

Date Idea: Stroll Through a Museum



By [Sarah Batcheller](#) and [Mara Miller](#)

Searching for an exciting date idea this weekend? Plan a trip to a local museum! You can spend the entire day with your significant other and get an educational and entertaining experience at the same time.

Head to a Museum for a Culturally-Influenced Date Idea

When choosing which museum to visit, think about your interests. If you want to learn more about a specific event in

history, such as the Holocaust, find a museum that has a section for that. Do you live in Washington, D.C.? The United States Holocaust Memorial Museum is one of the best Holocaust museums in America. If your man is a space or aviation fanatic, follow this [love advice](#) and take him to the National Air and Space Museum, also in D.C., on your next weekend date idea.

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If you're more fascinated with contemporary art, the New Museum in New York is the best place to go. It even has a Sky Room that provides a stunning view of Manhattan's skyline. If you live in Chicago, the Museum of Contemporary Art is also on the list of top ten museums in America.

Planetariums and aquariums make for great date ideas too. The American Museum of Natural History in New York exhibits a variety of shows in their planetarium, ranging from outer space to the function of the brain. The New York Aquarium is also popular. From sea lions to sharks, you'll certainly stay busy!

Museums are great because of all the opportunity for conversation, especially if you're going on a first date. Still, whether it's your first or fifty-first outing together, there's always something fun to enjoy. Strolling down various corridors and stumbling upon new exhibits will give you and your partner time to bond over your mutual fascination for the museum's focus. The quietness of a museum makes for good romance too, and it'll cause you to feel closer to your partner. While immersed in a century-old Greek oil painting, the two of you will feel like you're the only ones in the room, like you're in an entirely different world.

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Once you're tired of hushed voices and "Do Not Touch" signs, you can head over to the cafe or bakery that many museums

typically offer their guests. There, you'll be able to discuss all the wonders you've seen and continue your conversation. Don't forget to stop by the gift shop on your way out and pick up a memento of your day!

Do you have any great museums, planetariums or aquariums in mind? Share your date idea with us!

Date Idea: Give Thanks to One Another



By [Melissa Lee](#)

It's that time of year again. It's time for family, friends,

and slaving over a hot stove.

Are you a newlywed worried about preparing your first Thanksgiving dinner? Don't worry, you're not the only one! Cupid's got you covered, and you may be able to make this into a date idea.

First you have to determine how many people you'll be entertaining. Try checking out some recipes for large groups of people. These recipes will make it very easy to cook for a crowd. For a small, intimate crowd, try some unique appetizers that will fit perfectly on a small side table, like cheese fondue.

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Too lazy to cook? Don't worry. Many food stores sell ready-to-go Thanksgiving dishes. If you live in the Manhattan area, be sure to consider these marketplaces.

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After the meal, when all waistbands at the table are comfortably tight, be sure to have a dessert prepared. If you want to stay traditional, be sure to have the all-American pumpkin pie waiting in the oven. For those who don't have a taste for pumpkin pie, try having an assortment of cookies, brownies, and ice cream on standby.

Have any romantic Thanksgiving recipes to share? Comment below and share with our other readers.

Date Idea: Pretend You're a King and Queen



By [Melissa Lee](#)

With another potential royal wedding coming down the line, there's no better time to go on a date that makes your partner feel like a king or a queen.

Enjoy living like a king or a queen

for the weekend with these date ideas.

One of the most classically royal things to do is to attend a ball. It doesn't have to be Cinderella-level on decadence, but with the holidays approaching there are plenty of charity balls and events from which to choose. Some are invite-only, but others only require a donation for a seat. It's the perfect excuse to get all gussied up, and it's for a good cause, too! Cities like Chicago and Boston have a bunch this holiday season!

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While you likely won't be able to get to the ball in a horse drawn carriage, you can take a ride in one afterward. Central Park in NYC is famous for its horse-drawn carriage rides, but many other city parks offer them as well.

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For a more cost-effective royal feeling, take a tour of the nearest high end jewelry store near you. Tiffany's or Cartier will work, but remember you're just there to browse – unless you actually are a royal, in which case, buy away!

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If you're really in the monarchy spirit and feel like helping a good cause, check out a showing of the [Great Orchestra Christmas Charity](#).

Have a date that made you feel like king or queen of the world? Comment below and share with our other readers.

Date Idea: Early Morning Ideas



By [Melissa Lee](#)

Ever hear the expression, "The early bird gets the worm?"
Well, it's true in love as well!

This weekend Cupid has some date ideas for the early morning riser

who wants to get a head start on love.

There's no date more romantic than a hot air balloon ride.

With daylight savings now in place, we all get an extra hour of sun in the morning, and you can soak it up with your favorite loved one. This date is best at sunrise, but can also be taken at sundown, too. Any time of day, the views of all landscapes will be great as fall colors will be ablaze beneath you.

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For a more cost effective date, there's always breakfast. But don't go out to any old pancake house. Stay in and make breakfast together! Watch an early morning classic like "The Breakfast Club," or skip the news in favor of a more comedic take with *Anchorman*. Nothing starts the day better than mixing things up a little bit.

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Either one of these can be followed by an early morning walk; just the two of you, before the rest of the world is awake.

Have a favorite morning date tradition of your own? Comment below and share with our other readers.

Date Idea: Be Daring on Your

Date



By [Melissa Lee](#)

Need ideas for a date this weekend? It's time to take some risks and go on an adventure with your special someone.

Not every date needs to be the classic standby of dinner and a movie anymore, and there are fun and original date ideas even for the more faint of heart.

