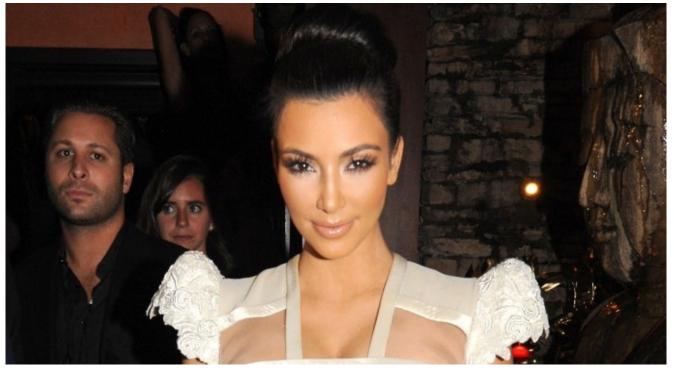
Kim Kardashian Blames TV for Lack of Love Life





Kim Kardashian's not too happy with sharing the spotlight, but it's not her sisters she's worried about – it's her boyfriends. The reality star is planning on staying single for awhile, and blames the constant camera attention for complicating her love life. Kardashian told <u>US Magazine</u> that being single "is a lot easier" than trying to "figure out who likes me for really me (and) who wants to be on a show."

The star's ex, Dallas Cowboys' player Miles Austin, reportedly loved the attention he got from Kardashian's show. As she prepares to begin shooting *Kim and Kourtney Take New York*, in which Kim and her sister will open a new boutique in the Big Apple, she looks forward to remaining single. "This was like, for me, the perfect time to come to New York, because I'm single," she says. "I just felt like I kind of wanted a fresh start."

What are some things that get in the way of love?

Cupid's Advice:

Relationships can be a lot of work, and there tends to be obstacles nearly every couple has to overcome. Cupid has some ideas on how to work around these issues:

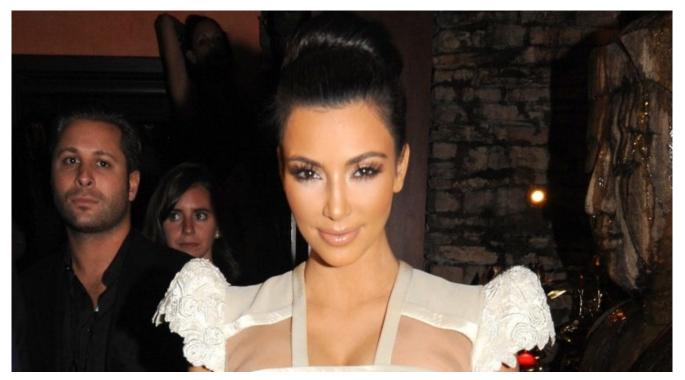
1. Time: Like most things in life, relationships require a lot of time in order to flourish. While it may be difficult to balance all the aspects of your life, try to take at least 15 minutes a day to show your partner that you care about him or her.

2. Distance: Particularly in new relationships, distance can cause some issues. If you're not living together, try to make sure you communicate in some small way daily, even if it's just a text that says "hi" – that way, you'll stay on each others' minds.

3. Harmony: Variety can add depth and health to any relationship, but balancing opposing viewpoints or interests can make things tough. Stay open-minded about what your partner likes, believes and wants, but make sure you also stay true to yourself. Make sure to communicate about conflicts when the need arises.

Is Miles Austin Less Famous Without Kim Kardashian?





Dallas Cowboys player Miles Austin and reality bombshell Kim Kardashian may have recently split, but neither of them are feeling much remorse. But Austin does miss the attention that came with dating Kardashian. An insider told <u>Us Weekly</u> that the athlete "liked [Kardashian] to an extent, but he loved the publicity a lot more. Sitting on the floor of the Lakers game with her was better than any commercial of him that would ever run." Kardashian wasn't the only person used in the relationship, however. She would bring her NFL beau when she needed a date for an event. Though the relationship didn't work, the pair are both moving forward. States the insider, "[Austin] thought [Kardashian] was cool, but by no means is he heartbroken."

