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Season 1: Ryan Sutter and Trista (Rehn) Sutter

Trista Rehn was the runner-up during season 1 of 'The Bachelor.' She went on to be the first 'Bachelorette' and found love with firefighter Ryan Sutter. The celebrity couple were married in December 2003. They have two kids and live in Eagle County, Colorado. Photo: Diane Cohen/Fame Pictures

'The Bachelorette' Kaitlyn Bristowe Is Not Ready for Hometown Dates





By Maria N. Capalbo

According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, The Bachelorette Kaitlyn Bristowe is having a difficult time figuring out who she truly likes. What makes things worse is that she has to narrow her possibilities down even more, and go on to meet the parents of those men chosen. That being said, host Chris Harrison had a twist up his sleeve, and revealed that Bristowe will cut her group of six guys down to three next week, and then she'll have fantasy suite dates with all three prior to selecting two hometown dates. Bristowe has been going through a lot of drama with Shawn, having some regret on her actions with Nick, and even losing her emotional balance with most of the other remaining men! After sending a few men packing, she has a lot of thinking to do with who's left. Who will she pick as her celebrity love, and whose parents will she meet? Stay tuned!

This 'Bachelorette' is doing things differently from beginning to end!

What do you do to fix your relationship if the steps usually taken in a relationship don't work for you?

Cupid's Advice:

Relationships and love can sometimes be difficult to manage, especially if you keep trying to do things to strengthen it, only to find out those steps do not work! Cupid has some relationship advice to help you can manage your relationship:

1. Take a break: Taking time away from your partner when things are rough may actually be beneficial. You get time to focus on your own thoughts and what you really want. Then, when you meet back up with them, you can decide whether or not you enjoyed the alone time, or you missed them and want to make it work.

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2. Relationship counseling: Having a medium within your relationship may be important. You can both vent to the counselor, and the counselor can do their job to help you both since they see each side without bias. In most cases, this truly helps to discover underlying problems and correct them.

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3. Heart to heart: Really sit down with your partner and tell them you want to have a serious conversation. Tell them everything you are feeling inside and that you want to move forward, but some things are holding you back. Make sure you tell them you do not want to argue, hear them out, and work

together to find a solution.

What are some ways you've maneuvered your way around relationship obstacles? Share below!

'Bachelorette' Drama: Kaitlyn Bristowe and Nick Viall Get Intimate





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In being the *The Bachelorette*, Kaitlyn Bristowe has her fair share of picks! According to *UsMagazine.com*, after a fight

with Ian, Bristowe and Nick Viall cuddled up with one another before bed time, and got down to business. Bristowe felt a tad bit guilty because she felt that her other celebrity relationships could have been put into jeopardy, but she still enjoyed her time with Nick. Could he be "the one" for her, or is he just a fling? Maybe Bristowe needs some love and relationship advice of her own!

It's a Bachelorette faux pas! How do you know when you're ready to get intimate with your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

Being intimate in a relationship is extremely important. Exploring different emotional sides to your partner is critical in order to get to know them better! Cupid has some suggestions on ways you could get intimate with your partner below:

1. Be concerned about their feelings: Instead of just going about your daily lives in regular fashion, stop and really talk to your partner about their day. Knowing what they are feeling can really shed light on other subjects. When someone knows you care for them on the inside, it gets you far!

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2. Observe their needs: This goes along with being concerned with their feelings. Their needs are important, too, and it's important for you as a partner to satisfy them! They should be satisfying you, too. Observe them, and act accordingly.

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3. A romantic night: Take your partner out for a nice dinner under the stars! Talk about your relationship, and your goals together as a unit. Invite positive, loving conversation.

What are some ways you get intimate with your partner? Share below!

Former 'Bachelorette' Andi Dorfman Hooks Up with Sam Hunt After 2015 Country Music Awards





By: Maria N. Capalbo

According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Andi Dorfman, former star of *The Bachelorette*, had a had a rockin' good time after the Country Music Awards Festival this past week with upcoming country star, Sam Hunt. Although, sources think that Dorfman and this celebrity relationship with Hunt was just a little fling. She is working on focusing on herself this year after being in a long relationship with celebrity ex Josh Murray. Dorfman is enjoying her new life in NYC and may not be looking to be tied down anytime soon!