Like the idea of still getting a meal out of your evening? There are plenty of cooking classes thrown by institutes and

even some more exclusive restaurants.

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Want to put some funk in the evening? Channel your inner Pauly D or Samantha Ronson and take a DJ-ing class together! You could even learn to mix your very own “song” for the two of you...or just a fun dance mix. Check out places like [Dubspot](#) for more information.

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If you’re feeling more adventurous, you could check out everything from indoor skydiving in a wind tunnel to taking lessons that could land you under the big top! “[Simply Circus](#)” offers classes in a variety of circus-inspired activities for anyone who dares.

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Lastly, “[zorbing](#)” is a new and fun activity that could lead to a date never to be forgotten. Check it out to see what we mean!

Have a favorite couple’s adventure of your own? Comment below and share with our other readers.

Celebrity Couple News: Gwen Stefani & Blake Shelton Hold

Hands & Share Kiss at Radio Disney Awards



By [Stephanie Sacco](#)

Blake Shelton and Gwen Stefani are quite the pair. This [celebrity couple](#) is now seen as being in a full-fledged romance. In [celebrity news](#), [date night](#) for these two consists of various outings that result in adorable amounts of PDA. According to [UsMagazine.com](#), *The Voice* stars attended the Radio Disney Awards, where Stefani accepted her award with a kiss from Shelton. They were also seen holding hands throughout the event. This couple seems to be thriving in the aftermath of their [celebrity divorces](#).

This new celebrity couple's relationship is going strong! What are some ways to show you care in public?

Cupid's Advice:

Sometimes it's hard for your partner to be affectionate in public. At any age, mixed signals and misunderstandings are common. When you're dating somebody, it's important to show them that you care. Cupid's here to help:

1. Holding hands: A small, subtle way to show you care for your partner is by holding their hand. Even briefly holding or squeezing your partner's hands can show them just how much you care about them.

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2. Smiling: Give your partner a smile every once in a while to show them you're thinking of them. When you're holding their hand, walking or even just sitting together, make sure you are happy. Enjoy each other's company.

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3. Eye contact: Look into your partner's eyes and really pay attention to them. Focus on them and only them when you're out. Even small amounts of PDA can create chemistry between the two of you.

What are some other ways to show you care in public? Share your thoughts below.

'Bachelor in Paradise': Ashley I. Is Ready to Give Up Virginity to Win Jared



By Mackenzie Scibetta

[Bachelor in Paradise](#) cast member Ashley Iaconetti, who is notoriously known for her conservative views on sex, might have finally found the right guy to lose her virginity to. According to [UsMagazine.com](#), Ashley happily told cameras, "I don't know what's going to happen tonight, but I may not be a virgin tomorrow!" Ashley gave her potential celebrity love, Jared Haibon, an invite to spend the night privately in

the fantasy suite, in which the cameras are turned off and anything can happen.

Bachelor in Paradise is nothing if not full of drama this season! How do you know when you're ready to lose your virginity?

Cupid's Advice:

There are a lot of differing opinions about how to tell when it's the right time to lose your virginity, however, you shouldn't be swayed by other people because only you can truly tell when you're ready. Cupid has some love advice to help you decide if you're ready to take the next step in your relationship:

1. Ask yourself what you want losing your virginity to mean: Think about why you want to lose your virginity and decide if you're satisfied with those reasons. Only you can decide how it will make you feel but make sure it will bring positive emotions. You don't want to lose your virginity to please anyone else except yourself.

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2. Inform yourself: Know all of the consequences that come with having sex, such as harmful STD's and the potential risk of pregnancy. Once you accept this risks and feel that you understand them then you should feel more confident about deciding if you're ready or not for sex.

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3. You trust and are comfortable with your partner: Your first time can be overwhelmingly intimidating so you want to have a partner who will be there for you. This doesn't mean you necessarily need to be in love with them, but you want someone who will be understanding if you decide you aren't ready and someone who can help ease your nerves.

What love advice do you have for someone unsure about having sex for the first time? Share in the comments below.

Celebrity News: Caitlyn Jenner Addresses Candis Cayne Dating Rumors on 'I Am Cait'





By Mackenzie Scibetta

Ever since her transformation, [Caitlyn Jenner](#) has been lighting up celebrity news outlets with an array of dating rumors. Now, according to [UsMagazine.com](#), she's finally commenting on one of these rumors. On the second episode of her [reality TV](#) series *I Am Cait*, Caitlyn blushed as she called transgender model and close friend Candis Cayne "a very attractive lady" while showing off photos of their recent hangout. Jenner said that although Candis is "a beautiful woman", she is unsure about a future romance. "As far as dating and the future, I have absolutely no idea," said Jenner.

This latest celebrity news clears things up. What do you do if there are rumors about your relationship circulating?

Cupid's Advice:

While not all gossip is harmful, it is often unwanted. Rumors are often distorted versions of the truth that, if left unhandled, could put a damper on your love life. Cupid offers dating advice on how to successfully deal with relationship rumors without letting it bring you down.

1. Be honest: It's no secret that honesty is the best policy so false rumors should be refuted as soon as possible to prevent it from spreading further. Your relationship is between you and your loved one but if opening up about a few things will help stop a nasty rumor then go for it! It will make you seem mature and sophisticated.

Related Link: [Celebrity Gossip: Caitlyn Jenner Is Not Dating Candis Cayne Despite Rumors](#)

2. Ignore it: Some rumors are just plain ridiculous and don't even deserve a reaction. Depending on the nature of the rumor, the best thing to do might be to continue on with your life and wait for the rumor to pass. The lifespan of most rumors is so minuscule that most people will forget by the end of the week.