Is your beau dating you for the right reasons?

Cupid's Advice:

It may seem like the perfect relationship, but always be wary

of ulterior motives. Cupid has a few tell-tale signs of a hidden agenda:

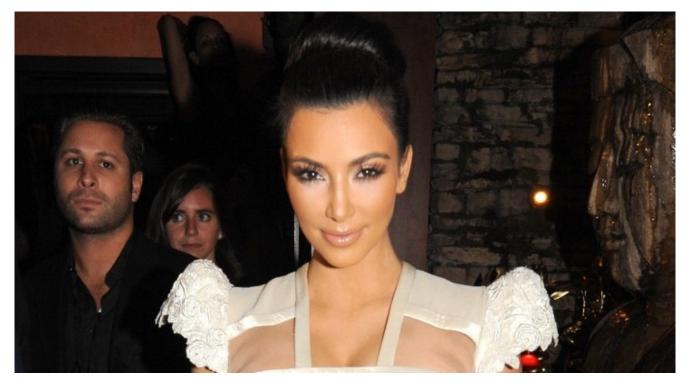
1. Eagerness: He wants to take you everywhere. He wants to tell all of his friends that he's dating you and shows no restraint in his excitement. While this may be legitimate, it could also mean that he's only interested in trying to impress others. Make sure he's still excited when you're alone together, too.

2. Reluctance: The opposite of eagerness, his reluctance to talk about you with his friends could mean that he's shy, or it could also mean that he's ashamed. He may feel that you are only a temporary solution, and not worth his time or excitement.

3. You're out of his league: If you have turned down most of his friends, then chances are part of him views you as a challenge. While you may be genuinely happy, he may only be thinking about how successful he is in dating a girl like you.

Kim Kardashian and Miles Austin Take a Break





Brunette bombshell Kim Kardashian has split from yet another NFL beau. <u>RadarOnline</u> reports that the reality TV star is taking a break from Dallas Cowboys boyfriend, Miles Austin. Even though Kim once said that she'd never date another football player, Cupid has reported on her tendency to date the same type. As with her split from ex-beau Reggie Bush, Kim is spending some time alone post-breakup. A source close to the couple said that the pair split before Kim departed for a European trip to promote her E! show Keeping Up With the "It's typical after a breakup for Kim to take Kardashians. some time by herself," the source told RadarOnline. "When she broke up with Reggie, she went to Mexico and now after her break with Miles she went to Europe."

Is it healthy to go on vacation right after a breakup?

Cupid's Advice:

After calling it quits, you often need time to yourself to think things over, and sometimes a vacation is the best bet. Cupid has some reasons it may be okay to take a break after a break-up:

1. Vacate your life: Separating yourself from your life back

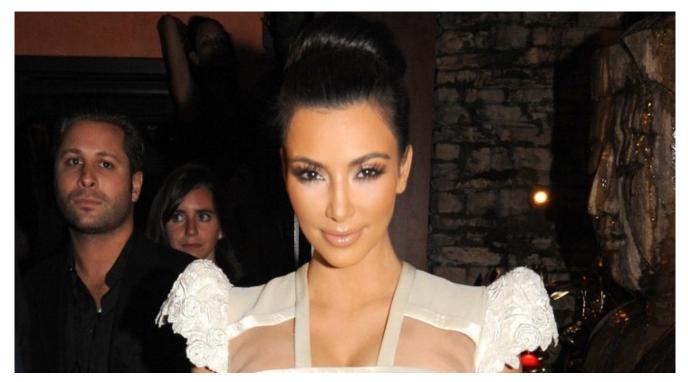
home gives you the time and space you need to mull things over and figure out what went wrong. Leaving your everyday routine can give you a fresh perspective on what you want out of a relationship.

