# Celebrity Break-Up: Taylor Lautner and Billie Lourd Split After 8 Months Together





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The Scream Queen co-stars have called it quits after eight months of dating. Taylor Lautner and Billie Lourd started dating last December and posted many adorable photos together. According to <code>EOnline.com</code>, Lourd's uncle Todd Fisher shared that Lautner acted like a supportive husband while the family grieved over the loss of Lourd's mother Carrie Fisher and her grandmother Debbie Reynolds. Fans recently began questioning their celebrity couple status once Lautner was seen celebrating the Forth of July solo. Lourd has recently deleted photos of their <code>celebrity relationship</code> on Instagram, while Lautner still has many photos on his account. No comments from

the stars have been made addressing why they split.

It sounds like Lourd's family could be sad over this <u>celebrity break-up</u>. How can you share the news to your family about your recent break-up?

### Cupid's Advice:

Revealing an update about your current love life to your family can be sometime be uncomfortable, especially when it's a break-up. Here are some tips on how to talk about your recent break-up to your family:

1. Be honest without oversharing: Let them know your side of the story without sugar coating any details. It's always good to be honest with your family because it will make them understand what you are going through! You are allowed to leave some minor details out, because some quirks in your relationship should be between you and your ex.

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2. Advise your family on how to respond: Tell them how you would like them to act during this time. Their first reaction might be to be spiteful towards an ex. Advice them to be silent on the issue or optimistic about your future love life. This will set the overall tone on how they will respond to your break-up!

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3. Ask them not to bring up past memories: Your family may

have loved or hated your ex, but let them know right now is not the best time to recall past memories of the relationship. You probably have been overthinking your break-up as is, so having a family member put in their two cents doesn't help the situation. Ask them to not bring up your ex until you are ready to talk about old memories.

Do you think this celebrity couple will get back together or do you think their relationship is officially over? Let us know in the comments!

# Celebrity News: Taylor Lautner Says Britney Spears Tried to Set Him Up with Her Sister Jamie Lynn





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Our families can be known for meddling in our relationships. The same goes for famous families, and it seems like <a href="Britney Spears">Britney Spears</a> had her eye on her little sister Jamie Lynn Spears being in a <a href="Celebrity couple">Celebrity couple</a> at one point. It was John Stamos who revealed to <a href="UsMagazine.com">UsMagazine.com</a>, "Britney tried to fix Taylor [Lautner] up with her sister one time." Lautner confirmed a few years ago that Britney did try to set the two up, but he cleared things up, admitting the two never went out. Currently, Lautner is enjoying the single life and if the right person comes along, he may be willing to try a new <a href="Celebrity relationship">Celebrity relationship</a>. In an interview with Oprah Winfrey, Lautner revealed what he is looking for in a relationship, "Loyalty, honesty [are important qualities]. What's really important to me is somebody who can totally let loose and pretty much be themselves and have fun."

## In this celebrity news, the matchmaking failed. How do you

## successfully find a match for your friend?

#### Cupid's Advice:

Matchmaking for someone else is always a difficult task, because you are trying to determine what they are really looking for. Cupid is here with some advice on how to find a match for you friend:

1. Dig deep: To find someone who is right for your friend, you have to truly dig deep and find out what they are looking for in a partner. Don't only focus on the surface level things, but what will make them happy in the long run.

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2. Step outside the box: Whatever your friend has been doing in the past has not yet worked for them. Try to find someone who matches their immediate descriptions and would match the compatibility, but who may be something different from the people they have dated in the past.