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3. Address it: Go somewhere between honesty and ignoring by following the footsteps of Caitlyn Jenner of addressing the rumor, but still keeping aspects of privacy. Respond to relationship rumors by offering vague details so that your love life can remain private while still keeping the gossip sharks happy.

What advice do you have for dealing with rumors? Let us know below!

Justin Bieber Says He Isn't Looking for a Romantic Relationship Right Now



By Meranda Yslas

Sorry ladies, it seems that Justin Bieber isn't looking for a new girlfriend anytime soon. As told in UsMagazine.com, Bieber is happy being a single celebrity. The singer shared, "At this point in my life I'm so focused on myself that I'm not looking for a girlfriend. I'm just trying to make sure I'm 100 percent so I can add to the person I want to be with. I want a girl I can trust, who I can lean on. This business is hard, and I

want someone I can confide in.” As the 21 year old star is concentrating on himself, his romantic relationships are taking the backseat.

You won't find any romantic relationships here! What are some reasons to delay entering into a new relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Sure; relationships and love are fun, but they aren't always what you need. Sometimes the best love advice is to take time for yourself and figure out what you want. Here are Cupid's reason for holding off starting a new romantic relationship:

1. Not willing to settle: Don't get into a relationship for the sake of being in an relationship. If you're waiting for your Mr. or Mrs. Right, then you can keep waiting and not settle for flings that you know aren't going to last.

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2. Learning to be happy alone: It's not always the best idea to constantly rely on other people to make you happy and feel good about yourself. This is something you can do on your own! Being single will allow you to learn about yourself and learn how to make yourself happy.

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3. Guilt free fun: Nothing is more exciting than seeing someone cute and giving them a wink or a smile as you walk by. If you were in a relationship you may have to second guess these small flirtatious acts. Being single allows you to dance

with whomever you want without the guilt of hurting your partner.

What are some benefits of the single life? Share below!

5 Valentine's Day Celebrity Engagements



By Maria Darbenzio and Molly Jacob

Valentine's Day is the holiday of relationships and love, so what better way to celebrate than getting down on one knee, popping open the ring box, and asking your partner to spend a lifetime with you? While some may find proposing on VDay to be

cheesy, these celebrity couples do not agree.

Check out these five Valentine's Day celebrity engagements:

1. Christina Aguilera and Matthew Rutler: On Valentine's Day last year, the singer revealed her celebrity engagement to her film producer boyfriend by tweeting a photo of a massive diamond on her left hand. This celebrity couple met on the set of *Burlesque* in 2010, as she was going through a divorce from Jordan Bratman (a divorce that, ironically enough, was finalized on Valentine's Day in 2011). Looks like Rutler "Ain't No Other Man" in Aguilera's eyes!

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2. Dave Annable and Odette Yustman: In 2010, Annable, most known for his role on *Brothers and Sisters*, proposed to his co-star girlfriend of two years. He proposed at the place they first fell in love and had their parents waiting for them at the hotel restaurant. The actress was surprised by the proposal and excited that she got to share it immediately with her parents and future in-laws. This celebrity engagement did not last long – the twosome got married eight months later!

3. Vince Vaughn and Kyla Weber: For this couple, the engagement had been discussed months before it actually happened. Little did Weber know, her comedian boyfriend did not want to pass up the opportunity of proposing on Valentine's Day. Not only was it a romantic holiday, but it was also a date that he said he would always remember. In 2009, Vaughn got down on one knee and proposed to the Canadian real estate agent. She said yes, and this celebrity couple is now married with two children.

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4. Harrison Ford and Calista Flockhart: Actor and producer Ford decided to take his relationship with Flockhart to the next level in 2009. Prior to that Valentine's Day, this celebrity couple had been together for seven year. When Ford asked her to marry him, it's reported that she was taken by complete surprise.

5. Christina Applegate and Martyn LeNoble: The *Anchorman* star and her Dutch bassist beau got engaged on Valentine's Day in 2010. This celebrity love story gets sweeter. According to the *Daily Mail*, Christina gives credit to LeNoble for saving her life after she had a double mastectomy in 2008. The celebrity couple wed three years later in February 2013.

What are your thoughts on a Valentine's Day proposal? Share in the comments below!

'Match' Teaches the Art of Deception





By [Courtney Omernick](#)

In the new movie *Match*, a husband and wife team interview Tobi Powell, an aging Juilliard dance professor, for a dissertation she's writing about dance in the 1960's. However, as the interview continues, it becomes clear that the couple has an ulterior motive.

Should you see it:

If you enjoy stories about love, art, and responsibility, then this film is for you! The movie also features an amazing cast with actors like Patrick Stewart, Matthew Lillard, and Carla Gugino.

Who to take:

This romantic drama would be great to see with your friends or your significant other. If you're still home for the holidays, you can go with your family too.

How do you deal with deception in a relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Feeling cheated or deceived in a relationship can be a tough thing to bounce back from. Sometimes, you would rather leave the relationship than try to rebuild. However, there is hope. Below are a few things you can do to help you through the deception in your relationship:

1. Make a decision: The first step to moving on is making a decision. Do you want to save the relationship? Are you willing to put your trust in this person again? Worrying and contemplating just makes things worse.

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2. Let go of anger: During this time, face your feelings and utilize a journal to get them out. If you need to, burn the paper afterwards.

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3. Take care of yourself: Be sure to eat healthy, drink a lot of water, exercise, and try to laugh as much as you can.

How have you dealt with deception in your relationship? Share your stories in the comments!