Country meets reality TV! What are some ways to reconcile differences in a relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

It is inevitable that problems and strong differences will come up within our relationships, but resolving them can make your bond stronger than ever! Cupid has a few solutions to rectify differences below:

1. Don't bring up past issues: Issues almost always arise when you bring up a rocky past. Instead, avoid the past and focus on the present and future. Working out your differences will come easier once you drop the past!

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2. Find a common ground: Finding a common ground is important because usually it helps in coming to an agreement that helps both of you! Instead of just giving in too your partner, find something that you both an agree with.

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Josh Murray Call it Quits

3. Talk about your problems: Talking it out is much better than keeping quiet about the differences between you and your partner. Keeping quiet can only raise more tension if the issue is ignored. It is best to get things off your chest by talking about it.

What are some ways you've reconciled differences in your relationship? Share below!

'The Bachelorette' Kaitlyn Bristowe Talks Nick's Arrival, Date with Ben H., and Joshua Drama





By: Maria N. Capalbo

According to <u>People.com</u>, The Bachelorette Kaitlyn Bristowe has started her mission to find celebrity love! On the most recent episode to air, she believes she made the right choice in having Nick stay, but the other men were not too fond of it! Only a few expressed their opinions though. Bristowe had a great time going on her other dates, like dancing it up with Ben H. and singing along with a group of the guys to a mariachi band. She did run into a bit of drama with Joshua, who could not hold back his opinion about Nick. Bristowe thought of holding back on giving out a rose on the group date, but went with her heart and gave it to Nick. Things definitely got a bit confusing, so maybe she needs a bit of love advice herself! Stay tuned to the show for more on Kaitlyn's celebrity relationships.

The drama isn't about to let up on The Bachelorette! What are some

ways to keep your relationship drama-free?

Cupid's Advice:

Drama causes problems everywhere! The last thing anyone needs are problems within their relationship. It can be difficult to avoid sometimes, but there is always a solution! Below are a few ways to keep drama away from your relationship:

1. Communicate: Most of the time, drama can be avoided if your partner and you just communicate! Tell each other about problems, and talk about possible solutions. Stay away from accusations, and have a regular conversation.

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2. Ask about feelings: This also goes with communicating. Do not overload your partner with just your feelings and expect a solution; ask them about theirs, too. After that, find a middle ground.

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Begins With Britt and Kaitlyn

3. Establish goals: Come up with goals that you want to accomplish in your relationship, and even some things that make you both uncomfortable. If any of the drama is detrimental to those goals or worsens things, state that, work around it, and keep those goals in mind.

What are some ways you've kept drama out of your relationship? Comment below!

Kaitlyn Bristowe Sends Clint Packing and Reacts to Nick Viall's Return on 'The Bachelorette'





By Courtney Omernick

It looks like celebrity love is in the air for <u>Kaitlyn Bristowe</u> on *The Bachelorette*. During the most recent episode, <u>UsMagazine.com</u> reported that Clint was sent home and Nick Viall, who fans first met during Andi Dorfman's time as *The Bachelorette*, returned to the spotlight. With all of these

celebrity relationships in full swing, you have to wonder, how can Bristowe keep everything straight?

The drama never ends on *The Bachelorette!* How do you know whether or not to give someone another chance?

Cupid's Advice:

While watching the celebrity relationship drama between the contestants on *The Bachelorette* unfold, it can be hard to decipher who is deserving of Bristowe's celebrity love. In our own lives, especially if a former friend or significant other has hurt us, it can be difficult to decide whether or not you should give them a second chance. Cupid has some advice:

1. You have a reason to believe: If you're having serious doubts regarding this person's credibility, truthfulness, etc., then it's time to walk away. However, if this person has earned your trust during the time that you've known them, they might be worthy of a second chance.

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2. You see change and growth: If you've noticed that the person who is seeking a second chance has achieved a serious amount of growth and insight since the incident, you might want to consider listening to what they have to say and even forgiving them.

