illuminates your faces. Look up at the sky. The stars that you almost forgot existed are finally sparkling above you.

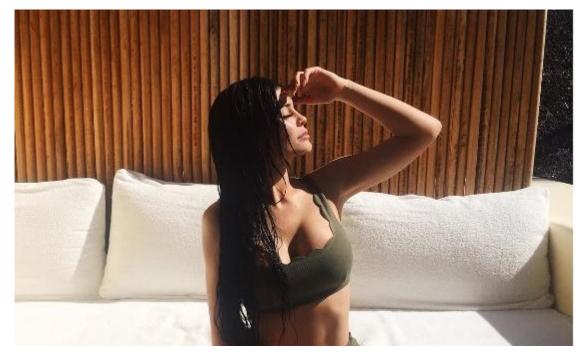
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Not a fan of the woods? Book a room in a nice hotel for the weekend. Get a couples' massage and take a steamy dip in the hot tub together! Check out *Time Out New York*'s weekend getaway travel suggestions and stay in the Hampton's for a change of pace.

Have some Couples Camp ideas of your own? Comment below and share with other readers.

Date Idea: Take a Journey





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Even though summer vacation has come and gone, there's no reason to fall into a rut for the weekends to come. One great way to get to know that new special someone, or even escape with an old love, is to hit the open road.

Leave the fast-paced life of weekday work and head out on a driving trip this weekend.

There are plenty of scenic routes to be taken anywhere in the US, even if you only want a short drive! Rent a convertible and drive with the top down through a beautiful area right around home. You can even book a room at a Bed & Breakfast if you want to take the longer road less traveled by.

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If you're more into looking for an adventure, hit the highway and try to visit as many "World's Largest" destinations in the surrounding states as possible. Nothing says romance like a cute picture in front of the world's largest Corn Palace! The

fact is driving trips, near or far, are great bonding experiences that often lead to some great stories down the line.

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In the San Francisco area? Check out the movies in Redwood Road through the East Bay Hills for some breathtaking views.

Have a secret weekend hideaway? Comment below and share with your fellow readers.

Date Idea: Fall into Love This Autumn





By Delaney Gilbride

Fall is creeping upon us! While that means shorter days and lower temperatures, it also means that nature's most vibrant show is about to begin. Fall showcases the change of leaves from rich, summer green to all the reds, yellows, and oranges of autumn.

It's the perfect time to take a walk with that special someone, or even pack up and take a weekend away with nature. So get out there and enjoy the show with this date idea!

For a simple <u>date idea</u>, pack a picnic lunch and head to an arboretum or your closest national park. Often times these parks have events surrounding the coming of fall. Even without these festivities, parks are a great place to relax with a loved one.

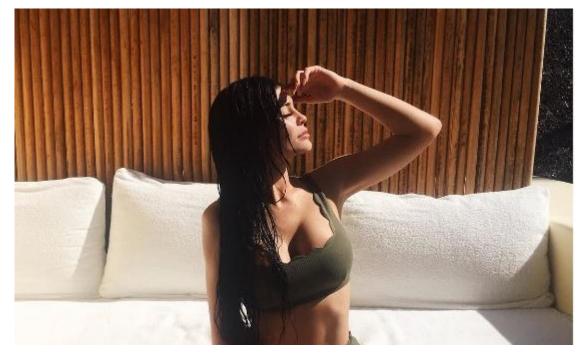
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For those more fully invested in the outdoor experience, there are foliage tours all over the country, particularly in New England! If you're looking for a romantic weekend vacation, there's no better place than under the blanket of beautiful fall colors. There are also bird watching tours that you can take in addition to, or alongside, the foliage tours!

If you're a lover of fall and didn't see your favorite fall activity above, comment below and tell our readers about it!

Celebrity News: Kristen Stewart Moves In with Girlfriend Stella Maxwell





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Looks like things are getting serious! According to the latest celebrity news on UsMagazine.com, actress Kristen Stewart and Victoria's Secret model Stella Maxwell are moving in together after five months of dating. They're sharing the Twilight star's four-bedroom house in L.A.'s Los Feliz neighborhood. Of course, given their hectic schedules, the celebrity couple may not often be home at the same time. "They're both so busy with work," says a source who knows Maxwell, "but try to be together when they can." Currently, Stewart is filming the

2018 thriller *Underwater* in New Orleans, where Maxwell recently paid a visit.

This celebrity news has us happy for the next step in this relationship! What are some ways to know you're ready for the next step in your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

If you're taking a cue from this celebrity news and considering moving in with your partner, it's important to make sure you're both ready to take such a big step in your relationship. Consider this dating advice below:

1. You don't feel any pressure: If you're taking such a big step in your relationship, it's important that you're doing it for yourself and no one else. Focus on what you and your significant other want, and if you're both ready to move forward, then go for it!

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2. You don't think of "the next step" as more than it is: Moving in together is a big deal; it's important that you don't see it as more than it is though. Be honest with yourself: If you're looking at it as a replacement for an engagement or marriage, your expectations won't be met.

