Celebrity News: Nick Cannon Reacts to Ex Mariah Carey's Take on #BottleCapChallenge



By <u>Katie Sotack</u>

The #BottleCapChallenge has taken over the celebrity world, and Mariah Carey accepted the challenge. Normally, the participant performs a roundhouse kick to the bottle cap and sends it flying away. However, according to *UsMagazine.com*, Carey added her own twist when she hit her legendary high note to pop the bottle open. <u>Nick Cannon</u>, who was once part of a married <u>celebrity couple</u> with Carey, commented on the video, saying "hilarious".

In <u>celebrity news</u>, Nick Cannon still supports his celebrity ex, Mariah Carey. What are some ways to keep the peace with your ex?

Cupid's Advice:

Nick and Mariah seem to be making divorce work. Their public displays of support and peaceful co-parenting of their twins would suggest a good post-separation relationship. Here are tips to maintain the peace with your ex:

1. Remember why you loved them: Just because things didn't work out doesn't make your ex is a demon. They're the same person you fell for many moons ago and relearning to see them in a positive light will be beneficial to your friendship.

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2. Ctrl, alt, delete them: Moving is hard to do, it's cliche for a reason. Part of keeping the peace is knowing when to go your own way. If seeing your ex's posts causes you to bubble up with rage and resentment, hit that unfollow button. You broke up for a reason and that means they're allowed to no longer be a part of your life.

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3. Focus on yourself: Put yourself first. Prioritizing your growth and other intimate relationships will naturally stray your mind from your ex. Suddenly, it'll be obvious that you didn't fit together, given the new paths you've taken, and it'll be easier to wish them well when you're thriving solo.

How do you deal with you ex? Share in the comments below!

Celebrity Travel: Top 5 European Hotspots





By <u>Jessica Gomez</u>

Oh Europe, how beautiful is thee! Europe is definitely a great place to vacation, and it's one of the areas at the top of the list for celebrity travel. It has a rich history, and it's full of culture. Europe is a large area with countless stunning spots, so limiting them to five is not an easy task. That said, here are five "hot" <u>vacation destinations</u> in various European countries that your favorite celebs routinely enjoy!

And the 5 top European hotspots (in no particular order) for <u>celebrity</u> <u>vacations</u> go to… *drum roll, please*:

1. Venice, Italy: This is one of the most romantic places in Europe, and it's very popular with tourists as a result. The beautiful art and architecture here are big reasons for the heavy tourism as well. Take a ride on a gondola (long wooden boats) through the Great Canal, visit the major landmarks, eat the delicious chibo (food) at your pick of numerous cute cafes and elegant restaurants – the list goes on! Johnny Depp, Brad Pitt, and Kristen Stewart are some of the many celebrities who have been spotted vacationing here! George Clooney and his wife Ama had their celebrity wedding here and then came back for their third wedding anniversary, according to us.hellomagazine.com!

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2. Ibiza, Spain: Party central! This island is known for the around-the-clock socializing and astonishing performances. Hit the beaches and the night clubs! Fun awaits you on this paradise island. Some of your night life loving celebs that have had their fair share of good times here are Justin Bieber, Kim Kardashian, Orlando Bloom, and Kate Moss! However, Bieber and Bloom may have had too much fun, as they shared some hostile moments there as well. Four years ago, the two hunks got into an altercation in Ibiza where Bloom allegedly swung at Bieber, according to <u>People.com</u>.

3. The Algarve, Portugal: Sweet, sweet paradise! Clear waters,

green nature, and a strong sun — why are we not there right now? This destination is considered one of the most beautiful in Europe, as it's one of the most developed regions in Portugal. Prince William and his wife Kate Middleton enjoyed their honeymoon there — and we're picturing ours there, too!

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4. Paris, France: Known as the City of Lights, Paris is a big tourist spot! The romantic city is home to one of the most famous landmarks in history: the Eiffel Tower. There are various cafes and restaurants at which to eat and enjoy wine, too. And, of course, there are numerous museums, monuments, and cathedrals to see. Robin Thicke has been seen "touring it" up with his girlfriend April Love Geary.

5. Mykonos, Greece: Celebrities really do love to come here! Tons have visited: Leonardo DiCaprio, Mariah Carey, Ariana Grande, and Paris Hilton – making this a celebrity hotspot for sure. It's a nice, relaxing vacation spot away from it all. This Greek island provides delicious Mediterranean cuisine near breathtaking waves. Celebrities like Tom Hanks and Tom <u>Cruise</u> own houses here!

What are some places in these celebrity destinations you've been to or dream of going to? Comment below!

Celebrity Style: Bundle Up in These Ski Lodge Celebrity

Looks





By Marissa Donovan

During the winter months, it's great to escape to a ski resort. Whether you are there to snowboard or ski, it's crucial to stay warm and look good while doing it! Here are some <u>fashion tips</u> on how to snag a celebrity styled look on the slopes this Winter.

Get the celebrity hottest celebrity ski looks this Winter!

Kate Middleton's White Jacket: Bundle up in a white jacket similar to Kate Middleton's on the slopes this winter. Match the jacket with black or white ski pants and gloves to

complete this royal look!



Kate Middleton at Klosters Ski Resort in Switzerland. Photo Credit: Solarpix / PR Photos

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Paris Hilton's Long Geometric Coat: Make a statement in a bold geometric coat while staying warm. Get one size larger than what you normally wear for a coat, so you can have a second jacket underneath. Layering with the print will really accentuate the colors on your coat.



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Mariah Carey's Cherry Red Down Jacket: This down jacket has the pop of color that your winter wardrobe deserves. Like Carey, see if you can have extra warmth in your hood by finding one that has cotton or faux fur.



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Hilary Duff's Cotton Top Hat: This classic winter accessory

can vary on size, depending on how big you want your cotton top. Choose a brown, white, or black hat so you can coordinate with any jacket or ski pants!



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Ashley Tisdale's Ski Goggles: Protect your eyes in style by getting ski googles with white and blue hues. Not only will you avoid snow from blocking your sight, but you will look fierce as well!



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Which celebrity ski look will you be sporting on the slopes? Let us know in the comments!