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3. You benefit from the relationship: Every friendship and

romantic relationship has its problems. It's up to you to decide how much you're willing to put up with and figure out what you're getting from the relationship.

Have you given a friend or significant other a second chance? Comment below!

Former 'Bachelorette' Trista Sutter Defends 'Bachelor' Franchise After Chris Soules, Whitney Bischoff Split





By Katie Gray

Former Bachelorette star, Trista Sutter, has come to defend the series after the recent split of Chris Soules and Whitney Bischoff's was announced. According to USMagazine.com, "Sutter, 42, retweeted Fleiss' note on Friday and added her marriage to firefighter Ryan Sutter to the pile. "And I'll raise u an 11 yr marriage," the season 1 Bachelorette tweeted. "Hard work? Yes! Any marriage is! But without Bachelorette, no intro, no marriage."

The Bachelor franchise shows sometimes reality shows do lead to love! What are some unique methods to meet a new partner?

Cupid's Advice:

The same old dating methods can get a little old. Cupid has some dating advice for unique methods to meet a new partner:

1. Night out: Everyone can use a night out on the town! We work hard and have hectic schedules, therefore; it is imperative that we make time for ourselves, too. A good way to meet people is by going out with friends and trying new places, because with it comes new people. Enjoy yourself and see what happens and who you meet!

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2. Matchmaker: Although it would be nice to have an appointment with Patti Stanger, the famed *Millionaire Matchmaker*, it's not always possible. Don't get discouraged from going to a different matchmaker in your area. Check out new innovative dating services that keep popping up and find a

matchmaker who knows how to play cupid. Regardless of if you will meet your soulmate, you will likely make new friends and create good memories as an outcome!

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Bischoff Split

3. Join a club: A good way to meet new people is by joining in on activities. Start meeting with a book club and/or join a wine tasting club. Take a cooking class and/or find fun activities to do as an outing with friends and you will meet plenty of new people and gain new experiences!

What are some ways that you have met a new partner? Share your stories below!

'The Bachelorette' Stars Britt Nilsson and Brady Toops Go Public with PDA





By Courtney Omernick

It looks like Britt Nilsson isn't wasting any time when it comes to a celebrity relationship. <u>UsMagazine.com</u> recently reported that Britt and Brady Toops are involved in a celebrity relationship. Sources also say that the two are going strong and showing their love through Instagram.

This Bachelorette duo is in hiding no more! What are some ways to use PDA to go public with your relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

"PDA" can be known as a touchy phrase. There are some that are ok with a little bit, and others who absolutely dread seeing couples all over each other. If you're one of those people who don't mind a bit of PDA, below is some love advice on how you can incorporate it into going public with your relationship:

1. Get noticed: Is there a specific place where your friends usually hang out? What about the local park? If you want people to start noticing that you're with someone, bring the PDA to a well-known area in town.

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2. Use Social Media: Just as Britt and Brady did, post your PDA pics on Instagram, Facebook, Twitter, etc. But, remember, keep it classy.

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3. Snapchat: What better way to instantly make an announcement to a selected group of individuals than Snapchat? Send a PG PDA pic to your favorite Snapchat followers.

Share your love advice with our readers. What are some ways you've used PDA to go public with your relationship?

Comment below!

Find Out 'The Bachelorette' Kaitlyn Bristowe's Worst Date Moment So Far





By Meranda Yslas

This season of reality TV's <u>The Bachelorette</u> is just getting started and there are already intense moments happening with Kaitlyn Bristowe and her men. On her blog for <u>People.com</u>, she wrote that having a group boxing date idea was fun, but there were a few moments were the bachelorette was nervous about how competitive the contestants might be. When Ben Zorn and Jared Haibon stepped into the ring to fight, "I was terrified. I think you could actually see my heart beating out of my chest! At least if felt like it. The hit Jared took was my worst nightmare." The episode ended with Kupah James being eliminated and storming off in anger.

This 'Bachelorette' is starting things off with a bang! What are three unique things to do on a first date?