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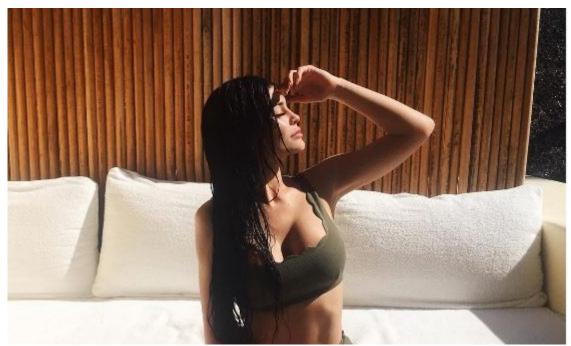
3. You've vacationed together: It's one thing to spend an

evening or two every week together. It's completely different to share a home and be with each other 24/7. A vacation is a great way to test the waters. Sharing a hotel room for a long weekend will teach you a lot about each other and give you an idea of what living together will be like.

What's another way to know you're ready to take the next step in your relationship? Tell us in the comments below!

Date Idea: Include the Pooch in Your Plans





By Noelle Downey

With August approaching, and the weather still heating up,

we're all finding ourselves in the magical dog days of summer. Why not spend your dog days (and date nights!) with man's — and woman's — best friend? Cute puppies are the ultimate chick magnet for guys, and the perfect cuddle-buddy for girls. Find a friend with a pup, or head out with your own four-legged friend for a good time this summer.

Enjoy some fun in the sun with your favorite furry friend this summer and you'll have a great jumping off point for making conversation with other dog lovers and potential summer flings! Here are some great places to go for some pet-friendly fun this season!

1. Dog park: Embrace the outdoors and get some exercise by taking the pooch out to a dog park. Go on a walk with friends and see if you can pick up the hottie with the Labrador you passed on the trail.

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2. Baseball diamond: For a more formal park experience, lots of major league baseball parks have "Dog Days," where owners can sit in special sections with their pooches. It's a fun way to meet other dog lovers, and a great place to watch the game, too.

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3. Wine tasting: Other places to find canine events are local

park districts, public libraries, and even wineries. Mutt Lynch Winery in Healdsburg, California has a whole "Dog Days of Summer" event.

None of these ideas making your doggy friend's tail wag? To plan your own "Dog Day" event at work or at home, check out OneCoast for tips and tricks that even an old dog could learn.

Have a favorite doggie activity of your own? Comment below, and share with our other readers. Stay cool, and enjoy your weekend!

Celebrity News: Hailee Steinfeld Addresses Justin Bieber Dating Rumors





By <u>Noelle</u>

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Superstar singer and actress Hailee Steinfeld has officially gone out of her way to debunk some recent <u>celebrity news</u> that has been circulating through the rumor mill; she and Justin <u>Bieber</u> are *not* dating. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, the rumors were stirred up when photos of Steinfeld and Bieber FaceTiming were noted by fans of the pair. They were recently seen hanging out together, but Steinfeld is firm that this doesn't mean anything about their respective relationship statuses. "I don't know why people make such a big deal," Steinfeld insisted, "We're friends. We've been friends for years." So what's really going on in her love life? Steinfeld and boyfriend Cameron Smoller are still the celebrity couple of the moment, and it seems that rumors of her Hollywood relationship with Bieber haven't phased the pair. In fact, Smoller recently shared a social media post of him and Steinfeld cozying up together, and Steinfeld commented back with a sweet heart emoji.

It looks like this celebrity news

comes from a rumor! What are some ways to keep rumors from affecting your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

When it comes to rumor and gossip, these silly stories can have a really negative effect on your relationship with your significant other. Here are Cupid's top tips for not letting the drama bring you or your relationship down:

1. Talk it out with your partner: Recently heard a crazy rumor about you or your SO that's beginning to bother you? Sit down with your partner and talk it out. Figure out how much truth is behind it, if any, and go from there. If hearing the rumor made you upset or hurt in any way, own up to that, and explain to your partner it's important to you to address these negative feelings before they take over your relationship and breed resentment, when most likely the story is barely even based in truth!

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2. Confront the problem: Just like Hailee Steinfeld, it's okay for you to step up and explain that the recent rumors about you or your relationship are totally off-base. If you catch someone in the act of spreading a rumor about you, be kind but firm and explain that that information is incorrect and that it bothers you that false rumors are being spread about you. You can explain what's really going on, but remember that you don't owe anyone a detailed explanation of your personal life. It's enough to simply say, "No, what you've heard isn't true, and I'd appreciate if you'd stop spreading that misinformation."

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3. Ignore it: On the flip side, if the rumor truly is just silly nonsense that isn't hurting anyone, it's fine to just ignore the buzz and go on with your happy life and relationship with your significant other. If you and your partner are really secure in your relationship and don't bat an eye when you hear rumors about each other or yourselves, then why let the gossips see you sweat? If you're asked about it, laugh it off and tell whatever nosy individual is trying to pry that of course that rumor isn't true. If you're capable and willing to rise above the petty mind games of gossips, then do so!

Have you ever heard a crazy rumor about yourself or your relationship? How did you respond? Let us know in the comments!

Dating & Technology Q&A: How Do You Handle Dating Someone With An Internet Persona?





Question

from Shan G.: My boyfriend is very popular online. He has a Youtube channel, many subscribers and followers, and a very active social media presence. Our relationship is still new, but I'm not sure how to handle this all. It almost feels like I'm dating a celebrity, and that I'm not on his level. I'm not sure what I should do.