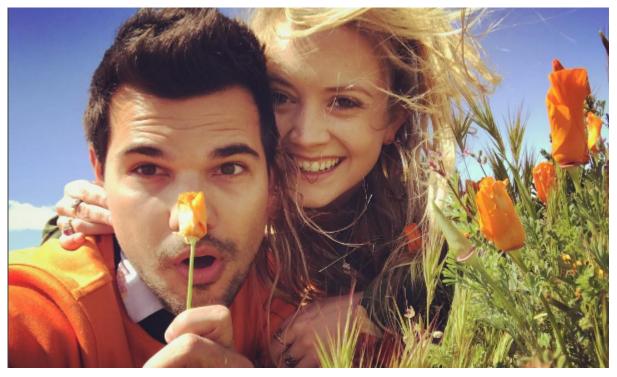
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3. The little things are the big things: Pay attention to the little things in the person you are trying to set your friend up with. Sometimes it is not the big qualities of a person that make a relationship compatible, but it can be the little quirky things about them.

What do you do to match your friend with someone? Comment below!

# Celebrity News: Taylor Lautner Confirms Taylor Swift Wrote 'Back to December' About Him





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The Taylors were a memorable <u>celebrity couple</u> and were even more memorable for their break-up that sparked the song "Back to December". There was speculation and celebrity gossip at the time that the song was about him, but only recently did Lautner confirm it. In <u>celebrity news</u>, during a Facebook Live chat at the Television Critics Association press tour in

Beverly Hills, the cast of *Scream Queens* discussed some of their past relationships. According to *UsMagazine.com*, when asked if Swift had written a song about him, Lautner responded, "That's what she does. She writes songs." He tried to be casual about it, but there's definitely more to the story, as he then interjected the conversation about which song was written about him with the correct answer.

# This celebrity news has confirmed what we all thought all along. What are some ways to vent about a failed relationship?

### Cupid's Advice:

Relationships fail and heartbreak happens, but you have to find an outlet for your feelings. Venting with friends or family is key in getting over an ex. Cupid is here with some relationship advice:

1. Diary: Writing is a great way to cope with feelings and work through the problems in your relationship. It's also nice to not have anyone talking back or putting in their two cents; it's just you and your thoughts. Keeping a diary or journal can be very therapeutic.

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2. Therapy: There's no shame in getting professional help to talk about your issues. Sometimes it's too much for an average person to handle, and you need some real guidance. Even just retail therapy can help you move on in a healthier manner.

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**3. Closure:** Putting the relationship to bed and removing all belongings and mementos of the past can improve your mood. You don't have to vent all the time, but just take the time to clear your mind and discard all personal and shared items. It will ultimately create a feeling of closure.

How do you discuss your failed relationships? Comment below!

### 5 Celebrity Couples We Want to Reunite





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### **Katie Gray**

We love it when our favorite stars become a celebrity couple.

However, sometimes the <u>celebrity relationship</u> doesn't last and they have to go their separate ways. Some of our favorite celebs even had <u>celebrity weddings</u> and children together. That doesn't mean we can't remember the good memories though. Here's to nostalgia and wishful thinking!

# Cupid has compiled the five celebrity couples we want to reunite:

- 1. Miranda Lambert & Blake Shelton: They were the cutest country couple! Miranda Lambert and Blake Shelton are both country music artists, singers and songwriters. They were a match made in heaven. Their celebrity wedding was beautiful and we loved it when they performed songs together. Sadly, they got divorced. However; they left us with a lot of great music!
- 2. Taylor Swift & Taylor Lautner: Who could forget Taylor and Taylor? People loved to joke that if they got married, their names would both be Taylor Lautner. The singer, Taylor Swift, and the actor, Taylor Lautner were a pretty pair. They even participated in the film Valentine's Day together, and it was awesome. Sometimes young love doesn't last though, but it was fun while it lasted!

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3. Selena Gomez & Justin Bieber: Remember the height of the Bieber Fever? Pop singers Selena Gomez and Justin Bieber were a hot item. Their relationship took several twists and turns in the media. Fans loved that they were together. Even though the celebrity relationship ended in a break-up, they still have respect for one another and are proud when the other person accomplishes something. Luckily, they've both come out with catchy songs for us to jam to!

4. Reese Witherspoon & Ryan Phillippe: Reese Witherspoon is America's Sweetheart. When she met Ryan Phillippe while they starred in the cult classic film, Cruel Intentions, they hit it off. He attended her birthday party and she said to him, "Are you my present?" So cute! They had a celebrity wedding and have two children together. Sometimes good things come to an end so better things can fall together. They both co-parent as a family unit and have moved on. However; they were the 'it' couple for several years.