NY Restaurants with the Most Celebrity Sightings





By Melissa Lee

While most celebrities across the board call Hollywood their home, New York is the runner-up. Known for its busy streets, bustling nightlife, and resilient aura, New York is constantly hosting celebs, whether it be for work or play. Regardless of the intentions of their stay, at the end of the day, who doesn't want to dine luxuriously at some of the city's best restaurants? Celebrities are always eating at the most lavish spots, and when you hear that your fave star was spotted eating somewhere… well, you know it *has* to be good.

If you're making a trip to the concrete jungle you have to head to these restaurants with the most celebrity sightings!

1. Carmine's: Never mind the fact that celebrities are constantly being spotted at this restaurant – Carmine's serves family style Italian food that is absolutely to-die for! Due to its popularity, the owners have opened several locations throughout the city, but that doesn't mean stars have been going any less. For over 25 years, Carmine's has hosted numerous celebs including Drew Barrymore, Tina Fey, and Tim Gunn. Can we make our reservation now?!

2. Bagatelle: Located in the Greenwich Village area, this classic French Mediterranean restaurant is a celebrity hotspot. Beyonce and husband Jay Z, Mariah Carey, and Sofia Vergara are only some of the stars that have dined at this five-star spot. Bagatelle has also revealed that Jamie Foxx even stepped into the DJ booth at one of their notorious parties, too!

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3. The Polo Bar: This All-American spot is extremely luxurious, and has seen Hillary Clinton, Andy Cohen, and <u>Gwyneth Paltrow</u>. The restaurant, which is very exclusive, honors fashion designer Ralph Lauren by showcasing his brand with artwork of horses, polo matches, and sports. The Polo Bar

serves incredible American dishes, including their signature Polo Bar Burger.

4. Beautique: While an intimate, low-key place to dine in Midtown, Beautique is also a high-energy club and lounge. Stars like <u>Kendall Jenner</u>, A\$AP Rocky and <u>Leonardo DiCaprio</u> have all partied here, partially because the spot is known for hosting internationally acclaimed DJs.

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5. Rao's: The second Italian hotspot on this list is nearly impossible to get into – reservations are booked for months in advanced! However, if you manage to snag a table at this East Harlem spot, you're guaranteed to see a celeb. Rao's has served Leonardo DiCaprio, Bill Clinton and wife Hillary Clinton, and baseball star Hank Aaron – just to name a few.

What are your favorite places to spot a celebrity? Leave your thoughts below.

Celebrity News: Mariah Carey Celebrates Her Birthday in Cabo with Boyfriend Bryan Tanaka





By Mallory McDonald

Mariah Carey in <u>celebrity news</u> is celebrating her birthday while in a <u>celebrity relationship</u>! According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Carey spent her birthday in Cabo with Bryan Tanaka. Tanaka took a photo of the two and posted it on Instagram captioned, "#HappyAnniversary." His other Instagram photo of the trip was captioned, "Everyone can use a little zen time. Soaking in the moment and recalibrating my spirit. #MuchLove#BlessingsOnBlessings". Mariah took to social media too to share her birthday presents and festivities!

This celebrity news show a new relationship going strong! What are some romantic getaway ideas for your partner's birthday?

Cupid's Advice:

Your birthday is the one day of the year that it is all about

you, use this <u>relationship advice</u> to help plan a romantic getaway for you or your partner:

1. Tropical paradise: A classic romantic getaway similar to Mariah Careys, is a tropical destination. Your partner will be thrilled to soak up the sun, swim with the fish and drink fruity cocktails until the sun goes down!

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2. Dream vacation: Pay attention to the places your significant other has mentioned she or he would love to go to and keep it in mind. When you are able to, surprise them on their birthday with a fully planned trip to their dream spot.

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3. Family trip: Something that may not be as intimate or romantic, but could be even more memorable would be a trip for his or her birthday with all their family and friends. Find a weekend near their birthday that works for everyone and set it up!

What romantic getaway would you want to plan with your partner? Comment below!

Celebrity News: Mariah Carey Gets Close with New Love

Bryan Tanaka on Stage at NYC Tour Stop





By Justin Thomas

It looks like Mariah Carey is over her heartbreak and onto a new love. In <u>celebrity news</u>, after what seemed to be an abrupt <u>celebrity break-up</u> with her billionaire fiancé, Australian businessman James Packer back in October, Carey has already involved herself with a new beau. According to <u>People.com</u>, Carey's romance with her 33-year-old back up dancer Bryan Tanaka hit the ground running behind the scenes and on stage. Recently, during her performances of "All I Want for Christmas is You," "Fantasy" performer and dancer got intimate on stage holding hands and locking eyes during her performance. From Tanaka's noteworthy appearances on Carey's new docu-series Mariah's World (which premiered Sunday night on E!) where one of her team members revealed Tanaka's long time attraction to Carey to their Hawaii beach photo op, it's safe to say Tanaka has the diamond studded diva feeling some emotions. Here's to our new <u>celebrity couple</u>!

This celebrity news shows Mariah is officially moving on. How do you know when you're ready to move on from a past relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Dating someone new can be very exciting, but if you're not careful with your timing, that excitement can come to a screeching halt if things turn sour. So, it's important to let things fully or at least semi-develop before you make things exclusive. There are a lot of factors and people to consider when deciding to go public with your significant other. Here are some tips:

1. Rally the troops: The holidays are the perfect time for introducing that special someone to your friends and family, but make sure that someone is really special. In other words, bringing the date you met for the first time Saturday night to your parents' Christmas dinner might not be the most noble choice in timing. Make sure your new love has the same expectations as you do in regards to meeting loved ones and going public before you make any moves or post that cute "usie". Remember: it's a process.

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2. Take your time; you've got plenty of it: Developing a rapport is one of the most necessary parts to a new relationship. Learning how to (or if you can) keep effective

communication going is very telling of where your relationship is headed. Read the fine print. Look for significant signals and red flags along the way, because there's no smoke without fire.