Cupid's Advice:

First dates can set the tone of how the rest of the relationship and love will continue, so it's important to start off on the right foot. Great dates don't have to be extravagant or over the top, but creativity does count. Here are a few relationship tips for planning a fun and unique first date:

1. Go rock climbing: If you and your new partner are into physical activity, strap on a harness and go rock climbing. Many cities have indoor facilities where you two can show off your competitive edge and see who can make it to the top first.

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2. Homemade dinner: Going out for dinner is a classic first date idea, but making it yourself adds a unique twist. You and your date can go grocery shopping together, pick out the ingredients and start cooking. It's a fun way to get to know your date in a stress free environment.

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3. Take a class: There are many places you can go to take a fun and short class, such as pottery or painting. Plus, at the end of the date you two will have a cute souvenir to take home!

What did you and your partner do for a first date? Share below.

Spoiler Alert! This Season's 'Bachelorette' is Revealed





By Courtney Omernick

<u>UsMagazine.com</u> reports that Kaitlyn Bristowe is the new Bachelorette on ABC. As with any season of *The Bachelorette*, Bristowe will have to handle a lot of relationships and love, put her heart on the line, and see who is truly there to win her over.

The new 'Bachelorette' Kaitlyn Bristowe is ready to risk it all

for love! What are some ways to take risks for a relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

Sometimes, we get comfort out of our day-to-day relationship routine. However, in order to keep things fresh, it's important to take relationship risks. Below are a few pieces of relationship advice regarding ways you can take your relationship to the next level by taking risks:

1. Disagree with their opinion: Obviously, you don't want to disagree with everything your partner has to say. But, if you don't have the same view as they do on a big topic like politics, speak up. Nobody wants a partner that says "yes" all the time.

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2. Do you own thing: When you're in a relationship, it may be hard to pull away from the other person and spend time on your own. However, make sure that you do make time for yourself outside of the relationship. This can help you strengthen your independence, and if you're not spending every waking hour with your partner, you'll have time to miss them.

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3. Bring forward relationship issues: A lot of people think it's best to keep quiet and "pick and choose their battles" when it comes to relationship arguments. However, it's best to same something if there's a specific issue that you've been having with your partner for a long time. If you keep quiet, you'll eventually resent the other person.

How have you taken risks for a relationship? Comment below!

Celebrity Exes Andi Dorfman and Josh Murray Flaunt their Search for Love Online





By Meranda Yslas

On the latest season of *The Bachelorette* we all watched and cheered when <u>Andi Dorfman</u> chose Josh Murray to be her fiance. Unfortunately, their celebrity love story didn't last long. Now, the <u>celebrity exes</u> are on the hunt for a new love and are showing it on social media. According to <u>Fashion&Style</u>, Murray posted an adorable picture of his dog on Instagram with #mommyHunting. The reality star is also open about dating when

she posted a photo of her new man on Instagram. Even though it looks as if the two have moved on, Dorfman still speaks kindly and optimistically about her celebrity ex. "I never say never," she shared, "I've learned that for a really long time, to never say never, but I think I'm really happy with the life I'm living right now and all I can say is I hope for happiness with him too."

Celebrity exes Andi Dorfman and Josh Murray aren't shy about publicly displaying their search for love. What are three reasons exes should not openly flaunt their dating life in front of one another?

Cupid's Advice:

There's always the question of how long you should wait from the break-up to going back out and looking for love. Once you do start a new romantic relationship, are you suppose to let your ex know? Here are three reasons why it's better to keep your dating life away from a past lover:

1. It could look like competition: If it seems like you're purposely bragging about your new love life just to make your ex jealous, it may be difficult to start a real and true new relationship. Both your new guy and your ex will think the relationship is only for attention.

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2. Maintaining a friendship: Although some break-ups make it

impossible for any form of friendship to last, that's not always the case. If you still want to have your ex in your life, it's better not to bring up the subject of dating and new mates. It's uncomfortable and can put a strain on the new friendship.

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3. Picking a side: If you two have dated for a long it is likely that you have mutual friends. If you're flaunting all over Facebook or Twitter about your new partner, your ex may get curious and try to get the details from one of those mutual friends, placing them in an awkward situation. Rather than making your friends feel like they have to chose a side in the break-up or play the messenger between the two, it's better to just keep that part of your life private.