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5. Gisele Bundchen & Leonardo DiCaprio: Gisele Bundchen is the highest paid supermodel in the world. She was also famously a Victoria's Secret angel. When she dated, Hollywood heartthrob, Leonardo DiCaprio, it was the most beautiful couple ever. He is known for dating supermodels but their relationship actually lasted a few years. The pair remain good friends though. When she gave birth to her babies with Tom Brady, he even sent her a gift. See, sometimes you can be friends with your ex-partner!

What celebrity couples do you want to reunite?

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Gwen Stefani and Gavin Rossdale

This musical duo surprised everyone when they announced their celebrity divorce on August 3rd. They've promised to keep things amicable and co-parent their three sons together.

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### Celebrity Break-Up: 'Twilight' Star Taylor Lautner Splits from Marie Avgeropoulos





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Taylor Lautner is single again, ladies! According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, the <u>Twilight</u> star and his girlfriend Marie Avgeropoulos are now celebrity exes after over a year of being

together. The couple met on the set of *Tracers* in the summer of 2013. A source said the celebrity break-up was amicable, but the young starlets never announced their relationship publicly in the first place. Lautner has a short list of other celebrity exes who were also his costars, including Lily Collins and Taylor Swift.

We find out about celebrity breakups through the tabloids, but most of us have to announce our splits to family and friends. What are three different ways to announce that your relationship is over?

#### Cupid's Advice:

It's not hard to find out about a celebrity break-up because it's splashed all over pop culture magazines and blogs. For most of us though, we have to find a way to tell our family and friends about what went down. Cupid has some advice on how to share the bad news:

1. Talk to people you trust: If you want to share the news but only to your closest loved ones, do so directly. Simply sit them down and tell them what happened with as much detail as you prefer. Those who care about you will listen and stand by you as you take the next steps in your life. They may even have some valuable pieces of love advice!

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2. Take to social media: Unfortunately or fortunately, depending on your outlook, we are a society that shares a lot

online. So, when you feel good about it, change that relationship status or turn that profile picture into a proud selfie.

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**3. Let the news come out on its own:** If you don't want to announce your break-up, you don't have to. It is your life and your relationship, so move forward as you like. Those around you will naturally notice that you no longer hang out with your ex, and the news will be crystal clear without an awkward announcement.

Who do you think Taylor Lautner's next celebrity love will be? Share your predictions below!

# 3 Celebrity Men Who Date Women Outside of the Spotlight





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Many times we hear stories about the latest and greatest celebrity couple, but people rarely talk about celebrities who have gone "out of their way" to date "normal" people. Below is a list of a few male celebrities who have chosen to date women outside of the spotlight.

1. Louis Tomlinson: The One Direction mega star decided to find his girlfriend outside of the celebrity world. It has been reported that Louis is currently dating Eleanor Calder, a student at the University of Manchester and former Hollister floor model.

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2. Taylor Lautner: The *Twilight* star is currently dating Marie Avegeropoulos. While Marie isn't well known, she does star in the CW show, *The Hundred*, which premiered in March 2014.

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3. Tom Felton: The famous Harry Potter star fell in love with

his current girlfriend while acting in the major film series. Jade Olivia met Tom on set as she was the film's stunt coordinator assistant.

What other celebrity men are dating women outside of the spotlight? Comment below!

## The Ex Factor: Songs After Heartbreak







Paula Patton and Robin Thicke

Thicke attempted to win back his estranged wife with an emotional ballad off of his new album. "Get Her Back" is dripping with grovel as the crooner begs his ex to forgive him after his cheating scandal. Photo: David Gabber / PR Photos

## Why Are Women Addicted to Twilight?





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NYC Psychologist Deconstructs the Allure of the Twilight Series

About ten years ago, Stephanie Meyer had a dream which inspired her to write one of the most esteemed series ever created. One could say that Meyer tapped into a collective unconscious of the female psyche, appealing to both adolescent girls and their grandmothers alike. *Twilight* is now over a \$6 billion franchise. But what draws so many women to vampires and werewolves that make them borderline obsessed with it?