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3. Let the excitement die down: New love shouldn't be conceptually strict, but when it comes to matters of the heart it's important not to be too capricious. Allow time to acclimate to each other as individuals once the honeymoon phase is over with. Once you feel solid in your relationship open up as you feel necessary. You don't have to shout it from the rooftops (unless you feel compelled to) but don't hide your new partner either. There's a fine line between discretion and secrecy.

What are some other things to consider before going public with your relationship? Share your thoughts below.

Celebrity Couple Predictions: Mariah Carey, Prince Harry and Donald Trump





By <u>Shoshi</u>

In the latest celebrity news, three famous couples have caught the public's attention. In a sudden twist, wedding bells are not longer ringing for Mariah Carey and billionaire James Packer; while two other high profiled relationships seem to be going well between Prince Harry and Meghan Markle, and newly elected Donald Trump and his wife Melania. But who's stepping out this time around hand in hand? Join me as I look into the crystal ball of relationships and love. Below, I share my predictions for these <u>celebrity couples</u>.

Celebrity Couple Predictions: Celebrity Relationships That May or May Not Last

Mariah Carey and James Packer: As much as I was rooting for Mariah Carey to find love, my crystal ball told me that James Packer was not the one. That is not to say that Carey and Parker didn't have a good time together while it lasted. As quickly as their relationship came together, it quickly crumbled. There are reports that Packer was jealous of a back up dancer while it has also been said that Packer dumped Carey, because she spends too much money. She is worth over \$500 million dollars, of course she spends a lot of money. This relationship has had a big "not gonna happen" written all over it from the start. Planning a wedding before getting divorced from other people tends to put a negative vibe on a relationship. The ink isn't even dry from Nick and Mariah's divorce while Packer is still married. Not to mention that Packer looks about as interesting as a blank wall. Carey is too much woman for him. Don't cry for Mariah, she will love again. I see her with someone a little bit younger. As for Packer, do we even care what happens to him now?

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Prince Harry and Meghan Markle: The word on the British streets is that Prince Harry has a new love in his life and her name is Meghan Markle. Unless you are a fan of the show, Suits, there is a chance that you have no idea who she is. Everyone should just calm down a bit. Step away from all of the wedding talk. This celebrity couple is getting to know one another, taking it nice and slow. He's hot and she's gorgeous. It makes for a very good time, especially since they have similar interest. It was a smooth move by the Buckingham Palace to let the media know that it's not cool to keep pointing out that Markle is biracial due to her African American mother. Black women around the globe are rooting for Markle to add a touch a color to the royal family tree. Time will tell where this relationship ends up. Let's try to see if we can actually get a photo of them together before we say that they are picking out china patterns.

Related Link: <u>Celebrity Couple Prince Harry & Meghan Markle:</u> Secret Toronto Visit Donald Trump and Melania Trump: I have stated several times that if Donald Trump didn't become POTUS, Melania would get divorce papers rolling sooner than later. I see that this whole election process has taught her a lot about her husband. It's one thing to know him as a shrewd business man, but ever notice how he would almost trample Melania to get out on stage for a round of applause. That's not much of a turn on. Also during most of the campaign, she looked like a deer caught in the headlights. Melania signed up for the money, but the White House is a whole other level. Everything that she does will be under a microscope. Within the next four years, she will feel very alone. She's not as clueless as the media makes her out to be. Maybe she will shine in her own way. Donald and Melania will be no where near was hot to watch as Barack and Michelle. The Trumpster will be too busy talking about himself, he will throw her a few compliments from time to time. Their celebrity relationship will continue to look like Beauty and the Beast.

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What celebrity couples do you want to see predictions for next? Tell us in the comments below!

Celebrity News: Source Says Mariah Carey Is 'Devastated'

by James Packer Dumped Her 'Out of Nowhere'





By Mallory McDonald

Mariah Carey moved quickly into a <u>celebrity relationship</u> with James Packer, and in <u>recent celebrity news</u>, the relationship came to a crashing halt. According to <u>EOnline.com</u>, Packer called off the couple's <u>celebrity engagement</u>, and Carey is left devastated by the sudden split. A source told <u>E! News</u> exclusively that Carey was "blindsided" when Packer dumped her "out of nowhere." Another source shared that she only learned the relationship was over by seeing it in the press. We learned that "the split has been devastating for Mariah. She loved James and was planning to marry him...She made life changes for this man to prepare for their future as husband and wife, even relocating to L.A., at James' request, so he could be closer to his children. Everything she has done over the past year is to prove how fully committed she is to their life together. She really wanted this to work. And then, completely out of the blue, it imploded." This <u>celebrity</u> <u>break-up</u> is going to leave the two reeling and cause a lot of media attention!

This celebrity news has breakup drama written all over it. What are some ways to keep your breakup story out of the public eye?

Cupid's Advice:

A very public break-up can make everything even more stressful and painful. Cupid is here for how to avoid your breakup becoming public:

1. An understanding: The decision to end the relationship needs to be a decision that both partners agree to. It cannot be a surprise because it will leave the opportunity for the public to learn first.

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2. United front: Both you and your ex-partner need to be united on the break-up so that there is no confusion when it does become public knowledge.

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3. Keep it private: Until the break-up is over and both people have moved on, try to keep it between the two of you. Even if it was not an amicable end, try to remember it will only

become worse with the public's opinion.

How do you shield your breakup from the public? Comment below!

Celebrity News: Mariah Carey Turns to Her Dancer After Problems with Fiancé James Packer





By Kayla Garritano

Mariah Carey has found another hand to hold during serious problems with fiancé James Packer. According to <u>EOnline.com</u>, Carey formed a close relationship with her dancer, Brian Tanaka, while in Vegas and is now seeking his comfort while going through her <u>celebrity break-up</u>. "James was not in the right mind for months," a source said. "Mariah was in essence an abandoned woman."

The <u>celebrity news</u> has us hoping Mariah found comfort after her ended engagement! What are some ways to find comfort after a broken engagement?

Cupid's Advice:

A break-up hurts the heart a lot, and everyone needs to be comforted so they get the strength to feel better. Here is some <u>relationship advice</u> to help you:

1. Focus on yourself: A little "you" time may be the best medicine. Making yourself happy without the help of a significant other will make you grow stronger. Make sure you are mentally and emotionally okay before you head back into that dating pool.