Did you let your ex know about your new love life? Share below.

Season 11 'Bachelorette' Contestants Revealed!





By Emma L. Wells

For the first time in <u>Bachelorette</u> history, the men have the power…at least for for the May 18th premiere. 25 lucky lads will get to vote on which two ladies — Kaitlyn Bristowe or Britt Nilsson — will be the <u>Bachelorette</u> for season 11. Both women made their reality TV debut on last season of <u>The Bachelor</u> and are back again on their search for a relationship and love. After the men make the decision, the power will transfer back to <u>The Bachelorette</u> who will pick 19 of them to move into the house. And who are these special guys? See the full list on <u>UsMagazine.com</u>.

Bachelorette stars Kaitlyn Bristowe and Britt Nilsson will have their pick of well qualified men come May 18th. Why is it a good idea to

consider your partner's occupation before starting a relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

There are many factors to consider when deciding whether someone is a good romantic match for you. While you might be inclined to think that occupation isn't important Cupid has some love advice on why this factor shouldn't be ignored:

1. Time is money: Can your significant other give you the time commitment you're looking for? If you're new beau has a high-powered career that probably means long hours and less time with you. If you're looking for a serious relationship, then this probably isn't an ideal situation.

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2. Get down to business: No matter what the fairy tales say research shows that relationships between people with similar education levels usually have a higher rate of success. While there are always exceptions to the rule it can be prudent to look for a partner who has had a similar education and work path as you. This way you'll automatically have a better understanding of each other's situations.

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3. Work hard, play hard: Knowing a potential suitor's career ambitions can be very important. Are they up for a promotion that's going to take them to an office out of state? Are they looking for a job where they have to travel consistently? If you're looking to stay put then this isn't an ideal match. Minimize the possibility for heartbreak by making sure you and

soon-to-be sweetheart have similar life goals and plans.

Is work a factor in determining your relationships? Tell us below!

New Photos: The Countdown to 'The Bachelorette' Begins With Britt and Kaitlyn





By Emma L. Wells

The countdown begins for <u>The Bachelorette</u> season 11 premiere and in order to get us even more pumped up for the reality TV

show ABC released some stunning photos from a shoot with the two *Bachelorettes*, Kaitlyn Bristowe and Britt Nilsson. *People.com* reports that Bristowe and Nilsson have ditched the usually colorful gowns we're accustomed to seeing on *Bachelorettes* and opted for some silvery grey numbers which fit the season's tagline, '50 Shades of Cray.' The two girls, who battled for Chris Soules on season 19 of *The Bachelor*, will once again face off for relationships and love in a two part premiere on May 18th.

Britt Nilsson and Kaitlyn Bristowe let their personalities shine through their grey dresses for 'The Bachelorette' promo shoot. How can you make a good impression and pick the perfect first date outfit?

Cupid's Advice:

Most people don't like to admit it but we often judge others based on their appearance the first time we meet them. That's why a first date outfit can have a big impact on whether or not someone asks you out again. Have no fear, here is some love advice on how to put together the right ensemble...

1. Be appropriate: The first thing you should consider when picking your first date outfit is what you're going to be doing on the date. Different outfits are more appropriate for dinner and a movie versus a hike and a picnic. You may have a great pair of sparkly stilettos but you probably shouldn't wear them if you and your date are headed to a street fair. If you don't know where you're going then try to pick a neutral outfit such as a loose dress or jeans and a nice top.

2. Be yourself: If you're the type of girl who wears jeans and a t-shirt 99% of the time, you'll give the wrong impression of yourself if you show up to your date wearing your roommate's body-con dress. When you're picking your outfit select something that represents the "real" you. If the date you're going on doesn't really allow you to dress like yourself, consider asking him nicely if you can do possibly do something else.

Be on time: Being fashionably late is acceptable for a large party but not for a one-on-one date. It's easy to overthink a decision like this. Don't get anxious and wrapped up in your head. If you can't find the perfect first date outfit don't worry, just be sure to wow him with your personality!

What's your go-to first date outfit? Tell us below!