Dating in the era of social media can put a strain on relationships, especially when one party happens to be a popular figure online. But don't let internet fame damage what you have! Leave it up to our relationship experts who can offer their best dating advice on using technology the right way. Learn valuable dating tips from Cupid's very own, matchmaker Suzanne Oshima and relationship expert Robert Manni. Here they'll answer your questions on how to handle a partner's online persona.

Technology Dating Advice That Will Help You Deal With Your Partner's Online Popularity

Suzanne K. Oshima, Matchmaker: What should you do? Absolutely

nothing! Don't treat him any differently or put him on a pedestal. He's just your boyfriend, who happens to be an internet celebrity. Trust me, he doesn't want a girlfriend who is also an internet celebrity, he wants you. Have confidence in yourself and just keep being the best version of yourself... the one that attracted him to you in the first place.

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Robert Manni, Guy's Guy: As published а author, syndicated blogger, and podcaster with a growing audience on social media, I assure you that developing a social media platform is hard work and initially, not necessarily profitable. Building a personal "brand" requires passion, talent, and lots of time. So unless your guy has an inflated ego I doubt he feels superior. In fact, he may even harbor his own insecurities about his career and bank account relative to your own if you work in a traditional job. If you believe in him, support his dream, enjoy the ride, but never doubt your self worth. I assure you that if he has a good head on his shoulders, he needs you and values your support.

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Dating Advice: 5 Things He Must Have





On this week's episode of Single in Stilettos, founder and matchmaker Suzanne Oshima talks to relationship expert Tinzley Bradford to offer their <u>dating advice</u> on what it is that a man needs to have before you attempt a relationship with them. Learn how you can win the right man over and stay happy with the following dating tips!

Dating Advice That Will Help You Find A Quality Man Without Settling

1. Must have vision. A man must be able to see a future with you for the relationship to get serious. Someone who can't imagine themselves with you long-term isn't the right person

for you. Commitment is a goal you should both share and work toward. If there's no common vision, then what's the point?

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2. Must have a job. Any potential mate should have had a stable job at some point in their life. If you end up with a man who is inconsistently employed, then this can be a telltale sign of what the relationship could be like. You don't want to worry about your partner all the time, so find someone who can take care of their self.

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3. Must have transportation. Depending on whether you live in a place that has reliable public transportation or not, you need to consider how important it is to you that a man have a car. It might be a red flag if he depends on you to take him places and run errands all the time. If a man doesn't have a car or license, it's at least important that he's responsible enough to arrange transportation when needed.

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4. Must have positivity. A quality man should have confidence, morals and be respectful towards you. If he has issues with people around him like family or friends, that could be a red flag that there is something wrong with his attitude. Don't settle for someone who exudes negativity or has other bad traits.

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5. Must have something going for him. You should find a man who has a hobby that keeps him busy. Someone that is clingy and has no interests is a person that will get bored and try to bring you down when you're not paying attention to them. Your mate needs to support your passion and vice versa for a

successful relationship.

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Date Idea: Cheer on a National Sports Team





By Noelle

<u>Downey</u>

Need help trying to figure out what to do for <u>date night</u> every weekend? Don't worry — Cupid's got you covered. Sports are always a great way to bond with your partner, and Cupid has

some ideas on what you can do to keep yourself occupied. Single? Go with a friend, and maybe you'll snag a cute sports buff to go on future dates with!

Are you ready to get sporty on your summer date nights this year? These date ideas will have you cheering!

Baseball season is just heating up, and everyone loves a good American pastime. Check out MLB.com or StubHub for tickets, or spend happy hour at your local sports bar — or any bar for that matter. A game is always on somewhere.

Think baseball is boring? Maybe the NBA Finals are more your style. With the season coming to a close, and the Boston Celtics tying the match in last night's Game 4, everyone will be paying attention to see who comes out on top. While you may not be a fan of either the Celtics or the LA Lakers, everyone loves a finals match. The next game isn't until Sunday, so in the meantime, challenge your date to a one-on-one match at the local basketball court.

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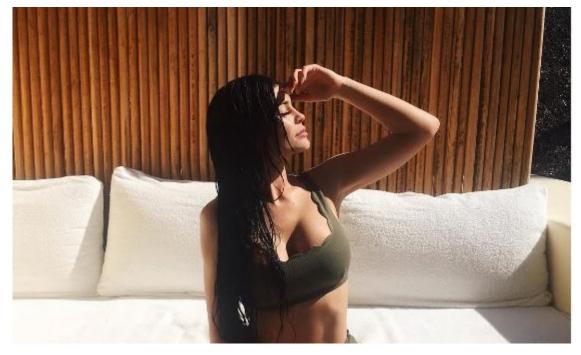
Basketball and baseball still not your favorites when it comes to watching sports? Why not get ready to cheer for the World Cup Tournament in soccer on June 17th? Make it an event with snacks and a party-like atmosphere when they make their first goal for some added fun! Don't know anything about soccer? Check out *Time Out New York's* World Cup Guide.

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Have sports date ideas of your own? Got a recommendation for a great sport to watch as a couple? Comment below and share with other readers! Enjoy your weekend!

Date Idea: Revisit Your Childhood





By Noelle

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Searching for <u>date night ideas</u>? Cupid's got you covered! Revisit your childhood with your significant other this weekend. As a child, you most likely enjoyed going to the arcade with a group of friends. The only difference now is that you'll spend time with your partner there. For a fun <u>date idea</u>, plan a date to an arcade and see how many games you can beat your sweetheart in.