Avril Lavigne Receives 17-Carat Ring for Wedding Anniversary



By Sanetra Richards

Diamonds are forever and are definitely a girl's best friend, right? Avril Lavigne's husband, Chad Kroeger, is certainly incorporating both of those sayings into their one-year anniversary celebration. According to UsMagazine.com, the *Nickelback* singer gifted his wife with quite a rock. "I still can't believe my 1 year anniversary gift," Lavigne shared on Twitter on Thursday, July 31. "17 carat emerald cut. Wow. I love my hubby," she included, alongside her new and shiny ring and beloved hubby. In August 2012, the "*Far Away*" singer proposed to the pop-rock songstress with almost just as much bling . . . a 14-carat pear-shaped diamond ring. The two married in July 2013, surrounded by 50 guests in the South of France.

What are some creative inexpensive anniversary gifts to give your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

It's that special time of the year, again! You and your honey are celebrating your relationship/marriage and want to show each other how much you do indeed adore one another, as well as appreciate the time spent together. You want something that symbolizes your love, but is not too flashy and gaudy. Cupid has some romantic gift ideas that will not put a hole in your pocket:

1. Scrapbook: Bind together a collection of photos capturing memories of you and your partner. From the beginning stages of the relationship to where you are now. Write cute captions underneath each picture, maybe love quotes or short poems.

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2. Basket: Over the year(s), you have learned exactly what your partner likes. So, why not take all of their favorites and piece together a lots of love basket? Perhaps they want tickets to a sporting game in the near future, add that in. Or possibly, they want to have a day of pampering, include some gift cards to salons in the area.

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3. Videotape: Just like a photograph, a video recording can last a lifetime. Record yourself doing something memorable for your significant other. Do you have a specific poem in mind that describes your love? Recite it. Is there a song that takes you down memory lane? Sing it. Want to get something off of your heart? Say it.

What are some inexpensive, yet romantic, anniversary gifts that you'd give your partner? Share your ideas below.

Justin Theroux Surprises Jennifer Aniston at Photo Shoot



By Sanetra Richards

Although these two have been engaged since 2012, Justin Theroux still manages to keep his lady happy and on cloud nine. According to UsMagazine.com, the *Leftovers* star took fiancée Jennifer Aniston by surprise when he surprised her at a photo shoot with Chris McMillan, longtime stylist and business partner, on Monday, July 28th. “Justin actually showed up as a surprise to Jen,” says an insider. “He turned

up a couple of hours into the shoot. She was nearing the end of the shoot when he snuck in to say 'Hi.'" The *Friends* alum, who made her entrance at the shoot wearing simply blue jeans and a white top, Aniston, was filled with joy when her eyes met with her future husband's. "She clearly wasn't expecting to see Justin because she squealed when he showed up," added the source. "They hugged and he gave her a kiss and then he watched the end of the job." The 45-year-old actress recently talked to Women's Wear Daily about her love, saying, "He's so graceful and utterly kind and golden. He's just so beautiful and handsome to me."

What are three ways to keep the spontaneity alive in your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Wanting to keep the flame going with your partner? You have been together for some time now, and are looking for ways to spice things up. Of course, your butterflies are still in tact and do not seem to be going anywhere anytime soon. But to ensure that, Cupid has some ways to keep the fire lit for eternity:

1. Maintain the new/fresh feeling: Remember that exciting moment when you were about to go on your first date with your significant other? You probably could not stop grinning and gushing about it afterwards. Do not let that feeling ever die. Keep doing exactly what you did to win your partner's heart.

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2. Continue the fun convos: Laughing is good for the soul . . . and for your heart. Be willing to go an extra mile by telling a corny joke, just to bring a smile to your love's face. Share your most embarrassing stories. Have a good time together!

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3. Do not be overbearing: Fun police, fun snatcher, do not be either. If there is ever a time when they randomly want to watch their all-time favorite movie with you, go along with it. If they want to go to a sporting event with you, go along with it. Although the words may not verbally come out, he or she wants to spend time with you, no matter what the activity may be.

How do you keep the spark in your relationship going? Share your thoughts below.

Sofia Vergara and Joe Manganiello Pack on PDA on Double Date





By Sanetra Richards

Let the introductions begin! According to UsMagazine.com, an eyewitness spotted Sofia Vergara and boyfriend Joe Manganiello grabbing a bite to eat and certainly enjoying other's company before meeting up with Joe's brother, Nick Manganiello, and his pregnant wife, Lena, on Monday, July 21st. The love birds began their night with dinner at WP24 by Wolfgang Puck in downtown Los Angeles' Ritz-Carlton hotel. Afterward, the two joined Nick and Lena at the Staples Center for Lady Gaga's concert. "Sofia and Joe were completely making out at the table, very touchy-feely the whole time," says the eyewitness. "Sofia was talking [a lot] and was very animated." The *Modern Family* actress shared a photo of her VIP access on Instagram: "@Manologonzalezvergara dont be jelooooous," she captioned, joking with her son, Manolo. In addition, she shared with fans a photo of herself and Gaga, saying, "Gracias JM gracias NM Sorry Manolo," apologizing to her son and thanking Nick and Joe, who were invited by Gaga to attend the show.

What are three fun activities for double dates?

Cupid's Advice:

What comes to mind when you think of double dates? Probably endless stories from when you tried it as a teenager, and maybe even a few adult ones. Although single dates can be intimate and romantic, there's nothing wrong with switching it up every now and again. Invite your mutual friends out for a little double date fun! Cupid has some activity ideas to consider when you want to add some company in the mix:

1. Amusement park: Rollercoasters, funnel cakes, cotton candy, games & attractions . . . the list goes on and on. You are destined to have a good time while at an amusement park. Plus, this is the perfect chance to channel your inner child. A group of friends screaming at the top of their lungs on a ride that overlooks the city. Sounds like nothing short of a good time!