Will Chris Soules Be Tuning in to Watch His Celebrity Exes on 'The Bachelorette' Season 11?





By Emma L. Wells

The premiere of *The Bachelorette* season 11 is less than three weeks away. We know we'll be watching, but what about former *Bachelor* Chris Soules? It's understandable that he may not want to tune in to the reality TV show to watch two of his celebrity exes — *Kaitlyn Bristowe* and *Britt Nilsson* — search for a relationship and love. "Kaitlyn and Britt were obviously a part of my life, and I'm interested to see how their journey goes," Soules told *People.com*. "Honestly, right now, I'm okay with that part of my life being behind me." Since *The Bachelor*, Soules certainly seems to have moved on to a happy celebrity engagement with his fiancé Whitney Biscoff. However, just because Prince Farming is busy with *Dancing with the Stars* doesn't mean he'll be able to avoid *The Bachelorette*. "Whitney will definitely be watching, so I'll probably be watching," he joked.

Former Bachelor Chris Soules says

he still cares for his celebrity exes. What are some ways you can be friends with your ex after your relationship and love ends?

Cupid's Advice:

When it comes to relationships and love, just because you have ended your romantic partnership doesn't mean you don't want to see your ex anymore. Being friends after a break-up isn't easy, but Cupid has some tips on how you can make it work:

1. Don't force it: You shouldn't force a friendship on anyone, ex-lover or not. Similarly, forming a platonic relationship with your ex has to happen naturally. If romantic feelings or resentments remain, it won't be possible. Give yourself time to grieve and move on. Once you've adjusted to life apart, then it may be time to offer your friendship. Don't rush into this phase immediately following a split.

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2. Think about your language: It'll be easier to be friends if you don't refer to them as your ex anymore; you're heading in the right direction once you can introduce them simply as your friend. You should be prepared for a bit of an awkward phase to start out. Recognize that it's an adjustment; eventually, you two will figure out how to act around each other.

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3. Consider your new significant other's feelings: If you are able to form a friendship with your ex, keep in mind that your new partner may not understand. Be mindful of their feelings.

Additionally, if you feel yourself getting jealous of your ex's new boyfriend or girlfriend, you might be harboring some residual romantic feelings. In this case, it's probably best to take a step back from the friendship until you can work through them.

Have you remained friends with any of your exes? Tell us your story below!

'The Bachelorette' Battle Begins as Season 11 Promo is Released!





By Emma L. Wells

The Bachelorette season 11 promo was released this week with the tagline "50 Shades of Cray," and judging from the commercial, the hit reality TV show will certainly be exciting. According to the HollywoodReporter.com, there will be two Bachelorettes — Britt Nilsson and Kaitlyn Bristowe, both former contestants from The Bachelor season 19 — 25 contestants (one of which arrives wearing a giant cupcake costume), and lots of drama. It now appears that, in the premiere episode, the men will have to vote on which Bachelorette remains for the season. The promo also shows Bristowe crying and saying, "I just don't feel like this is how I should have to do it." We can't wait to tune in on May 18th!

The Bachelorette season 11 contestants have to make a quick

decision about their feelings for the two leading ladies. How can you make good split-second judgments when it comes to relationships and love?

Cupid's Advice:

There's something to be said for following your heart. When it comes to big decisions about relationships and love, we can easily get wrapped up and make the choice more complicated than it needs to be. Cupid has some love advice on how to make these guick decisions easier:

1. Basic instincts: Our instincts are part of our biology and shouldn't be ignored. If you're on a blind date and have a bad feeling, then you should listen to it. Similarly, when you meet a great potential match, you should pay attention to your first instinct and go for it. Follow your heart and don't waste time second guessing yourself.

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Her Fear For Chris Soules

2. Pros and cons: It's easy for our heads to get muddled in a time crunch, making us fall into analysis paralysis. You might have to be a little brutal when scrutinizing your choices quickly. If you have to make a decision fast, then logically think about the pros and cons of your choices. Don't let the ticking clock trip you up!

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3. Que sera, sera: Unless you have a crystal ball or a time machine, you won't be able to see into the future. This

thought should actually take some of the pressure off your decision. Remember that you're making the best choice you can with the information you have and that nothing's permanent. Whatever will be, will be!