Whether young or just young at heart, this awesome date night idea will have you feeling full of puppy love and good old fashioned fun!

Planning on spending your next date by inviting your mate over your house? Then why not play hide & seek? Get creative by hiding in areas you never would have thought of as a kid. Who knows? It might end up being romantic when your partner finds you.

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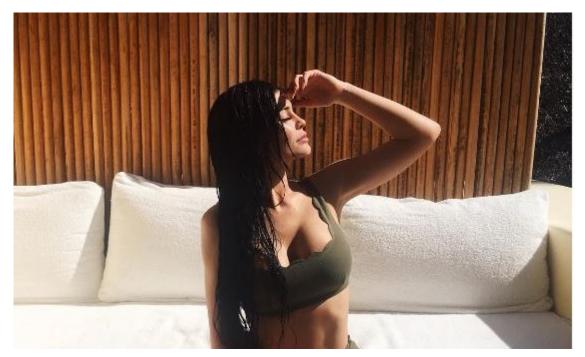
Remember capture the flag? Go on a double date with a few friends to the park this weekend to play a game. You'll have an exciting time and will remember how it feels to be a child all over again.

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Do you have any great childhood game ideas? What are some of the benefits you've found to sharing some childlike fun with your significant other? Let us know in the comments!

Dating Advice: Who Should Pay For a First Date?





On this week's episode of Single in Stilettos, founder and matchmaker Suzanne Oshima talks to relationship expert Robert Manni to offer their <u>dating advice</u> on who should be paying for first date activities. Learn how you can handle this delicate situation with the following dating tips!

Dating Advice That Will Help You Determine Who Pays On First Dates

1. Whoever asked first. It can go either way nowadays, but the person who made the first move and asked for the date should be the one to pay. And since men are usually the ones to ask for a date, the responsibility of paying tends to fall on them. It's also a nice touch if a guy picks up the check on the first date for first impression purposes.

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2. Give and take. If you feel uncomfortable letting a man pay on a first date, then make attempts to contribute in some way. Picking up the tab on a glass of wine or treating a guy to movie tickets are nice ways to get equal footing in a new

relationship. This sets precedent on how payment will be handled on future dates without the awkward "who pays" discussion.

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3. Be thankful. Nobody wants to feel taken advantage of, so say thank you after someone takes you out on a date. Men in particular get frustrated when women expect to be taken out and aren't appreciative. So mind your manners and show you're grateful when taken out. The same applies when a man doesn't show appreciation after you pay for a date. If he can't say thank you, you don't have to be with him.

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Dating Advice: The Biggest Turn On's for a Man





On this week's episode of Single in Stilettos, founder and matchmaker Suzanne Oshima talks to relationship expert PJ Dixon to offer their <u>dating advice</u> on what turns a man on. Learn how to attract the man of your dreams and keep him interested with the following dating tips!

Dating Advice That Will Help You Figure Out When To Settle Down With A Man You Like!

1. Flirting. This tip seems a little basic, but don't be afraid to flirt. It makes a man feel good and shows him it's okay to approach you in that way. Just think of how flattered you are when someone flirts with you. Return the favor and flirt with a man you're truly interested in. If you don't make the move, someone else will.

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2. Sexuality. A man is attracted to someone who is confident in their sexuality. The woman who can exude her sensuality is

sure to turn a man on. This factor is important for a man not because they're shallow, but because a man wants to know that intimacy is on the table if he chooses to pursue a relationship with you.

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3. Softness. Men are conditioned to be strong, so they appreciate when a woman is gentle and loving towards them. This helps a man open up to you and makes him want to be with you. Softness shows that he can trust you. So let your feminine energy flow and be open to holding your man the same way you like to be held.

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Celebrity Exes: Harry Styles Talks Past Romance with Taylor Swift





By Whitne

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According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Harry Styles recently opened up to Rolling Stone about his romance with Taylor Swift — and he had nothing but nice things to say about his celebrity ex. Addressing the photos of them together in Central Park on their second date, he shares, "When I see photos from that day, I think: Relationships are hard, at any age. And adding in that you don't really understand exactly how it works when you're 18, trying to navigate all that stuff didn't make it easier. He elaborates further by saying, "I mean, you're a little bit awkward to begin with. You're on a date with someone you really like. It should be that simple, right? It was a learning experience for sure. But at the heart of it - I just wanted it to be a normal date." He even appreciates that Swift penned numerous songs about their former celebrity relationship and says, "I like tipping a hat to the time together."

Harry Styles thinks his romance with celebrity ex Taylor Swift was

a learning experience. What are some ways past relationships can help you with future relationships?

Cupid's Advice:

Taking a cue from these celebrity exes, every failed relationship can teach us something when it comes to future love. So what can you learn from your former partners? Consider this dating advice below:

1. You realize what you want: When you're single, it's hard to know what you want and need from a partner. However, a relationship — even one that ultimately doesn't last — will show you just what you're looking for when it comes to love. Look at what worked and what didn't and apply those insights to your next relationship.

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2. You understand the importance of compromise: Being in a relationship means sharing your life with someone, and sharing your life with someone requires a lot of compromise — a hard lesson to learn when you're single and your world revolves around you.

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3. You learn to trust: Trusting your heart with someone is no easy task. This relationship may have failed, but it was still an exercise in giving your heart away — and surviving the heartache. Next time around, you'll know more quickly if someone is right for you and if they deserve your trust and love.