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2. Comfort food: Take the word "comfort" literally. Grab your sweats, get cozy on the couch, and eat your favorite food. Indulge in pizza, ice cream, anything that takes you back to when you were a kid, or gives you a warm feeling in your stomach.

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3. Phone a friend: Your best friend will be there for you during any bad moment, including a break-up. You're going to want to hear everything they say to you; how they're not worth it, you're better without them, and everything is going to be okay. Let them help you, because that's what friends are for!

How have you sought comfort after a broken engagement? Comment below!

Enjoy an Outdoorsy Date Night at The Little Nell





By Cortney Moore

If you have a special event like a birthday or anniversary coming up, or you just want to visit a romantic location for the holidays, then The Little Nell might just be the place for you! Nestled on the Aspen Mountain in the beautiful state of Colorado, you can enjoy a <u>date night</u> in the great outdoors alongside your sweetheart.

Have a romantic and scenic date night in the Colorado mountains.

The Little Nell is a 5-star resort that features a number of luxurious amenities, such as: free in-room snacks and nonalcoholic drinks, WiFi, spa services, activities for children, free seasonal bike loans, outdoor pool and hot tub, a local American restaurant, tavern, multiple bars, and much more. However, this chic hotel's main attraction is its ski lodge, which goes along with the resort's snowy setting at the base of the Silver Queen Gondola. This is a great option for active couples who like snow sports and vacation spots that provides bang for the buck.

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If you're unsure whether The Little Nell is right for your date night, keep in mind that this upscale resort has made celebrity news with a list of famous clients. So, if The Little Nell can make superstars like Mariah Carey and Kate Hudson happy, then this might be a place you want to look into.

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Have you ever been to a ski resort? Would you like to visit

The Little Nell for a romantic date night? Share your thoughts below!

Celebrity Photo Gallery: Famous Couples That Co-Parent





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Jennifer Lopez and Marc Anthony

Although they're no longer together, the two singers co-parent and do business together. These celebrity exes didn't let their break-up get in the way of their children or career. Photo: Charles Norfleet / PR Photos

Relationship Advice: Is Friendship After Divorce Possible?





By Amy Osmond Cook for Divorce Support Center

Headlines are filled with photos of happy celebrities vacationing in remote places with their children in tow. It's a picture perfect story—almost. For some celebrity exes such as Miranda Kerr and Orlando Bloom and Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon, the marriage ended long ago, but the family unit remains. It's not uncommon to hear stories of former couples vacationing together, living by each other and spending family time together. With such a high-profile breakup, how can coparenting be such an easy transition for them? My <u>relationship</u> <u>advice</u> for you is to emulate these famous relationships because the success largely depends on the parents' ability to move forward.

Relationship Advice Navigating Friendship Post-Divorce

Though the success of co-parenting is largely dependent on the circumstances of the split, these celebrity couples are proof that children can still grow up with the positive influence of

both parents, even after the marriage or longtime relationship and love has ended. Here is my relationship advice for how to successfully transition from a married household to shared parenting between two households.

1. Focus on long term. A swift dose of reality should remind you that carrying anger or other negative feelings won't change the outcome. Your marriage died. Mourn the loss of that part of your life then move forward to create a new future for yourself and children. "I am always impressed when I see couples who manage to stay friends, as it takes strength in character and an understanding of the bigger picture to rise above the hurt," wrote Seth Myers, Psy.D., in the article, Stay Friends After Divorce: Why, Coping, and Moving On. "While we can't do much to change the state of affairs in other couples, you can reflect on your own relationship." Recognize that your former partner must make the same effort. This often means a new relationship—and you need to be okay with that.

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2. You are not defined by your divorce, so don't allow it to dictate your actions. Your role as a spouse may be over, but your parenting role continues. Don't allow the end of your marriage to overshadow the positive, future memorable moments you owe your children. By making the choice to fill your life with positive and hopeful plans for the future, you'll have a solid base on which to build new relationships. But, you do need a plan. A personal strategy will lessen the potentially negative effects if you witness your partner moving forward. It will also remind you to stay focused on the plans you have prepared for your progress. This transition requires a great deal of discipline and compromise since you're putting your feelings aside for the sake of contributing to a positive parenting environment for your children. A large part of this growth is recognizing that was then, and this is now. Your actions will be a lasting example for your children. What message do you hope they remember? Whether positive or

negative-it'll make an impact.

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3. Relationships are life's classroom. Seth Myers described it best when he wrote, "Too often, men and women end relationships and feel that they made a mistake in choosing the partner they committed to in the past because the relationship didn't work. But such a perspective betrays the bigger picture that relationships are one of life's greatest classrooms and it's within this context that we figure out what we need and learn how to move closer to true fulfillment." Instead of focusing your energy on changing the result of your ended marriage by making him pay for what he did, recognize your role in the demise of that relationship and make it a goal to learn from that experience. Feelings of resentment and revenge do nothing to change the outcome. All it affect those you still fully love-your does is children. "Barring cases of abuse," added Myers, "learning to forge a friendship with your ex after divorce can be a truly healing experience and allows for an important integration of your past with the present."

By staying committed to long-term goals, maintaining a positive and hopeful attitude on your future, and viewing your relationship as a learning experience, you're set to develop a surprisingly supportive relationship with the one person who used to know you best and that's a winning strategy for you and your children.

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Former Celebrity Couple Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon Reunite to Celebrate Halloween with Kids



By Abbi Comphel

Former <u>celebrity couple</u> Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon are keeping their relationship civil for their children. <u>People.com</u> reported that celebrity exes Carey and Cannon spent Halloween together with their twins Monroe and Moroccan. Cannon posted pictures from the night, one of the two trickor-treating. Carey and Cannon filed for their celebrity divorce in 2014, but the two have remained friendly and have spent a few holidays together with their children.

This former celebrity couple knows it's important to celebrate holidays with their kids. What are some ways to remain civil for the sake of your children?

