

New Celebrity Couple: 'Full House' Star Jodie Sweetin Is Dating Mescal Wasilewski



By [Jessica Gomez](#)

In [celebrity news](#), there's a new [celebrity couple](#) in town! *Full House* star Jodie Sweetin is dating Mescal Wasilewski, according to [UsMagazine.com](#). A source confirms that the new celebrity relationship began in November. As a Valentine's Day post, Sweetin took to Instagram a collage of photos with her beau, captioned: "Find someone who you can share this kind of love with ... Someone who doesn't just show you they love you one day a year ... Who isn't afraid to look silly when they tell you they love you ... Who doesn't judge you for past mistakes, but who wants to build a better future together ... Who builds

you up and never makes you feel small ... Who supports your dreams and hopes and desires, and also has those of their own. Who doesn't put a price tag on your love ... Who holds your hand when you're scared and doesn't run away ... Who loves you, not in spite of your weirdness, but because of it ... Who makes you a priority in their life, no matter what," she continued. "Who doesn't hold you hostage with their love, but whose side you don't want to leave because you're happier when you're with them ... who makes you get shy when they look at you, because the rest of the world stops. That's the kind of love we all deserve. Anything less isn't worth it." How sweet!

In this celebrity couple news, Jodie Sweetin is moving on from a series of bad relationships. What are some ways to know you're choosing someone who will treat you right?

Cupid's Advice:

There are many things that are signs showing that someone will treat you right. Sweetin was right on the money with all she said on V-Day via Instagram. Here are three signs to be optimistic about:

1. They make you feel both safe and special: Having someone that treats you the way you should be treated is a wonderful thing. Not everyone can provide that for their lover. Being comfortable with your partner and feeling like they wouldn't do anything to hurt you is a comforting feeling. Trust is what leads to these feelings.

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2. They respect your differences: This is important! It's great to have things in common, that's one of the many things that build a bond. However, having differences is okay, as long as you both respect each other's dissimilarities. Variation can be good when you both have boundaries and don't judge one another. This also leads to a more open relationship, which is a good thing.

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3. They support you any way they can: Your partner should be your cheerleader. We can all use a support system, and having someone that encourages your dreams, aspirations, and decisions is a magnificent thing to have. Don't think that everything needs to be encouraged and supported, that's not the case. We do not want to support negative behavior. We do however need our loved ones to be there for us.

What are some ways you know your partner is right for you? Comment below!

Celebrity News: Jodie Sweetin's Ex-Fiance Justin Hodak Sentenced to 6 Years in Prison





By [Noelle Downey](#)

There's nothing, but trouble for former [celebrity couple](#) Jodie Sweetin and Justin Hodak this week in [celebrity news](#)! According to [UsMagazine.com](#), Hodak has recently been charged with illegal possession of a deadly weapon and threatening a witness with force. He will serve almost seven years in prison, and will then be on probation for five years following his release. Now that the [celebrity exes](#) have called it quits following Hodak's several arrests and violation of the restraining order Sweetin took out against him, Hodak must not post any photos or videos of Sweetin or risk violating the terms of a protective order. He must also complete a 52-week program on domestic violence upon the conclusion of his sentence. Sweetin is a [celebrity parent](#) to two children, Beatrix and Zoie, from previous marriages, but Hodak and Sweetin have no children together.

This celebrity news has us

troubled. What are some ways to deal with a partner who gets into legal trouble?

Cupid's Advice:

There's no way around it, if you've ever had a partner or ex who got involved in some troubling illegal activities, that's bound to lead to tension in your relationship and in your lives. Here are Cupid's top tips on how to deal with a partner in legal trouble:

1. Consider the offense: Of course, when it comes to a brush with the law, there are varying degrees of legal offenses. You should react differently based on whether your partner has, for example, been caught planning and executing elaborate heists or shoplifting petty items at a drugstore. So first things first, when a partner gets involved in some kind of crime, stop and consider the offense. It's important to recognize the nuances of legality and while many crimes should give you serious pause about continuing the relationship, others may be something you can work through as a couple.