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2. Concert: Have a favorite artist in common with your coupled friends? Purchase tickets for the artist's able that may be coming to town. If it is outdoors, grab a blanket, some food/drinks, and call it a picnic at a concert!

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3. Random activity: Find a class that may be going on for the day, such as a dance or art session, and sign you all up for it. The date will revolve more so around the participation, and less around the conversation. Maybe even make it a challenge for each couple (the losing pair owes the winners dinner?).

What are some other double date ideas? Share your suggestions below.

Jessica Simpson Posts Daring Pic of Eric Johnson



By Sanetra Richards

These newlyweds are still on Honeymoon Avenue! Jessica Simpson and husband Eric Johnson are certainly enjoying their lives together and the romance is exuding. According to UsMagazine.com, the singer and actress uploaded a photo on Instagram of her love having a little fun in the sunset. The caption simply stated, "Hallelujah," with her new husband showing his flexibility while posing with one foot on the balcony edge and the other on the roof. The 34-year-old athlete was dressed in shorts and T-shirt, and wore a smile as

an accessory while standing still for his wife to capture the moment.

What are some ways to capture romantic memories outside of pictures?

Cupid's Advice:

For decades, pictures have been one of the most common ways to have an actual tangible memory. Lately, you have been wanting to think outside of the box when it comes to capturing those special times with your partner, but nothing is coming to mind. Well, Cupid has some romantic ways to capture those sweet, precious memories other than by using photographs:

1. Love letters: Express your affection through a letter. May seem old-fashioned, but it takes time and thought to actually compose a few sentences in which you are telling your inner most feeling, AKA pouring your heart out on a piece of paper that can last a lifetime. Those words will leave an everlasting memory on your partner.

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2. Video footage: Use the camera for something else, like capturing a video. Your love can be shown for seconds, minutes, even hours if need be. Your significant other will also have this to look back at if they are ever missing your face AND voice. Record one of your silly moments together, for those times when they may need a good laugh. Record a time during one of your weekend dates, for those times when you want to reminisce. Cute idea, right?

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3. Small tokens: Give your partner a gift that will spark a memory you shared together, such as, a chocolate they may have

fallen in love with while you two were at a candy factory. It does not have to be an extravagant gift, just something to let them know you haven't forgotten the little things. . . and neither will they.

How do you capture the special times with your partner? Tell us below.

Penn Badgley Dating Domino Kirke



By Sanetra Richards

New couple alert! According to UsMagazine.com, Penn Badgley is

now dating Domino Kirke, sister of *Girls* star Jemima Kirke. The lovebirds were spotted in New York City taking a stroll on Wednesday, July 2nd. "They've been dating for awhile. They have a number of mutual friends. It is a very mature and free relationship," says a source. "Domino is a great girl for him, being a musician. Their interests align." Over the years, the 27-year-old actor/musician has been linked to Zoe Kravitz, daughter of Lenny Kravitz, as well as former *Gossip Girl* costar Blake Lively.

How can your career lead to a stable relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Balancing a relationship/dating and a career can be considered another job in itself. However, with the right person and the right career, it can be done with little to no trouble. Cupid has some ways this may happen:

1. On the same page: Being with someone who understands exactly what you are looking for and what you need is a breath of fresh air, especially when your career has consumed a good amount of your life. Despite all of this, the two of you have talked and are all for putting in the effort to make it work.

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2. Time permits: Whether your work is super busy or whether it is more so laid-back, you can still be able to set aside some time for a little quality time and TLC with your partner. With a steady career, you have the opportunity to devote yourself to someone and it will not seem like another load added on.

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3. Still willing to put in effort: If you and your partner are up for the challenge that may come along with having a

relationship and a career (no matter the pace), it can certainly prosper. As stated before, communicate thoroughly and schedule time one for each other, and you are halfway there!

What are some ways a career can lead to a stable relationship? Share your thoughts below.

David Arquette Is Engaged to Girlfriend Christina McLarty



By Sanetra Richards

We hear wedding bells! According to UsMagazine.com, David

Arquette is soon-to-be a married man. The 42-year-old actor proposed to his girlfriend, Christina McLarty, while in Malibu on Wednesday, July 2nd. Just shy of a week ago, news broke that Arquette's ex-wife, Courteney Cox, announced her engagement to *Snow Patrol*'s Johnny McDaid. A source reports the *Scream* star asked for the entertainment reporter's hand during a family dinner at the restaurant Mastro's Steakhouse with their 2-month old son, Charlie West, and Arquette and Cox's 10-year-old daughter, Coco. The insider also revealed Arquette had the proposal "planned it for a while" and has "known he wanted to marry Christina for a long time." Coincidental or not, the engagements between the former married couple are days apart. "David was just waiting for the right time," says another source, "He and Courteney both talked about taking the next step in their relationships ... They both want what's best for each other."

What are some ways to surprise your partner with a proposal?

Cupid's Advice:

Lately you have been thinking about getting on one knee and asking your love for their hand in marriage. Many ideas have crossed your mind, but you are unsure of how to keep it all a secret. Cupid has a few tips that will help:

1. Keep them out of the loop completely: The first thing to do is to keep your lips sealed. Do not disclose any information or clues that will leave your partner curious. Once they begin to think you are about to pop the question, the "surprise" is ruined. This also applies to anyone else who may be in on the game plan. Remember, secret is the keyword!