What are some other ways a past love can help a future relationship? Tell us in the comments below!

Relationship Advice: From Cheater to Keeper — How to Make Amends





By Lori

Zaslow and Jennifer Zucher for <u>Project Soulmate</u> with contributing writer Hana Gilbert

Cheater — someone who is in a committed relationship and breaks the trust of his or her partner by physically or emotionally involving themselves with another person. We've all been there, either in the form of the cheater, or as the

cheated. The cheater is generally remorseful, claiming they "made a mistake" and "are willing to go the extra mile to mend what's broken." The cheated generally experiences emotional chaos as they decide between swallowing the heartbreak and moving forward, or letting the heartbreak crumble the relationship. Studies have shown that over 50 percent of men and women alike admit to being unfaithful at least once. With this statistic being so high, cheating has commonality, or an expectation, for most relationships. Some couples have the maturity to overcome infidelity scandals through in-house methods. However, most of us are guilty of spilling our heartbreak to any and all individuals with ears and time. Here's where the majority of the problem lie; everyone has their own opinion regarding how to handle a cheater. Most <u>relationship advice</u> includes conducting a dramatic breakup, followed by an overt exit, and finalized by the removal all social media posts hinting at the existence of any form of a relationship. Realizing that at time colleagues, friends, family members, and even complete strangers are quick to give their relationship advice and dating tips before taking into account your thoughts and feelings. Professional <u>matchmakers</u> and <u>relationship experts</u> Lori Zaslow and Jennifer Zucher, founders of Bravo TV's Love Brokers and Project Soulmate, are here to provide an outside perspective on the situation, giving you three scenarios that will hopefully allow you to decipher between a cheater and a keeper.

Relationship Advice On Handling Cheating Scandals

Friend advice #1 - "Don't fall for a dog who has eyes for every bitch. If he really loved you, he wouldn't be tempted to stray." The art of checking out another person. Men think they've mastered it; women don't think they're actually doing it. Either way, your partner always seems to catch you mid

check. At this point, no physical cheating has occurred, however, everyone can admit even a glance at another person stirs the insecurity pot. Feeling insecure, an immediate text is sent to the first group chat in your phone. Your friends, siding with you obviously, return advice strikingly similar to the quote above. Yes, there is some truth to their advice, however, they may be premature in their responses. You must keep in mind that your partner is human, and it is a natural human instinct to look at things we find beautiful or attractive. The act of simply looking at another person does not mean your partner is not happy with you, wants you to look like them, or wants to be with them. Your partner will most likely look at them, recognize some form of harmless attraction, and then move on with their day, completely forgetting the interaction. In this particular situation, your partner is guilty of human behavior, not infidelity, labeling him or her as a keeper.

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Friend Advice #2 - "Once a cheater, always a cheater." So you're in a new relationship. You ask your friends what they know, what they've heard, or how they feel about your new partner. They inevitably reply with the cliche, "A cheating scandal ended the last relationship. Once a cheater, always a cheater." This is the most common cop-out for anyone trying to not get hurt in a relationship, and provides an excuse to not trust their partner. Unfortunately, this is too easy, and cheating is never that easy. Ultimately the most important thing to understand is why your partner cheated previously, or why people assume they cheated. Trust after affairs previous relationships or in your current relationship lies in your own hands. It is your choice whether you want to trust your partner again. If your partner has yet to cheat on you personally, but you've heard he or she has cheated in the past, you must make the decision to trust them or not. You

must also keep in mind that there are two sides to every story. Although they may have cheated in the past, they may not have been as stable as they are now, or they may have felt insecure with the person they were with. The fact of the matter is that you do not know. In this situation especially, you must ask yourself the right questions, find out the full story, and decide if you have a keeper.

Relationship Advice: Relationship Advice on What Not to Do: Bad Dating Advice from Romantic Comedies

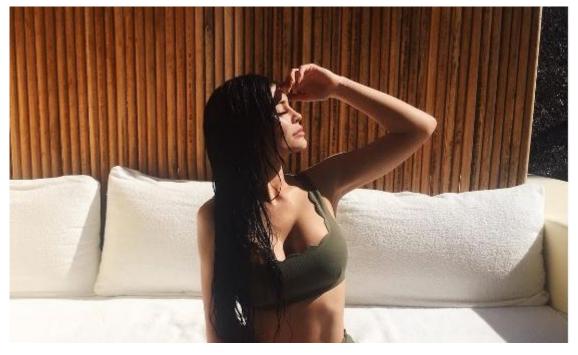
Friend Advice #3 - "Stop holding on to what hurts, and start making room for what feels good."

You've been cheated on. It doesn't matter what form, how it went down, or who caught who. Someone in the relationship is now labeled as a cheater. Every affair has two sides to every story, and overcoming an affair takes time to dissect both sides. Both sides will give an insight to what state the relationship was in, as well as the story behind the unfaithful partner. Unfortunately, cheating has a purpose. It doesn't happen "just because" or "by mistake." All behavior is purposeful. What's important, however, is finding the purpose behind the act. If you chose you want to overcome the affair, you must become your own relationship detective- collecting data and evidence to solve the infidelity crime. You must ask both yourself and your partner the right questions in order to fully understand and comprehend the situation. This won't be easy. This will hurt. This will take time. But, time heals. And with that time you have the ability to both work on your relationship and yourself. Finding the ability to forgive and trust your partner again is the most important part of overcoming an affair, and will help you turn a cheater into a keeper.