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2. Make sure you and your children are safe: Of course, sometimes the answer is clear already. If a partner has been charged with violent tendencies, domestic abuse, or owning a violent weapon and you feel that you are in some kind of danger, act immediately. Go to the police and express your concerns, and then reach out to family and friends to help you through this difficult time, whether that be by staying at your place or opening their home to you so you have a place you can go where you can feel safe and secure. The first priority in situations like that should be making sure that

you and any children you have are safe so that you can start re-building your lives without the negative influence of your ex.

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3. Talk to your partner: If the situation is such that you are surprised by the alleged crimes your partner is accused of, try getting a moment to talk to them. Many times if the offense is not major, you will have the opportunity to pay bail and speak to your partner as a “free” individual once more. Have an open conversation with your partner and ask them why they did what they did. Be honest about how hurt and betrayed you feel by their dishonest actions and then figure out if there’s a way you can work through it together, if that’s what you want.

Have you ever had a partner run into legal trouble? How did you handle it? Let us know in the comments!

Celebrity News: Jodie Sweetin Speaks Out After Drama-Filled Split from Fiance Justin Hodak





By: Christa Ganz

In recent celebrity news, *Full House* alum Jodie Sweetin took to Instagram to shed light on her recent [celebrity break-up](#). The 35-year-old actress posted a photo with her two daughters, Zoie, 8, and Beatrix, 6, with a beautiful caption, saying, “Thank you so much to everyone who has reached out over the past two weeks. It’s definitely been a roller coaster, but with amazing family, friends and fans, I’ll be just fine! These two little loves are my everything and we will make it through! Thank you for all the love!” The positivity expressed in Sweetin’s post comes as a relief following her ugly split from former fiancé, Justin Hodak. This former [celebrity couple](#) announced their official split on March 24. According to [UsMagazine.com](#), Hodak was arrested days after their break-up for violating a restraining order placed against him by Sweetin.

In celebrity news, not all break-

ups are amicable. What are some ways to keep your split drama-free?

Cupid's Advice:

Breaking up is never an easy process. Getting over your ex can be manageable by eliminating unnecessary drama. Here are some tips:

1. Keep it civil: Try your best to communicate with each other using calm, civil conversation. By using a considerate tone of voice and open communication policy, you will have an easier time coming to a mutual understanding. Remember that this is not an easy time for either of you.

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2. Keep it private: Don't blast your new single status on social media right away. Even if you're happy to be out of a toxic relationship, the first ingredient to a drama filled split is including other parties. Ease into the dating game again and be mature about what you post online.

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3. Ask for help: If you can't contain your anger and frustration, seek a close friend's advice. You may need them to drop off a box of your ex's stuff. If your break up was really bad, it may be best to avoid contact altogether.

How did you manage to keep your break up drama free? Comment below!

Celebrity News: Jodie Sweetin Ends Engagement to Justin Hodak and Gets Restraining Order



By [Delaney Gilbride](#)

In [celebrity news](#), *Full House* alum Jodie Sweetin has called off her year long engagement to Justin Hodak. According to [EOnline.com](#), Sweetin's representative contacted E! News concerning the [celebrity break-up](#) and stated: "We can confirm that actress Jodie Sweetin and her fiancé Justin Hodak have

ended their relationship. She appreciates everyone's understanding for their need for privacy at this time." The [celebrity couple](#) announced their engagement in January 2016 after dating for two years; Sweetin took to Instagram to show off her diamond ring claiming her fiancé did "a great job" picking it out. Sweetin had been married three times prior to her engagement to Hodak. She shares her daughter Beatrix Carlin Sweetin-Coyle with ex-husband Marty Coyle and her eight year-old daughter Zoie with Cody Herpin.

This celebrity news has us fearing for Jodie Sweetin. What are some ways to protect yourself from an abusive partner?