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2. Act normal: Try not to be unusual – be yourself. If your soul mate starts to suspect you are up to something, they will

begin to snoop until they find out what is going on.

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3. Be creative: Ask the big question in a way they will not expect. Maybe put it in the local newspaper that they read every day, or at one of your most memorable places.

What are some other ideas when surprising your partner with a proposal? Share your suggestions below.

George Clooney's Aunt Says Brad Pitt Will Be Best Man at Wedding





By Sanetra Richards

And may the best man win! According to UsMagazine.com (and Aunt Staria), George Clooney is in preparation for his big day with fiancé Amal Alamuddin and is considering Brad Pitt to be standing by his side. Staria, who is married to George's uncle Joe Clooney, revealed to the *Daily Mail* that she believes her nephew will choose no one other than the handsome A-list actor as his best man. "I would say he'd choose Brad Pitt for his best man," Staria said. "They are good friends, I would think that's who he'd choose." She also dished on where the wedding could possibly be . . . Italy! The former bachelor has a home in there in Lake Como. When it comes to where the wedding will be, Clooney's aunt went on to hint at Italy; the Oscar winner keeps a home there in Lake Como: "I do know that Nick and Nina [George's parents] are planning a trip over to Italy in the next week or so to, I guess, scope out some stuff," she said. Staria, who is an Ohio non-denominational minister went on to say she would be pleased to officiate the couple's nuptials and would say yes in a "heartbeat." Clooney asked for the lawyer's hand in marriage back in April. An insider told *Us*, "This is the

healthiest relationship I've ever seen George in ... he seems incredibly happy."

How do you select your wedding party without hurting your friends' feelings?

Cupid's Advice:

Planning a wedding is similar to making a life changing decision. You are constantly changing your mind, plus you want everything to be perfect – and on top of all of this, you have to deal with the opinions/suggestions of everyone else! In the midst of planning, comes the time when you must choose who is going to be in the wedding party . . . the icing on top of the cake! Cupid has some tips to ease the stress and tension when deciding:

1. Sticking to a certain size: Selecting a wedding party when you are basically a social butterfly, is similar to a life or death decision. Inform your friends, preferably one-on-one, that you are aiming for a specific number of bridesmaids or groomsmen. Let them know it is nothing personal against them or any favoritism, but you do not want to go over the limit you and your partner have agreed on.

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2. Budget: Having a large wedding party can be costly. If you are trying to achieve a money-friendly wedding, then the goal is to have as little people in the party as possible – inform them of this. Be wise when financially planning, although you may be tempted to have all ten of your BFFs standing beside you on the special day.

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3. Include them in other things: Just because they will not be

walking down the aisle prior to your entrance does not mean they cannot have a role in the most important moment of your life. Ask if they would like to be included in other various tasks, such as being ushers or greeters. It's worth a shot!

What are some ways to choose your wedding party without upsetting your friends? Share your thoughts below.

Kim Kardashian Says She and Kanye West Will 'Always Be in the Honeymoon Phase'



By Sanetra Richards

The flame will never die! Newlyweds Kim Kardashian and Kanye West are on cloud nine and are not coming down anytime soon. According to UsMagazine.com, the 33-year-old reality star had hearts in her eyes as she attended the *MailOnline* yacht party at the Cannes Lions Festival on Wednesday, June 18th: "I feel as though we'll always be in the honeymoon period," she told *MailOnline*. "I try to treat him like it's his birthday every single day. I think we'll always be like that." Despite their frequent long distance trips, Mrs. West credited talking constantly as their tool to remaining a happy couple. "We always try to make life as fun and enjoyable as possible," she continued. "We do travel, and work really hard, when we're together – and even when we're apart, we're always on the phone 24/7 – just trying to make that time as memorable as possible."

What are some ways to keep the spark alive in your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Losing that feeling you once had when you looked at your partner? Of course after being together for x amount of time, things begin to change. However, this does not mean they have to change for the worse. In fact, your relationship should be getting better over time. The butterflies should not fly away and that cheesy smile should not turn into a frown. But how do you exactly keep it all of this going when you have been with someone for so long? Cupid has some tips to help keep your relationship flame well-lit:

1. Reenact the first date: Remember that exciting moment when you were about to go on your first date with your significant other? You probably could not stop grinning and gushing about it afterwards. Well, you now have an opportunity to have that special day/night all over again! Turn one of your now regular

dates into the moment you both really met.

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2. Have goofy conversations: No matter how much your partner may think they know about you (and vice versa), there is always something slightly embarrassing or funny that they do not know. Have a night of sharing silly stories and secrets. Maybe tell them about the time you actually ate a mud pie (for example, of course).

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3. Be cool: You are probably wondering what that exactly means. It means . . . do not be the fun police. If your partner wants to watch their all-time favorite movie with you, go along with it. If they want to go to a sporting event with you, go along with it. Although the words may not verbally come out, the message is clear as day – he or she wants to spend time with you, no matter what the activity may be. Remember, just go along with it!

How do you keep the spark in your relationship going? Share your thoughts below.