Cupid's Advice:

Spending time with family is very important, even if you and your significant other are divorced and are not on the best terms. You should still find it in your hearts to be friendly for the sake of your children. Cupid has some advice on how to remain civil:

1. Family nights: Take time out of each month to spend nights together with your children. Go to the movies, have a game night. It will help build good relationships with your kids. They are probably having a rough time now that you aren't together, so this will be good for them.

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2. Keep in touch: Stay in touch with one another and what is going on in your children's lives. You should both know what is happening so you aren't surprised when your kids come to you.

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3. Be friends: Make sure you both are on board when discipling and taking care of your children. Just because you aren't together anymore, doesn't mean you can't raise your kids together. Being friends will benefit you and give your children an easier life when it comes to divorce. What do you think are the best ways to remain civil for the sake of your children? Comment below!

Expert Dating Advice: Moving On After a Divorce





By Debbie Ceresa

"I don't regret getting the divorce," a close friend confided recently. "It's more resentment. My ex seems to be moving on with his life so easily. I fear I may never find someone I can trust again." Sound familiar? Many divorcees can relate to these circumstances, and celebrity couples are no exception. We saw it play out in Hollywood with <u>celebrity exes</u> Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon, who handled a private and painful break-up in the public eye. Inevitably, two people who have ended their relationship and love with each other must move forward. Most of us hope to get a second chance at love, but sometimes, that isn't the case, and you find yourself standing still while your ex moves on.

Post-Divorce Expert Dating Advice

My expert dating advice is to take ownership of your feelings, complete yourself, and forgive. You need to be able to handle this change while preparing yourself for your own happiness.

1. Take ownership of your feelings: Often times, in failed relationships, one or both partners misunderstand emotional responsibility. What does this mean? Take a minute and think about the many arguments or disagreements you had during your marriage. Do you find yourself saying that your partner made you mad? Instead of owning your feelings, you're blaming someone else. As a relationship expert, I can tell you the result: If you aren't able to look at your own emotions, you're creating a victim mentality, which will certainly land you in an emotional jail of your own making.

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2. Ask yourself, "Am I getting over a relationship or getting complete?": The first thing we think of when someone recommends "getting over" a relationship is to forget, but is it really possible to not remember falling in love with someone or having children together? Consider my expert dating advice, and find closure in your relationship by writing down your unrealized dreams and expectations. Think about some of the things that never materialized during your marriage. Keep your notebook in a safe and private place. Remember that it's for you to think about and not share. You may discover writing gives you an opportunity to look honestly at the situation. Making a list of your broken hopes in your personal notebook is a step towards forgiveness.

3. Forgive and be free: I recognize that insensitive, uncaring, and even evil actions by your ex hurt you terribly. However, if you persist in holding onto your resentful and unforgiving mentality, you will only continue to hurt yourself. An important aspect of recovery is remembering that forgiveness is designed to empower you. You're not condoning negative aspects of your marriage. Set yourself free by recognizing what was incomplete during your relationship.

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There are few things more painful than realizing the person you once loved so deeply has found love with another. The feelings of inadequacy and doubt can take a beating on your heart and your hope for a happy future. But, by taking control of your emotions and owning those feelings, focusing on building inner strength, and allowing forgiveness to release those feelings that weigh you down, you are preparing yourself for a future filled with hope, happiness, and, perhaps, a second chance at everlasting love.

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Mariah Carey: Moving Quickly in a Celebrity Relationship?



By Dr. Jane Greer

Singer Mariah Carey is already talking celebrity marriage with her new boyfriend, James Packer. Typically, it's the woman who's eager to start talking marriage, sometimes even early in the relationship. Although they've only been dating for a matter of days, James already believes he wants to marry Mariah. The duo in a new <u>celebrity relationship</u> have visited several countries together since last week. Deciding to get married is a big step for so many reasons, and thinking about doing it when you are just beginning to get to know each other might not always be the best idea.

Consider reality.

When two people fall in love, anything seems possible. You might quickly begin to think about spending the rest of your life with that person, and even fantasize about how wonderful it could be. That is what love does — it makes everything look wonderful. The trouble is, a lasting relationship is made up of much more than the immediate chemistry and romance people experience when they first come together and the rest of the world falls away. That world doesn't stay away forever, and when it creeps back in with finances, job responsibilities, the possibility of having children, and other things that take place during daily life, it is helpful and important to have a strong foundation underneath you to know how to deal with these things as a unit.

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Understand each other fully.

If you have time to get to know each other, allowing you to establish and understand your commonalities, shared goals and values, methods of communication, and ability to compromise and problem solve, you will be in a much better place to make your joint life work. These are the nuts and bolts that determine whether or not you will be able to go the distance together. Too often when you lead with love, moving too quickly, you eliminate and edit out the opportunity to experience your partner in the real world and you might not be equipped to deal with the curve balls that life sends your way.

Take time.

Time also allows you to establish a good balance between the me and the we, which is necessary in sharing a healthy relationship. The risk of rushing in to making the decision to spend your life with someone you don't know well enough, despite the fact that you think you do, is that you can wind up in a situation that requires making concessions that feel more like sacrifice rather than compromise. If it starts to seem that you are giving up what is important to you, it can be the beginning of your partnership no longer working effectively. So unless you have had the time to navigate your shared life and the demands that it entails, you might want to slow down a little.

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Move forward when it makes sense.

When, then, is it okay to start that conversation about happily ever after? It's probably best to begin once you've determined you're exclusive and your individual worlds are clearly merging into a joint world. That's the point at which you can look toward creating a future together and therefore discuss marriage, whereby you and your partner can see yourselves continuing together over the course of your lives. Look to avoid bringing marriage up out of the blue because if there's nothing concrete to attach it to, then the relationship may not be at that point and you may scare your partner off by being too premature with the idea. He or she may completely push back as a result. Sometimes talking about moving in together before bringing up the subject of tying the knot is a good starting point. There are times, however, when people are forced to talk about marriage sooner than they might otherwise – if one person has to move to another part of the country (or even the world) for a career opportunity, for example.

Don't get too caught up in the excitement.