Relationship experts Lori Zaslow and Jennifer Zucher are BRAVO TV's Love Broker and founders of Project Soulmate, a high-end New York-based matchmaking company.

Relationship Advice: 3 Ways Bad Credit Can Ruin Your Love Life





By <u>Dr.</u>

Amy Osmond Cook

Congratulations on your new relationship! It's an exciting time to join two lives together to build a bright future. You brought the pets and furniture while your partner brought along a big screen television—and bad credit history. Is this union doomed from the start? Not always. But the road to repair can be rocky. A bad credit history can be fixed, but it takes time, patience, honesty, and a lot of self-discipline to change the habits that got you in this financial situation in the first place. If you want to avoid relationship problems

and change your spending habits, here are three ways bad credit can impact your love life. With the following relationship advice and dating tips, you can prevent heart ache and an empty wallet.

Relationship advice that history is wrecking your love life with the following relationship advice.

1. Deception invades your relationship. It's one thing to hide the department store shopping bags from your loved one or screen calls from creditors, but when your spending habits cause you to lie about how you are handling your financial responsibilities, it's time to make some changes—fast! "The best healthy financial habit you can make is to develop and maintain a good credit history," Anthony Bell, a financial expert and blogger from rescu.com.au says. "The best way to do this is to spend less than you earn and budget your expenses so that you know what you can afford, what you need to repay, and by when." It's solid and simple advice.

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2. Bad credit makes it hard to move forward with goals. It's hard to move forward with your goals when you face financial barriers. Think about the natural progression of a relationship; Those plans often include buying a home, a car, or other big-ticket conveniences. But when you bring a bad credit history into the relationship, those goals will either not be possible, or you will face high-interest rates in the purchase. Keep in mind, moving forward with goals isn't impossible, but it will take discipline and determination to achieve them.

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3. Bad credit destroys your self-confidence. Nobody enjoys rejection. Hearing "no" can ruin the mood of the most optimistic of people. Just imagine being denied day after day. In that case, even the most basic consumer decisions become an issue when you are denied a cell phone, a gas card, a new bank account, or even an apartment. Such negativity can take its toll on your self-worth and your relationship. "Partners should treat this as another relationship goal to solve together rather than letting it drive them apart," Elle Kaplan, relationship expert and financial advisor says. "Both partners' debts and credit scores are now tied together for the long run." In other words, this requires a new attitude concerning money.

The good news is that you can repair your poor credit. Start by requesting a credit report, looking for possible errors, learning your credit score, and discussing financial strategies with an expert, such as Lexington Law or CreditRepair.com. As you move from this moment on—make sure you are moving toward a life of happiness and financial health.

For more information about and articles by our relationship expert Dr. Amy Osmond Cook, click here.

Dating Advice: How Long Should You Date Around, After

You Meet a Man You Like?





On this week's episode of Single in Stilettos, founder and matchmaker Suzanne Oshima talks to relationship expert Duana Welch to offer their <u>dating advice</u> on when is the right time to stop dating around after finding a man you like. Learn how to win over the man of your dreams and keep him interested with the following dating tips!

Dating Advice That Will Help You Figure Out When To Settle Down With A Man You Like!

1. Note how you get involved. Are you mutually committed to each other? This doesn't just mean making a verbal commitment. Take note of how close you both feel to each other and how much time you actually spend together. Eventually, it will

click that the relationship should become exclusive. Just be careful when it comes to rushing commitment, it confuses men, so wait for him to show interest.

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2. Lay the truth out there. If you want to continue dating other people after finding someone you like, be honest with all your dates. Let them know that you're dating around and looking for a partner you can commit to. Laying out the truth gives you more leverage and keeps you from looking desperate. Hopefully the man you like returns your feelings and makes a move to advance the relationship. Men are hunters at heart, they want to earn your affection and beat out competition.

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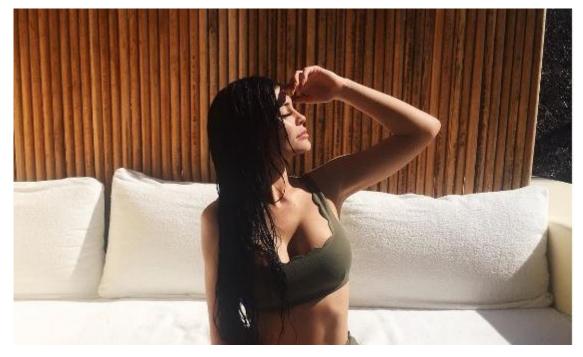
3. Don't shackle him. Going off of the last dating tip, don't try to force a man to be with you. Ultimatums don't work, and neither does manipulation. Both will backfire on you in the end. A man needs to freely offer himself to you to truly be yours. So be yourself and keep dating around until you find a man that wants to be with you for the person that you are. A man who won't put in effort isn't the right man for you.