Now, The Twilight Saga is nearly a \$6 billion franchise. Sales of the series' books have eclipsed those of Harry Potter, and its newest installment has already grossed nearly \$600 million. But what is the Twilight allure really about? What draws so many women to report being "addicted" to the saga and appear to be borderline obsessed with it?

As a couples therapist and psychologist who is fascinated with pop culture phenomena and the underlying aspects involved in peoples' preoccupations, I created a documentary on this issue. Through a series of interviews with women and experts in the field of sex therapy and consciousness, and using Twilight as a vehicle for exploration, I ask classic questions that come up surrounding male-female dynamics: What do women want? What do men want? What makes relationships work? How can we keep connection and passion alive in a relationship?

Here is what I found out.

### Women want connection and challenge

Twilight appears to tap into a universal longing for a partner with whom one shares a deep, distinct connection. Through speaking to many women (both in session and for the documentary), it seemed that a major aspect that women yearn for in men is that he be accepting and attuned, while maintaining a sense of unpredictability and gently challenging her.

### Women long for the first-love feeling

While reading or watching Twilight, many women reported that they experienced memories of first loves and a longing for the intensity of feelings associated with a first love experience.

### Foreplay still counts

There was also a consistent draw to the sexual tension between Edward and Bella and many women expressed their paradoxical feelings of appreciation for women's sexual liberation while still nostalgic about a time when couples did not rush into sex, (thus lengthening the tension if you will). And we all know that by tension, we are also referring to most women's favorite part of sex: foreplay.

### We see ourselves in others

At the heart of the appeal of Twilight, we find that it triggers a fundamental longing to feel accepted and mirrored by an "other" and, in my opinion, a desire to accept oneself.

While the flourishing of a relationship takes consistent attention, effort, self-awareness, and an open heart, the issues that arise for many couples are timeless and often inevitable. Into the Twilight Haze attempts to deconstruct and explore several of these matters to help viewers discover different perspectives, offering concrete suggestions to men and women alike.

Is any of this true for you? Why are you addicted to the series?

### Bella and Edward Are Back in Twilight Saga: 'Breaking Dawn Part 1'





The Twilight Saga is slowly, but surely, coming to an end. But don't start feeling sad too quickly, because the last book of the series, Breaking Dawn, is being broken into two movies. On November 18th, Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 1 will bring Jacob (Taylor Lautner) and Edward (Robert Pattinson) fans together for a drama packed finale. After watching Bella (Kristen Stewart) decline Edward's proposal in New Moon just to accept it again in Eclipse, the long awaited wedding is here. On top of that, Bella becomes pregnant with a half human half vampire baby that poses threats to both the wolf pack and Cullen vampire family. Get excited!

### How do you know when it's time to say "yes" to a marriage proposal?

### Cupid's Advice:

It can be tough to really *know* when you're ready to marry someone you've been dating. The step between partners and spouses is a big one. Cupid has some things to consider:

1. Are you in love?: If you're truly in love with your

partner, it may be time to make it official. If you have doubts, it's probably best to wait it out a while.

- 2. Why not?: If you're not getting married because of a reason like financial issues, chances are you're not ready. Go with both your gut and your heart.
- 3. It's just a ring: Saying "yes" to a proposal doesn't mean you'll be signing a wedding certificate the next day. If the love is there, say "yes" and continue working on your relationship. If you change your mind, call the wedding off. It's not preferable, but at least the option is there.

Have you ever said "no" to a marriage proposal? Share your experiences below.