The bottom line is that everything looks great at the beginning of a relationship and it is easy to get caught up in the excitement and fanfare. Be aware though of looking too far ahead. Give yourself a chance to be sure you are truly compatible before you walk down the aisle. Keep in mind also that if you are just coming out of a relationship and dealing with the aftermath of rejection, it can make this new relationship even more attractive and can be a way to put the pain in the past. If that is the case it is even more important that you take a deep breath and leave yourself the time you need to make sure this is right for you, so that you don't wind up getting blinded by love and perhaps make another mistake.

It seems that Mariah and James don't have these qualms and are ready to get serious and move forward with a shared life together. Only time will tell if they are moving too fast.

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How Does Nick Cannon Feel About Celebrity Ex Mariah Carey's New Romance?



By Jenna Bagcal

According to celebrity news from <u>EOnline.com</u>, Nick Cannon's celebrity ex-wife is moving on from their relationship – and he's taking it very well! The singer has been dating Australian businessman James Packer, and the two have recently taken a couple's vacation to Ibiza with Carey's children. Cannon has revealed that he is glad that his <u>celebrity ex</u> is moving on and an insider has said that "It makes Nick happy

that Mariah is in a great place in her life between work and love."

These celebrity exes are moving on! What are some ways to cope with your ex's new relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

As the saying goes, "breaking up is hard to do." But sometimes the thing that's harder than breaking up is seeing your ex moving on from your relationship. As this former famous couple has proven, it does not always have to be a painful experience. Here are some of Cupid's tips for coping with your ex's new relationship:

1. Find a new hobby: Whether it's crossfit training, travelling or cooking, finding a new hobby to take up your time can be productive in helping you to cope with an ex's relationship. In addition to participating in a cool new activity, hobbies can also help you to move on as well.

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2. Stay away from social media: Stalking your ex's every move online can be a painful experience when every post and picture is about how happy they are with their new beau. Instead of focusing on their happiness, log off of those social media sites and focus on your own happiness and well-being.

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3. Start dating: If you feel ready to move on as well, get back out in the dating game. Even if you're not looking for a serious relationship, going out on dates with different kinds

of people can be a really fun experience. So take a chance and put yourself out there!

How have you coped with an ex's new relationship? Share your thoughts in the comments!

6 Celebrity Break-Ups That Shocked Everyone



By Molly Jacob

Breakups can be hard, but they get even more difficult when they're in the spotlight. While we know that Hollywood couples, with the pressures that come from being famous, often don't last long, it's still hard on fans when their favorite celebrity couple goes through a <u>celebrity break-up</u>.

See what celebrity break-ups shocked everyone, including us at Cupid's Pulse!

1. Heidi Klum and Seal:

Heidi Klum and Seal seemed to be one of those Hollywood couples who had it all. That's why we were especially shocked in April 2012 when Klum filed for divorce after six years of marriage. But we're happy to hear, according to TMZ, that the celebs' divorce was a "clean break" with no fights over money or custody of their four kids.

2. Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon:

Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon seemed to be deeply in love during their six years of marriage. But this celebrity couple fell apart when Cannon filed for divorce this past January. This celebrity breakup was in the spotlight this spring when Carey released her new song, "Infinity," which throws some jabs at Cannon. Next time you're thinking of getting tattoo for your significant other, think about this: Cannon had to cover up his "Mariah" tattoo with a larger tattoo last October.

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3. Jennifer Aniston and Brad Pitt:

We were heartbroken when this celebrity couple split up in 2005. Whether you were Team Aniston or Team Jolie during the publicized celebrity breakup, Aniston and Pitt seemed to have had the perfect relationship. But don't spend too much time

worrying about this heartbreaking split — Aniston told US Magazine last January, "I don't find it painful."

4. Susan Sarandon and Tim Robbins:

Susan Sarandon and Tim Robbins appeared to be the classic, enduring Hollywood couple – until they announced their breakup in 2009. While the celeb couple never got married, they were together for over 20 years and had two sons. The two met in 1988 while shooting the film *Bull Durham* and immediately clicked. Although there were rumors that they broke up because Robbins had an affair with Meg Ryan, Sarandon said a major reason for the split was a reexamination of her life after performing in the Broadway show, *Exit the King*.

5. Robin Thicke and Paul Patton:

Thicke made the headlines in the last couple of years with his catchy and controversial song, "Blurred Lines" and also his breakup with his teenage sweetheart, Paula Patton. In February 24, the celebrity couple announced their marriage was over, but it seemed like Thicke wanted Paul back more than she wanted him. This was pretty evident after he released his tribute to his ex-wife, the 2014 album title *Paula*.

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6. Gwyneth Paltrow and Chris Martin:

Coldplay and *Shakespeare in Love* fans alike were shocked when Paltrow announced on her blog, Goop, that the Hollywood couple would be splitting. After being married for 11 years and having two children, the duo's bond seemed unbreakable. Their divorce seemed amicable, with Paltrow using the vague term "conscious uncoupling" to describe their breakup.

What other celebrity breakups shocked you? Share in the comments section below!

Mariah Carey Reunites with Celebrity Ex-Husband Nick Cannon for Easter with Twins



By <u>Rebecca White</u>

The holidays are a time when people are brought back together and put aside their differences. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, that is exactly what celebrity exes Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon did this Easter. The pair officially filed for a celebrity divorce this January, after having been separated for seven months. Although their relationship and love is coming to an end, they didn't let that get in the way of their kids' holiday and spent Easter Sunday as family in the New York Bronx Zoo.

These celebrity exes are playing nice! What are some reasons to remain civil after a tough breakup?

Cupid's Advice:

Even though break-ups are hard, it's important to remain civil with your ex because there is no point in being bitter that things didn't work out. If this famous couple can do it, so can we!

1. After time has passed, you can be friends: Just because your relationship didn't work out, doesn't mean that you can't be friends once both of you have moved on. Behind every solid couple is a solid friendship, so don't burn any bridges just yet. Maybe you two can be friends one day.

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2. Kids: If there are kids involved like these celebrity exes, it's important to remain civil so the two of you can co-parent together. The kids need their parents, so don't put them in the middle and hold any grudges.