Cupid's Advice:

Nothing is more stressful than having an abusive ex and it's extremely important to know what to do when you run into this problem. Protect yourself from your abusive ex by taking our [relationship advice](#):

1. Be aware that there are domestic violence shelters: It may not be well known, but there are domestic violence shelters available for those in need. They will provide you with safety services, support, and resources for you and your children. These shelters will give you all of the resources to help you get back on your feet following an abusive relationship.

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2. Secure your new home and be aware of who you share your information with: Make sure that you're careful when it comes to moving into your new home following an abusive break-up. It's a good idea to change locks, windows, and to install a

good security system. Also, make sure only people that you trust know the address to your place... you don't want your ex finding this information out.

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3. Change your routine: If you were in your relationship for a long period of time, chances are that your ex knows your day to day routine and may want to use this information to their advantage. Avoid this by changing your day to day patterns; although this may be inconvenient, it's better than having your ex follow you around. Go to different shops, grocery stores, and take new ways to work.

Have you ever been through an abusive relationship? Comment below with how you protected yourself following your break-up.

Celebrity Wedding: Jodie Sweetin Is Engaged to BF Justin Hodak





By Jasmine Igwegbe

There's still room in the *Full House* for one more apparently. In the latest celebrity news, Jodie Sweetin and Justin Hodak are preparing for a [celebrity wedding](#). The celebrity couple have been together for two years and recently decided that tying the knot is in the best interests for both of them. According to [UsMagazine.com](#), this is the fourth marriage for Sweetin, "who struggled with substance abuse for years after growing up in the spotlight."

Another celebrity wedding is in the works! What are some ways to know a marriage has staying power?

Cupid's Advice:

Walking down the aisle to partake in one of the most exciting life changing experiences is something we all hope to experience one day. Having a powerful marriage is also a goal

we all hope to accomplish. Cupid has some [relationship advice](#) to ensure than your marriage has staying power:

1. Your partner is your “go-to”: Studies prove that it is vital for your partner to be someone you can share gossip or hysterical observations with. Having a partner who is your best friend is the key to a powerful marriage.

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2. Steady level of conflicts: When the going gets tough, you hope your partner is there for you even 10 years later. It is perfectly okay to have conflicts with your partner as long as those arguments are fair and rational. Anger is considered a healthy emotion. Feel free to resolve any conflicts through an argument, but play safe!

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3. Are you still having fun?: If your partner is still finding ways to act silly and make you laugh, then you’re still having fun and your marriage is powerful. It’s like the person you married never left.

What do you believe are other ways to know your marriage is powerful? Share your thoughts below.

Relationship Expert Talks About Helping Kids Through Divorce



By Debbie Bartashius-Ceresa

Whose divorce is it? Perhaps this sounds like a strange question when talking about the Hilary Duff and Mike Comrie custody dispute or the battle of where Jodie Sweetin and Morty Coyle's little Beatrix will attend pre-school. But as a [relationship expert](#), I know that a divorce can cause many losses, especially for the children.

Relationship Expert on Losses of Divorce

There is truth that divorce is a family matter, but in the end, it's the couple who is ending their relationship and love together. The kids are merely in the midst of a war zone, and the damage to them can be immense. Divorce, like death, creates losses for everyone involved. Children can experience

any or all of the following:

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1. Loss of expectations: We teach our children to love, trust, and be loyal to us. Children think that their family will always be together. Think about the many stories you've read to your kids; most of them have a family that stays together. Children are also exposed to the vows and commitments parents make to each other through movies and religion. Try to imagine how confused a child feels when they're told that their parents can no longer keep this pledge.

2. Loss of trust: Children have a difficult time dealing with the conflicting feelings of love and divorce. These emotions tend to cause the child to believe that their parents are distrustful.

3. Loss of familiarity and routines: A divorce sometimes causes a move from one home to another or a change of schools. Everything that was familiar and routine in the child's life is disrupted.

4. Loss of safety: What makes you feel safe? Most of us feel stable when we are in our day-to-day routine and our comfort zone. Oftentimes, children caught in the battle lose their sense of safety.