Jenny McCarthy and Donnie Wahlberg Say Wedding Won't Be Like Kimye's



By Sanetra Richards

No Kimye copycats this way! According to UsMagazine.com, Donnie Wahlberg and wife-to-be Jenny McCarthy have their own wedding ideas in mind and are sticking to them. The 44-year-old New Kids on the Block singer laughed about how their ceremony will be the opposite of the Wests' luxurious nuptials: "We'll have a small wedding in a really beautiful place and we both want do it right this time," Wahlberg said to *Extra* at the NYC hotspot The Attic. "We've both been married before and we want to make it special – this is the last wedding." Wahlberg continued, "We're not getting married in Istanbul with eight million guests." McCarthy also added: "I won't have three dresses." "No seven dresses, not going to happen...that's their thing, good for them," said the *Blue Bloods* actor. McCarthy announced their engagement during an episode of the ABC daytime talk show *The View* back in April. Although no official dates or plans have been thought of yet,

the two have poked fun at where the reception could take place. The 41-year-old show co-host recently received an open invitation to have the celebration at one of the Applebee's locations after she joked to the *Boston Herald* about having the ceremony at the restaurant. "I thought it was very cute that Applebee's tweeted us, so we went in on it, we actually said maybe we should have them do the appetizers," she told *Extra*. "Or the wedding rehearsal dinner, it was really sweet of them," Walhberg said.

How do you personalize your wedding festivities?

Cupid's Advice:

A wedding is the perfect event to add your own personal ideas and touches to. After all, the entire ceremony is devoted to you and your partner. During all of the chaos that may be happening, it is possible to lose that vision you once had it mind. You may even find yourself adding the not so favorable ideas of others. So, how do you go about making it your own? Cupid has some tips to keep in mind while planning:

1. Venue: Try not to settle for a location that does not make your eyes light up every time you see it. This is your opportunity to decorate in any style you desire and let your creativity flourish throughout the decor. Your venue will reflect the wedding style you are aiming for.

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2. Music: The songs played represent the love you and your partner share. Each song is personal and means something to the both of you. Maybe choose your favorite artist(s) to play or favorite live band to perform.

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3. Reception: Give your guests a look inside your love by

leaving note cards on their tables of how you both met, memories created over time, or funny jokes shared between the two of you. This will keep the guests entertained from beginning to end.

What are some other ways to personalize your wedding? Share your thoughts below.

Pregnant Stacy Keibler Gushes About Husband Jared Pobre



By Sanetra Richards

Who knew pregnancy could look so good? Stacy Keibler shows off her bun in the oven on the cover of *Fit Pregnancy* June/July issue and talks about her love, husband Jared Pobre. According to UsMagazine.com, the 34-year-old actress opened up about how Pobre gave her a new outlook on wanting a family: ““Before we met, both Jared and I had told our parents we didn’t think we’d ever get married or have kids,” said the *Supermarket Superstar* host.”But when you’re with the right person, everything changes.” “My epiphany happened shortly after Jared and I started dating, and once we both knew, we didn’t hesitate,” the mom-to-be and wife added. “I just knew I was ready and that there’s no one else in the world I would want to do this with.” Keibler also gave a couple of her tricks to maintaining a slender figure and youthful skin, which are prenatal pilates and a natural beauty routine.

How do you know when you’ve found “the one”?

Cupid’s Advice:

When love crosses your path, it is indeed one of the greatest, memorable feelings. You are on cloud nine and there is no coming down. Plus, the stomach butterflies do not seem to be going away anytime soon. And if you have not experienced this yet, you are patiently waiting on the moment. Nevertheless, knowing when you have met that special person that is the reason for your insane feelings always brings up the question “Is he/she the one?” Cupid has some advice to help you figure it all out:

1. You are 100% yourself: Coming across someone who fully accepts your personality, flaws and all, is similar to finding a four leaf clover. Fortunately, when that one does come around, they are hard to pass up – the person who understands your humor, accepts your lifestyle, and so forth. If you are never hesitant to say what is on your mind or do something completely out of the norm and they value it, chances are you

are a step closer to recognizing 'the one.'

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2. The fire continuously burns: A connection should always be felt between you and your partner, even if it is years down the line. 'The one' will constantly shower you with affection and appreciation.

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3. Mutual understanding: A confirmation on if you genuinely have met your match usually comes about in certain situations, such as you and your partner working out a problem instead of arguing and remaining stagnant. The conversations evolve and include "we" and "us" instead of "I" and "me". If you notice more growth individually and together, then you have probably found "the one".

What are some ways to know you have found true love? Share your thoughts below.

Hollywood Couple Angelina Jolie and Brad Pitt Are Starring in a New Movie Together





By Sanetra Richards

Another [Angelina Jolie](#) and [Brad Pitt](#) movie is in the works! However, it is not a *Mr. and Mrs. Smith: Part Two* . . . yet. Although their first project together was a memorable action film, the next one with the [famous couple](#) will be the exact opposite. According to [UsMagazine.com](#), the 38-year-old actress opened up in an interview with *Extra* on Tuesday, May 20, about the new film. "It's not a big movie; it's not an action movie," the *Maleficent* star shared. "It's the kind of movie we love but aren't often cast in. It's a very experimental, independent-type film where we get to be actors together and be really raw, open, try things."

The Oscar winner and mother of six also gushed about her celebrity love: "He's my family. He's not just a lover and partner, which is wonderful, but he's my family now...We have history; we work hard to make it great; and we don't kind of relax about it and take each other for granted." Jolie admitted that the Hollywood couple does run into a few trials and tribulations, saying, "Like everybody, we have our challenges, but we're fighting to make it great."

When this Hollywood couple films another movie, they'll be spending a lot more time together. What are some drawbacks to working with your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

You may imagine working with your partner as another way to spend time together. The commute to work won't be such a hassle; it'll be easier, and you'll save money on gas. It's important to consider the downside too. Cupid has some issues for you to keep in mind:

1. No alone time: Believe it or not, there is a thing as spending *too much* time with your significant other. Work is no longer a place for you to do your own thing because your beau is now just a cubicle away.