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Dating Advice: 5 Online Dating Photos That Will Instantly Up Your Profile Game





By Joshua

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Let's face it. Men are all about appearances. It's bred into our DNA. Sure we want to settle down with women who are are well-rounded, fun, caring, intelligent, and all that other good stuff. But before we actually get to the good stuff that leads to a long-term bond, we still focus on the visuals. This is why it is so critical to perfect the photo galleries of our online dating profiles in ways that will ignite high levels of interest. The good news is that you don't have to be a supermodel, or even a model to spark high levels of attraction. But if you are one, call me ok? Where were we

again? Oh yes... Creating a photo gallery that will ignite interest! The following five <u>dating tips</u> will put you on the path to a perfect photo gallery and hopefully increase your potential <u>date nights</u>.

Dating Advice That Will Help You Improve Your Online Dating Chances With Pictures Alone!

- 1. Travel photos: Travel photos don't just show that you are well-traveled. They provide an insight into the fact that you have a sense of adventure and love new experiences. These are two winning qualities that you should be showcasing whenever possible.
- 2. The adventure picture: Speaking of adventure, if you have any pictures of yourself doing something slightly more adventurous than traveling, this will go a long way. Whether its a level 10 adventure like sky-diving, or skiing on a beginner slope, showing that you are willing to try new things will keep men thinking you are interesting, and more importantly, fun!

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- 3. The check me out picture: The check me out picture is you looking your absolute best! Dig through those Facebook archives for nights out with friends, weddings events, or simply a girls night out where everyone was literally checking you out. If you don't have one? No problem. There's always a Saturday night around the corner. Recruit your most loyal friend for one night, get dressed, and start snapping away.
- 4. The 'I can hang with your friends' picture: Think along the lines of pictures where you were at a sporting event, drinking

a beer, or scratching your belly as you belch. Wait... Scratch that last one! But pictures that show you enjoy activities men typically also enjoy always go a long way. We don't actually want to date someone who acts more like our male friends, but it's nice to know you are wiling to do the things we like once in a while, or even better, are actually into them.

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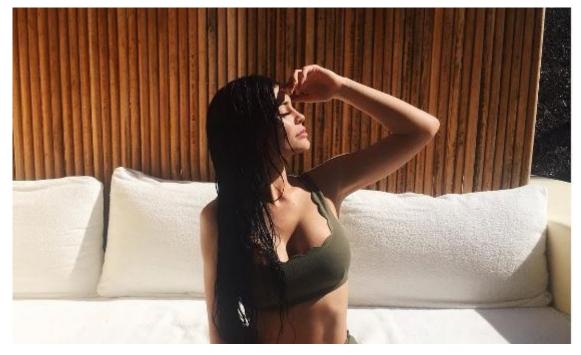
5. The friends and family oriented picture: At the end of the day, showcasing that you are a kind and caring friend or family member is something all men are attracted to. This shows that you will make a great long-term partner and are able to form strong bonds with people. Have at least one picture showcasing the most important relationships in your life.

Follow this <u>dating advice</u> and you'll have men reaching out to you in no time! However, the most important dating tip I want you to keep in mind is to be yourself in online photos, or you risk the chance of future <u>relationship problems</u>. No one likes false advertisement, so be honest and upfront about how you look before you go on that first date. More importantly, make sure your personality matches your online persona.

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Dating & Relationship Q&A: At My Wits End, He Won't Stop Flirting Online. Should I End It?





Question

from Ashley M.: I have been with my guy for over seventeen years, we're both flirty people, but as of lately he's crossed a line with a particular person. I've warned him and have had discussions about this person he swear is only a friend, but the same thing keeps happening. I've offered him a way out, but he insists that he wants to stay together. I'm not a super jealous person, but I don't want to be disrespected. We're trying to save what we have.

Dating can have its trying moments. Add the internet, social media and electronic devices into the mix, and temptation can creep into your relationship. However, do not fret! Leave it

up to our relationship experts who can offer their best <u>dating</u> <u>advice</u> on using technology the right way. Technology is here to stay, after all, so take advantage of these amazing tools! Learn valuable dating tips from Cupid's very own, matchmaker Suzanne Oshima and relationship expert Robert Manni. Here they'll answer your questions on how to handle a partner's online flirting.

Technology Dating Advice That Will Help You Deal With Your Partner's Online Flirting

Suzanne K. Oshima, Matchmaker: When you've been with someone for a long time, sometimes the relationship may lose the spark and excitement it once had. Which may cause one person to seek out the thrill of attention from the opposite sex outside the relationship, while still maintaining the security of your relationship. Try to revive and spice up your relationship with flirtations and sexy moves in the bedroom, so he won't feel the need to seek attention elsewhere. If he continues with his behavior with his "friend," then it may be time to try working with a relationship coach who can help you work through the issues at hand. And if that fails, then it may be time to move on to a man who only wants to flirt and be with you.

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Robert Manni, Guy's Guy: It's time for "the talk". Seventeen years is a long time, so there must be a strong bond. But, over time little things become big things when they're not addressed. You say he's crossed the line and you feel disrespected. He says she's only a friend and he wants to stay together. Something has to give. I say tell him to get his priorities in order. That means saying goodbye to her and

paying attention to you. If he balks or shows any sign of hesitation, it's time to respect yourself and let him go.

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Relationship Advice Guys Edition: When's The Right Time To Pop The Question (Marriage)?





By **David**

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So you're under the influence of an amazing woman. You're thinking about popping the question. All you think about is the future. You think about the love that you're sharing. You think she's the one for you. Before you run off to pop that question, it's time you start smelling the sausages. Yes, sausages. You see, women need to smell the roses, men need to smell the sausages. Let's bring you back into reality with a real stinky, smelly, greasy, Italian Sausage that you get from the street fair. Before I go on, I need to warn you that I'm about to give you some hard hitting relationship advice. It's going to hopefully wake you back into reality, and give you an opportunity to make the right decision.