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3. It will let you move on: You can't truly move on in your life if you're held up in the past. Let the past live in the past and move forward instead of looking back. Being bitter will only affect your life. Your ex doesn't care if you're mad at them, so let go of the animosity.

What do you think are some reasons to remain civil with an ex?

How to Be Mindful When It Comes to Relationships and Love





By Lisa LaBelle for Hope After Divorce

Relationships and love begin at a young age for many of us, long before we are adults. Luckily, there are words of dating advice, guidance, and wisdom we can share to help each other through these sometimes murky waters. After all, we are all navigating our way through relationships — whether they be family, romantic, or platonic - in one way or another.

The Importance of Mindfulness in Relationships and Love

One specific word I find essential, helpful, and a miracle worker when it comes to relationships and love is "mindfulness." Why? Here's a broad definition that will hopefully answer this question:

Mindfulness means to consciously paying attention to what you are experiencing (feeling and thinking) as it's happening. You must be in the present moment within your mind. It means to be fully anchored in the moment, leaving what has happened in the past or what's lying ahead in the future. To be mindful means to be aware of your thoughts and emotions and then to choose how to behave and respond through your words, actions, body language, etc. It means to recognize others around you as they are without judgment.

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A positive consequence of being mindful is feeling peaceful rather than overwhelmed by your thoughts, memories, emotions, worries, concerns, fears, or distractions. In addition, mindfulness gives you the authentic feeling that you are the captain of your own ship; you are responsible for your own life and the choices you make. You gain your own power, which is essential to living an authentic life. This includes making positive decisions when dating, whether you're playing the field or in a romantic, committed relationship.

Celebrity Exes Nick Cannon and Mariah Carey

Unfortunately, Nick Cannon and Mariah Carey weren't able to

practice mindfulness in order to rebuild their marriage. After a lot of ups and downs, the comedian filed for divorce. Now, the celebrity exes will begin a new and significant journey of co-parenting. Hopefully, they will realize the importance of working together, supporting one another, and doing their individual parts to raise their children peacefully. It will be essential for them to be mindful of their own thoughts, actions, behaviors, responses, decisions, and choices for their own well-being and that of their beautiful children.

Mindfulness is naturally becoming a common practice among health and wellness professionals, counselors, relationship experts, and life coaches. You can clearly see why in the description above. If you wish to have a healthy relationship and love, choosing to be mindful of your own thoughts, actions, and feelings each day will be a significant benefit for you and your partner. Remember, you are 50 percent of a relationship. Your other half must also do their part to mirror your practice of being mindful. When we are mindful of what is going on around us and how we are choosing to respond, feel, think, and behave ourselves, we are likely to feel more connected. We engage in healthier and happier patterns of behavior. These positive patterns will serve us well if we will do our part to practice mindfulness, so make it a daily choice.

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Our brains are powerful. It is up to us to guide them in a positive direction. We each have the innate power to literally change the way we think. Hopefully, celebrity exes Cannon and Carey will choose to be mindful as they become co-parents for years to come. Begin to be more mindful, and see how your own relationships and love life will evolve and change for the better. It starts with YOU!

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Nick Cannon Opens Up About Split From Mariah Carey





By Katie Gray

Nick Cannon, host of America's Got Talent, has opened up about how he is dealing with his split from pop princess Mariah Carey. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Cannon told Extra, "I'm just taking everything one day at a time and just being the best person that I can possibly be at the end of the day." He's currently in the process of having his tattoo of the superstar singer removed from his body. He claimed, "It was painful. It hurt a lot." Cannon has no ill feelings towards his wife, he wishes Carey, "nothing but the best."

What are three steps you can take to recover from a split?

Cupid's Advice:

One of the hardest things in life to recover from is heartache. Everybody needs a room at the 'Heartbreak Hotel' at some point throughout their lives, just like Elvis Presley sang about. Nonetheless; it's important to remember that there is always light at the end of the tunnel. You have lots to look forward too, and someone more suited for you will come along. Cupid has some advice on how you can recover from a

painful split:

1. Take time for YOU: When you separate from someone you were once close too, it can be very difficult. Make sure to make room for 'me time' and cater to all of your needs. You deserve it. Take a bubble bath, enjoy a nice glass of wine, let your favorite singer serenade you, read a good book, order comfort food you fancy and watch reruns of your favorite show. Indulge in all of the things that bring you happiness, because even though you're feeling down — there are still things that can make you happy in your life left.

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2. All you need is love: Surround yourself with your loved ones. They will reinforce why you're amazing, make you laugh, help you through your struggles and allow you to see that you're appreciated. Just because you've split from someone you loved, doesn't mean that everybody in your world has stopped loving you. (They do, I promise.)

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3. Change can be a positive: Hope comes in many forms. Think of this new change as a positive. It's making room for good things to come. Reevaluate your life and realize all of the things that you have to look forward too. You are starting fresh and can achieve anything you want. The best is yet to come!

What are some ways you've recovered from a split? Share your thoughts below.

Nick Cannon Covers Mariah Carey Tattoo





By Maggie Manfredi

Mariah no more! According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Nick Cannon has covered his "Mariah" tattoo with a crucifixion that takes up approximately half of the singer's back. Mariah Carey and Nick Canon have been separated for a few months now. Although they seem to be moving on, the "H" of Mariah's name can still be seen on his left shoulder.

What are some ways to move on after a sudden breakup?

Cupid's Advice:

Have you just been through an unexpected breakup? Are you

trying to cope as best you can? Cupid has some advice to help you move on and move forward:

1. Comfort: Make sure you are around people who make you happy and are in a safe place. Breakups can take you on a dark road, stay with people who bring light and joy even when you are upset.

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2.Time: Take time away from your ex-partner and think before getting any left over feelings out. Closure is important but so is patience and mending your heart.

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3. Peace: You are aloud to spend some time alone! Cupid doesn't want you to wallow and whine for too long, but work to find your own tranquility.

Do you think Nick and Mariah are done for good? Share your thoughts below!