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2. Nothing to talk about: Most couples enjoy coming home from work and discussing their days. If you work together though, the conversation may be limited because you both experienced similar situations with the same co-workers.

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3. Jealousy: Imagine if you received a promotion that your significant other had secretly (or publicly) been longing for or vice versa. Your partner will either be genuinely happy for you or envious of your success. If they are in the second boat, you'll notice tension between the two of you within days, which will eventually cause a strain on your relationship and love.

What are some negative aspects to working with your partner?
Share your thoughts below.

Zoe Kravitz Dating Noah Becker Spotted Hand-in-Hand in NYC



By Louisa Gonzales

It seems like Zoe Kravitz has a new man in her life. According to [People](#), **Zoe Kravitz dating Noah Becker**, 20, was spotted in New York City on Thursday afternoon hand-in-hand. The newly

formed couple, may in fact be new, but already have history thanks to the Divergent actress's dad, Lenny Kravitz, who served as best man when Becker's mom, Barbara Feltus, tied the knot with Belgian artist Arne Quinze. Kravitz last relationship was with the former Gossip Girl actor Penn Badgley and the two haven't been linked together since 2013 at a New York party.

How do you know when you're ready to move on after a breakup?

Cupid's Advice:

Everyone moves on from a breakup at their own pace, like Zoe Kravitz, and most of the time it depends on how it ended. Moving on can be hard, especially if the split really devastated you, but it's something we must all do. Cupid has some advice on how to know when you're ready to move on after a breakup:

1. You've stopped thinking about it: You usually have already moved on once you stopped thinking about the person and breakup. Once you have done this your heart has a better chance of being open to finding new love. Sometimes people start dating and move on without realizing it,

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2. You're ready to let go: Letting go is one of the biggest steps in being ready to move on. It's good to let go and not let the ghost of relationship past haunt you in your new relationships. Yes, it's okay to keep some memories or things, but if you want to give your new relationship a chance you have to let your ex go and not hold onto the past, otherwise you're never truly be able to move on and start dating .

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3. You find yourself falling in love again: If someone new is making your heart flutter, is catching your attention and the

mere thought of them is making you smile, you're probably ready to move from your ex. Love is complicated, it can change, evolve, or disappear, but it's always good to give it a chance and let your heart decide what's best for you. When you're ready to move on with someone new, you'll feel it.

How do you know if you're ready to move on after a breakup? Share in the comments below.

10 Date Ideas for the Married Couple with Kids



By Sanetra Richards

Finding time to go out on dates with your spouse can be difficult. The both of you may have hectic work schedules that always seem to get in the way. And it is not just the two of you ... the kids are also in the equation! No matter how hard you may try, planned or spontaneous dates rarely ever happen. Even if you do actually go out, you constantly find yourself worrying about the kids – is the babysitter reliable, what they are doing, and should you hurry back home. Well, fret no more! Cupid has 10 suggestions to help you and your spouse get away from your routine and schedule some date time for each other:

1. Every day alone time: Who says you can't have a date every day of the week? Believe it or not, it's possible! Join your partner in something that is a part of their daily routine, whether that means an early morning workout or late evening planning session. Quality time with your partner can make a huge difference, especially if you are doing something that brings you together at the start of each day and/or at the very end. Maybe even put the kids to sleep at an earlier time just to have that hour or so to wind down together.

2. Weekend getaways: A short vacation is not only what you may need individually, but also as couple. Work can definitely become overwhelming and you just want a day (or two, maybe three) to sit back and enjoy each other's company, without the pressure and stress of work interfering. A trip to a cabin or a resort sounds nice, right?

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3. Amusement park: Married couples tend to become accustomed to the the following routine: work, kids, sleep, repeat. Sometimes it's easy to forget what fun feels like. An amusement park is a great place to channel your inner child. Take your spouse on a date to a nearby theme park – enjoy the roller coasters, attractions and games, but most importantly don't forget to laugh!

4. Dance night: What better way to show off your moves than dancing? Schedule a night for dancing it up at your local club. Try something as sassy as salsa or as precise as square dancing. The goal in all of this is to simply have fun.

5. Fishing: Envision a nice day out by the lake, relaxing in a chair, with a fishing rod in the water awaiting a tug. Hardly any disruptions besides the noises of nature and sound of the water. You and your spouse will temporarily be worry-free.

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6. Park picnic: One of the most classic (romantic) dates of all time is a picnic in the park. Create a basket full of you and your partner's favorites, maybe take an activity you will enjoy (frisbee, kites, etc), and voilà! Maybe even consider bringing the kids along and making it a family day.

7. Pick a hobby: Choose an activity that the both of you love to do together. Perhaps yard work, such as gardening or mowing, is therapeutic – use this as a bonding experience and call it a date!

8. Pamper & Polish: Every once in a while, your sweetheart deserves a little TLC (tender, love, and care). Why not be the one to give it to them? Schedule him/her a session at a local spa or create your own at-home spa. If you would rather channel your inner romantic and set up your own spa, here are a few tips: make sure the environment is set nicely – well-lit and scented, relaxing music, and full of peacefulness. Then, give them the best massage they could possibly imagine (with the help of your favorite scented oil). They will appreciate the thought and touch.

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9. Comedy show: Laughter is good for the soul, right? Search for tickets to your favorite comedian's show and ask your honey to join you for the night. Get a few laughs in while

enjoying the evening.

10. Road trip: Hop in the car and GO! A road trip entails lots of jokes along the way, singing songs on the radio, sightseeing, etc. Make a day out of it – travel down the roads with the most scenery. Take photos to capture the memories and most importantly, enjoy the ride.