# Taylor Swift is Single and Scared of Being in Wrong Relationship





Count

ry crooner Taylor Swift has dated her share of A-listers, including Joe Jonas, John Mayer, and *Twilight's* Taylor Lautner. The singer is now connected to the always handsome actor Jake Gyllenhaal. However, according to the December issue of *Allure* and *Us Weekly*, America's sweetheart is terrified of being in the wrong relationship. "I used to think there were all these rules for making people like you," said Swift. "I was filled with advice! I'd tell my friends things like, 'Don't accept that apology! That isn't sincere!' or 'He hung out with his ex-girlfriend? Get rid of him.' But love is never that simple."How do you know if you're in a bad relationship?

### Cupid's Advice:

If you think you're in a bad relationship, you probably are. Here are a few signs that it may be time to move on:

1. Just friends: If you're starting to feel that you and your partner were better off as friends, the feeling is probably mutual. Friends with benefits may be fun for the time being, but it's not a replacement for a relationship.

- 2. Nothing in common: It's fun to date someone who has a unique hobby or interest that you know nothing about. Learning new things can keep a relationship exciting. However, if their interests and priorities are keeping you apart more than together, your relationship may be doomed for failure.
- **3. Clashing values:** Personal beliefs on issues such as politics, religion or even finances are possible deal breakers. Beware of these relationship red flags.

## Taylor Swift is Careful About Love





After

a hectic couple of years, Taylor Swift graces the cover of *Glamour* Magazine looking like a new, more mature woman. And why not? In the past couple of years, the 20-year-old singer has had to deal with everything from a breakup with actor Taylor Lautner to Kanye West's infamous interruption at the 2009 VMAs. *HollyScoop* reports that Swift was especially open about her love life in her interview with *Glamour*, where she said, "I don't seem to have any real strategy or pattern when it comes to love... At times I've been really guarded and careful and afraid to trust someone. But other times, you want to jump in headfirst... I've been careful in love. I've been careless in love. And I've had adventures I wouldn't trade for anything." To hear even more of her honest opinions about life and love, check out Swift's new album *Speak Now*, out October 25.

### Can being too cautious hurt your chances at love?

#### Cupid's Advice:

Past experiences can teach us to be wary of love, but being overly cautious might lead to missing out on great experiences. Cupid has some ideas about why you should never lose your childish enthusiasm:

- 1. Have no regrets: Taking chances when it comes to love means giving it your all and not holding back. If you're too afraid to go for it, you might regret it for the rest of your life. If things don't end up working out, at least you know you tried.
- 2. Make a good impression: Being overly hesitant might give the opposite sex the impression that you're guarded or indifferent. Show you're willing to take risks so people know that you're dedicated to finding love.
- 3. Don't miss out: Let's face it: by playing it safe, you're missing out on all the fun! You know those "adventures"

Taylor Swift talks about? They're what makes life exciting, so go ahead and take a chance!

### 'Twilight Saga: Eclipse,' Featuring Robert Pattinson, Kristen Stewart & Taylor Lautner





The *Twilight Saga*'s new movie, *Eclipse*, opens on Wednesday, June 30. The third installment of the series involves

Bella (Kristen Stewart) in the middle of a constant struggle between her love for vampire, Edward (Robert Pattinson) and best friend, werewolf Jacob (Taylor Lautner). Add the action of a redheaded vampire, Victoria, who wants Bella dead to the mix, and you have the perfect summer blockbuster.

## Is there a way to avoid being in love with two people? Cupid's Advice:

Bella, a mortal with her heart being pulled in two separate directions, finds the life choices she makes can have devastating consequences. Cupid has some helpful pointers to help avoid a love triangle:

- 1. Focus on one: By staying involved with the love of your life, you have less of a chance of adding another love to the mix.
- 2. Discover what's missing: If you find your hearts tempted towards loving another, it might be because your current relationship has something lacking. Talk to your partner to figure out what's missing.
- 3. Love is what it is: If you've done everything in your power to prevent finding spark outside of your relationship, but still find yourself caught between two hearts, you need to make a decision for one or the other, and stick with it.

If you've ever been caught in a love triangle and have other ideas on how to avoid, prevent, or fix the situation, please share with Cupid! Comment below, and check out *Eclipse* to see how Bella deals with her romantic situation.