Celebrity Baby News: 10 Famous Couples Who Had Twins





By <u>Whitney Johnson</u>

Nobody can resist <u>celebrity baby news</u> — especially when there are two bundles of joy! As if these famous couples aren't busy enough with their lives in the spotlight, they're also juggling twins and everything that comes with them: two bottles, two strollers, two wardrobes, and more. Below, we've pulled together a list of 10 celebrity parents who were doubly blessed in the baby department:

Exciting Celebrity Baby News

1. Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon: This Hollywood couple welcomed their twins, son Moroccan and daughter Monroe, in April 2011. After an extremely difficult pregnancy, including preeclampsia and gestational diabetes, the diva says she's done having kids.

2. Elsa Pataky and Chris Hemsworth: Already parents to 25month-old daughter India, the *Thor* star and his leading lady welcomed twin boys, Tristan and Sasha, this past March. The proud mom has been showing off her adorable celebrity family on Instagram ever since.

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3. Jennifer Lopez and Marc Anthony: Although this famous couple split in 2011 after seven years together, twins Max and Emme seem to be doing just fine. The cuties celebrated their sixth birthday in February with a trampoline party.

4. Ricky Martin: In 2008, the Puerto Rican singer became a father to twin boys, Matteo and Valentino, born via a surrogate mother. Luckily, his sons have a great role model in their father, who has been honored multiple times for his humanitarian work.

5. Julia Roberts and Danny Moder: The *Pretty Woman* star married her cameraman hubby in 2002, and two years later, the Hollywood couple welcomed twins, daughter Hazel and son Phinnaeus. Since then, their family has grown to five, with the addition of son Henry in 2007.

6. Sarah Jessica Parker and Matthew Broderick: The talented couple's twin daughters, Loretta and Tabitha, were born via surrogate in 2009, seven years after the *Sex and the City* actress gave birth to their first child, son James Wilkie.

This Famous Couple Has Six Kids, And Two of Them Are Twins!

7. Angelina Jolie and Brad Pitt: This globe-trotting family of eight includes twins Knox and Vivienne, born in July 2008. This celebrity baby news got a lot of attention: The rights for the first images of the babies were sold to *Hello!* for 14 million dollars – the most expensive celebrity photos ever taken.

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8. Neil Patrick Harris and David Burtka: The How I Met Your Mother actor and his fiancé welcomed twins, son Gideon and daughter Harper, in 2010, born via a surrogate.

9. Rebecca Romijn and Jerry O'Connell: The Hollywood couple became parents to fraternal twin daughters, Dolly and Charlie, in 2008, just over a year after they married. Dolly is named after singer Dolly Parton, and Charlie is named after her dad's brother (a former *Bachelor* star!).

10. Julie Bowen and Scott Philips: The *Modern Family* actress and her husband of a decade are parents to three sons: Oliver, born in 2007, and twins John and Gustav, born in 2009.

Who are your favorite celebrity babies? Tell us in the comments below!

10 Celebrity Moms Over 40





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Mariah Carey

Always known for living big, Carey not only had twins, Moroccan and Monroe, at the age of 42, but they were born on April 30 -- Carey and husband Nick Cannon's third wedding anniversary! To celebrate the special occasion, the couple renewed their wedding vows in the hospital with help from Rev. Al Sharpton. But the pregnancy wasn't easy. She suffered a miscarriage in 2008, followed by acupuncture and hormone treatments to boost fertility before getting pregnant. Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon. Photo: Juan Rico/Fame Pictures

Celebrity Couple Predictions: Mariah Carey, Mila Kunis and Lupita Nyong'o



By <u>Shoshi</u>

For today's column, let's take a look at three celebrity couples that are hot topics of relationship gossip — whether

it's because of a whirlwind relationship that's still going strong, a seemingly-perfect twosome that recently announced their engagement and pregnancy, or a possible new coupling:

Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon: Since the day these two got together, they've made headlines. Their quick wedding had people predicting that they'd be divorced within months. Looks like the critics were wrong – at least for now! This quirky couple is celebrating six years of marriage yesterday.

Cannon has been very verbal about their sex life, even to the degree that it can be too much information. Did we really need to know that a lot of nookie is what keeps their relationship alive? Carey is not always thrilled that her hubby shares their marriage with the world. As a matter of fact, it's reported that she told him to stop talking about all of the women he was with before her because she didn't want to hear about it anymore.

Even though there are a lot of questions that surround them, this couple is a good fit. Since they started dating, Carey has calmed down, while Cannon has grown up a bit. They both enjoy adventures, so they always seem to be dressing up in costumes or doing something fun with their twins. On the flip slide, the songstress is not fond of the comic's antics, which causes some stress and strain on their marriage. There may come a day when she is totally over his behavior, but it won't happen until their children are older.

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Mila Kunis and Ashton Kutcher: This adorable couple originally met while working on *That 70's Show* where their characters, Jackie and Kelso, dated and talked about having a baby. Looks like the show predicted real life since they're engaged with a baby on the way! All is looking good for the famous pair, and there shouldn't be any roadblocks before their upcoming wedding. The two of them are just enjoying all of the good things in their lives. They're an ideal duo since they have the same values and are both down-to-earth in their approach to life.

I do, however, see a bit of back-and-forth when it comes to their prenuptial agreement. Kutcher's divorce from Demi Moore is still fresh on his mind, so he knows how things can go down if a marriage ends. Other than sorting out these financial details, everything is wonderful. From what I can see in their relationship, their prenup will never need to be used.

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Lupita Nyong'o and Jared Leto: Recently named the most beautiful person in the world, it's all good in the lovable actress's world. What exactly is going on in her dating life? She's extremely hot right now, so the men must be lining up to see what she is all about. Nyong'o has been linked to Academy Award winner Jared Leto and rapper K'naan.

As much as I would love to see Nyong'o with Leto, it's not happening. It's fun to see the actor flirt with Nyong'o, and they would make such a gorgeous couple (can you imagine their kids?), but it looks like the *12 Years a Slave* star spends more quality time with K'naan.

Nyong'o is not thinking about dating around right now. Besides Leto, she gets attention from some of the best looking men in Hollywood. As for those rumors saying that she is going to run off and marry her rapper boyfriend, don't believe them. The spirits say that she'll soon be dating a sexy Hollywood actor who has been smitten with her for a while.

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