Expert Love Advice For How To Help Your Child Through Your Divorce

As a relationship expert, I look at celebrity divorces, such as the Duff-Comrie and Sweetin-Coyle cases, and see that they create an awareness of how to understand the effect of break-ups on our children. My expert love advice, whether you're dealing with a divorce of your own or someone close to you, is to focus on the kids. The following can help your

child:

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1. Don't "fix" feelings: Be there to listen to your child without trying to tell them how to feel. Every child is different and reacts to a divorce uniquely. The problem with emotions that are sad, negative, or painful is that we try to fix them. We don't try to change or fix good feelings. Remember that feelings are feelings.

2. Find a safe zone: Give your child a place to express any happy, sad, or painful emotions. You need to be able to listen, hear, and acknowledge their feelings. This safe zone also means not taking sides with the other parent.

3. Complete your own emotions: The world isn't perfect. Divorce happens. Every divorce is unique; your feelings are unique. Taking actions to complete your own emotions with your divorce will give you the ability to hear and listen to your children.

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Celebrity News: Jodie Sweetin Opens Up About Recent Separation



By April Littleton

According to *UsMagazine.com*, former *Full House* star Jodie Sweetin took to Twitter to address the news of her separation from husband Morty Coyle. "Thank you for to everyone for being kind and supportive...I really appreciate all the fan love", she tweeted. "Life can have its challenges, for sure!" This is Sweetin's third marriage. She was previously married to Shaun Holguin (from 2002 and 2006) and to Cody Herpin (from 2007 to

2010), with whom she has a 5-year-old daughter, Zoie with.

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

Cupid's Advice:

Ending a relationship is a hard decision to make, especially when a couple is together for a long period time. There are times when a relationship loses its spark and it can be very tough to get it back. When is it time to let go of someone you once kept so close to you heart? Cupid has some advice:

1. Feelings change: Have your feelings for your significant other changed? Do you no longer get that warm, fuzzy feeling every time your partner grabs for your hand? The feelings you once had for your love may return in time, but if you're still not feeling it, it's time to sit down and evaluate your relationship. Don't string your boo along when you know you no longer want to be involved with them.

2. Drifting apart: One of you might have gotten that big promotion at work and has been busier than usual. Conflicting schedules can cause a couple to lose touch of each other. If this has been going on for some time now and you've been seeking attention from somebody else, it's time to end the relationship you're in. Although, if the two of you make some time for each other, you might be able to reconcile.

3. Nothing works: You've tried couples therapy and sought the help of friends and family on your situation, but nothing seems to be working. If you can't revive the relationship on your own and your partner isn't interesting in putting forth the effort to fix whatever is wrong, then it's time to let it go. You shouldn't have to work so hard for love, especially if you're not getting any support from the person you're trying so hard to keep.

When did you know it was time to call it quits on your relationship? Comment below.

Celebrity News: Jodie Sweetin Files for Legal Separation from Husband of Less Than a Year



By Marisa Spano

A *Full House* star is on the verge of ending her third

marriage. According to [People](#), Jodie Sweetin filed for legal separation from Morty Coyle, her husband of just a little over a year. Sweetin is seeking custody of the ex couple's 2 ½ - year-old daughter, Beatrix. The actress and her ex got engaged on Sweetin's birthday in January 2011. They decided to keep their marriage secret for a year. On their first year anniversary, the two made their marriage public.

How do you know when to call it quits on your marriage?

Cupid's Advice:

Divorce can be complicated and nasty, so when do you know whether to keep trying or to call it quits? Cupid has some advice:

1. Do whatever it takes: Ask yourself, have I done everything I can to save the marriage? Perhaps couples counseling is the answer, or maybe time is all you need. Either way, you won't be happy if you know you threw away your marriage without trying to make it work.

2. Plan: Make sure you have researched, planned and prepared yourself legally for a divorce. If it's a spontaneous decision and you haven't done the necessary legwork prior, you probably aren't ready to call it quits.

3. Forgiveness: Has something happened that can't be forgiven? Anyone can live with someone, but if something unforgettable has happened it will no longer be a happy marriage. It is about being completely honest. The real question is, are you able to forgive?

When would you call it quits? Let us know below.