2. Spend time alone: Going away by yourself can help you avoid jumping into another relationship right away. Being alone will remind you how self-sufficient and independent you can be.

3. Have fun: After you've spent a considerable amount of time thinking about your relationship, forget it! Enjoy your break, and go all out doing things your ex never wanted to do with you.

Kim Kardashian and Miles Austin Dine at Chili's





Kim Kardashian and new boyfriend, Dallas Cowboys wide receiver, Miles Austin recently enjoyed the two for \$20 dinner special at Chili's Restaurant. Kardashian had been visiting Austin in Oxnard, CA, where the Cowboys were at summer training camp. As an eyewitness told <u>RadarOnline</u>, "I can't believe it. Kim Kardashian eating at Chili's. It was just funny seeing her get out of her big Bentley and walk into Chili's."

Do dates have to be expensive to be meaningful?

Cupid's Advice:

Spending a fortune on a date does not guarantee priceless memories or even a second date. The five-star experience is great, but you can't buy love. Cupid has some things to consider when it comes to spending money on a date:

1. Love is priceless: It's not about the money you spend on someone, but the connection you make with them.

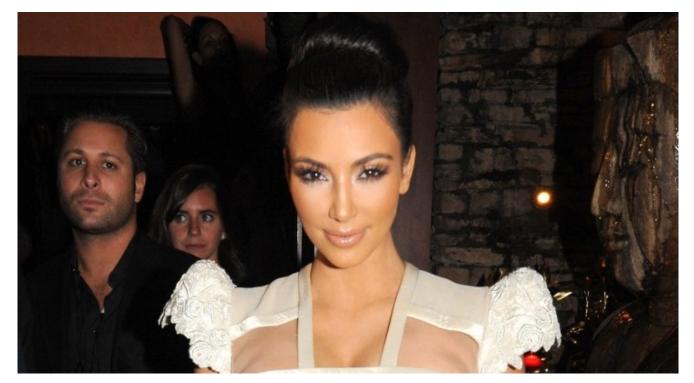
2. Finding love can be free: Many happy couples have gotten to know each other by taking a walk together or watching television at home. You don't have to spend money to have a

wonderful time with your mate.

3. Make dating a treat: Once you've made the connection and have money to spend, there's nothing wrong with doing something extravagant. Be a big spender once in a while, but know that how much you spend on someone has nothing to do with the quality of your time together.

Kim Kardashian's New Flame





A little over two months after her breakup with longtime boyfriend Reggie Bush, Kim Kardashian has her eyes on yet another football star – The Dallas Cowboy's Miles Austin. After meeting at an L.A. restaurant, the two have kept in touch, and have even gone on a few dates. An insider told <u>People</u>, "It's going really well." While they aren't officially dating, the relationship seems promising. The two are reportedly "taking it slow." A friend of the couple said that Kardashian "thinks he's a really good guy. He's really sweet to her..... He thinks Kim is his dream girl." Is it wise to date the same type?

Cupid's Advice:

Sometimes it's easy to find yourself frequently drawn to the same kind of man. Before entering a relationship with yet another "type" of guy, consider Cupid's suggestions:

1. Are you hurt? If you constantly date the same type of man and find yourself hurt at the end of a relationship, then it's time for something new. On the other hand, if your relationships are healthy and usually end with some kind of mutual agreement, then your choice in men is fine the way it is.

2. Do you ever wish for more? Similar men typically have similar shortcomings. If your current relationship does not offer all you wish for, chances are, your typecast guy will leave you with the same feelings. Make a change if you're unhappy.

3. Step out of your comfort zone: If you've been dating the same kind of guy since high school and find yourself hurt and unhappy in relationships, then you need something different. It may be difficult at first, but putting yourself out there and dating people that you would normally pass by or disregard could prove to be rewarding.

For more info on types of partners, check out <u>Cupid's</u> <u>interview</u> with Andrea Syrtash's, author of *He's Just Not Your Type (and that's a good thing).*