Relationship Advice That Will Help You Figure Out If You're Ready For Marriage

Marriage is not something you take lightly. It's not something you rush into, as the great Elvis Presley song *Fools Rush In* has pointed out. Despite being a <u>relationship expert</u>, in my

life I've been married a few times. Every single time I got married, I was a fool — like in Elvis's song — and I always rushed in. I was rushing in based on a story I had. I had to marry her. I wanted to marry her. I'd never been so in love. Yet, I barely knew her... I don't want you to go through what I went through. Marriage is one of the biggest decisions you could possibly make, because from marriage, comes many different things: a lifetime partner (potentially), with children. And here comes the sausage part of it all — the mother of your children is the woman whose going to take half your money if it doesn't work out. Oh yeah, I had to throw that last bit in there because that is the truth. Make the wrong decision, and all of the sudden your bank account, and everything you've ever worked for in your entire life, will go to somebody else. And if that doesn't scare you, maybe this will. The woman that you're so in love with right now, that you think you want to marry, will turn on you most likely. And most likely use your children as a way to manipulate things. Now this may not happen. You may have a future where divorce is amicable. She may not ask for all your money, and she may actually support a great father/daughter, father/son relationship. But I bring these subjects up because when you're under the influence of a new woman, and your under the influence of thinking you're going to marry somebody, somebody has to slap you across the virtual face, and wake you up from the fog that you're in.

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So now that I've scared you, and have given you some sort of reality check, I want to talk about when you should pop the question. What I'm about to tell you is probably, oh good <?>, it's an all conventional dating tip. But I think you need to go through eight seasons with this woman. The seasons don't consist of the NFL, the Baseball or the Basketball season. The seasons consist of two Winters. Two Springs. Two Summers. And two Falls. You need to see this person in everyday situations,

over and over, and over again. You see, if you're in some type of fog from the beginning of the relationship, you're most likely hanging out with her representative. The well behaved version of herself. You need to see somebody in all situations. How they handle adversity. How they handle conflict. How they handle life stuff that comes up. How they handle work stuff. You need to spend as much time with this person, you're evaluating them. Talk about how life is going to be when you get married. Talk about the style of parenting you're looking to do. And yes, you should absolutely discuss parenting style before having kids. Here's another thing, if you're going to be with somebody, they need to match your parenting style. If you haven't thought about parenting styles, then you might just be under the fog of getting married. These are all important things you need to consider when you are thinking of popping the question. There's no rush.

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A great relationship builds. You want a best friend. A best friend you can rely on for life. You want somebody who knows you inside and out, so you, not only can feel safe around them, but they can feel safe around you. You need to have an amazing communication relationship between the two of you. These are just some of the things you need to think about before you go nuts, and marry somebody before you're ready. If you do, your partnership will be plagued with relationship problems. So I repeat, there is no rush! This is the biggest decision of your life! This is the potential mother of your children. This is the woman you're going to share your bed with. Hopefully for the remainder of your life. So take your time. Get to know her. Make a decision based on not pure emotion, but on pure reality.

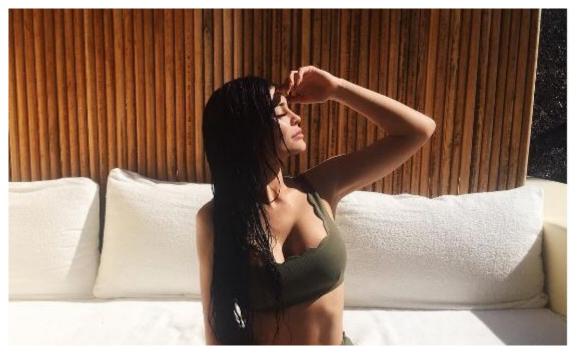
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Dating Advice: 3 Dating Red Flags





On this week's episode of Single in Stilettos, founder and matchmaker Suzanne Oshima talks to relationship expert Joe Amoia to offer their <u>dating advice</u> on how you can spot red flags on the dating scene. Find out how you can score the man of your dreams and avoid the bad apples with the following dating tips!

Dating Advice That Will Help You See The Red Flags!

1. Be crystal clear. You need to know exactly what you need and want in a relationship. This way you'll be able to see the traits and values that don't align with your lifestyle, and will be able to steer away from those who exhibit those very things you don't like. You shouldn't compromise your essential needs, so be honest with a man upfront. If you don't tell him, he won't give you what you need, so be open and consistent.

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2. Observe him. From the very first date, you should take a good look at the man's attitude. Watch how he not only interacts with you, but also how he treats other people- like the wait staff for example if you're at a restaurant. If he is condescending and rude, then that's a huge red flag because eventually it will catch up to you. Also take note of his past relationships. If family and friends don't want to be around him, that should tell you something.

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3. Man vs. Boy. Don't get swayed by presents and sweet words if you sense red flags from your date. A boy will throw a tantrum and be manipulative to get what he wants, while a man accepts what he is given. If at any point you feel that you're being for sex or something else you don't want to do, then chances are you're dealing with a boy. Find a man who already has integrity, you can't teach an old dog new tricks.

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