How do you make fast decisions when it comes to a relationship and love? Tell us below!

New Celebrity Couple? Reality TV Stars Josh Murray and Ashley Iaconetti Party Together in NYC





By Emma L. Wells

Last Monday, <u>The Bachelorette</u> season 10 winner Josh Murray and *The Bachelor* season 19 contestant Ashley Iaconetti were seen with a large group partying in New York City, prompting rumors that these reality TV stars are a new celebrity couple. Murray posted a picture of the mostly gal group on his Instagram, saying, "Had a great time, NYC, it's always nice meeting new friends." Only Iaconetti and one other woman were tagged in the shot of 13 party-goers. <u>People.com</u> reported that Murray was in New York working for fitness and nutrition brand AdvoCare. Despite sitting close and looking like a cute famous couple, both Murray and Iaconetti insist they aren't dating.

These two reality TV stars have denied being a celebrity couple, but given their similar

experiences, we think they'd be a good pair! Find out how a common background can help your relationship and love be a success.

Cupid's Advice:

We've all heard that opposites attract. While a little disparity in a relationship can add some spice, being with someone who shares a similar history is a strong foundation for a new relationship and love. Cupid explains why below:

1. You have a better understanding: People are a product of their experiences. Understanding someone's experiences firsthand will help you better understand them and their intentions. Being on a reality TV dating show is not something a lot of people can realate to, which is one reason why Murray and Iaconetti could potentially match well as a celebrity couple.

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2. You share a common perspective: In most cases, having a similar background means that you will also have a similar perspective on certain issues. Whether it be politics, religion, finances, or family, when you share the same opinions, you'll be able to communicate better. These types of discussions can be difficult to have, but if you're of the same mind, you'll come to an agreement much easier.

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3. There's an easier learning curve: If you are from different ways of life (religiously, culturally, socio-economically,

etc.), it doesn't mean your relationship and love won't succeed, but it *does* mean that you'll have to take more time and effort to learn about your beau's background. When you date someone who has shared experiences, you get to skip that step.

Do you think these two reality TV stars would make a good celebrity couple? Tell us below!

Josh Murray Has Moved On After Celebrity Break-Up from Former 'Bachelorette' Andi Dorfman





By Emma L. Wells

It's only been two months since his sudden celebrity break-up with Andi Dorfman, but Josh Murray seems to be doing just fine. At the iHeartRadio Music Awards, E! Online asked him if he missed his celebrity ex, and he said no. "We're friends and everything like that," he responded. "But at the end of the day, when you're very different from somebody else, it just doesn't work out." He also said that, while eventually he wants a relationship and family, he's not dating right now. When asked if he would consider returning to The Bachelorette to find that special someone, he replied, "It was a great experience, but I did that already, and I'm kind of moving on from that specific part of my life." Still, he hasn't ruled out the possibility of being the next Bachelor if asked.

The winner of *The Bachelorette* seems happy without his celebrity

ex. What are some ways you can cope with a break-up and move on too?

Cupid's Advice:

Breaks-ups, no matter the circumstances or the length of the relationship, are tough on everyone. Following *The Bachelorette* winner's lead, Cupid has some dating and relationship advice to help you cope after a split:

1. Everything happens for a reason: Murray is more equipped to move on from his celebrity ex because he understands why their relationship and love didn't last. Knowing the cause behind your break-up will help you deal with it for many reasons. First, once you identify the issues, you can stop wondering what went wrong. And second, it will help you avoid similar situations or mistakes so you'll have more success in the future.

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2. Forgive and forget: It'll be hard to move on if you're still harboring negative feelings for your ex. This is easier said than done, but once you're able to let go of your hurt and stop placing blame, you'll be in a much healthier and happier place. You'll know you've truly dealt with your breakup when you can look at your ex and say that you only wish them well.

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3. C'est la vie: While it's upsetting and disappointing when a relationship ends, try to remember that, if it was truly meant to be, then it would have worked out. Spend more time thinking about the exciting opportunities of your future than you do

worrying about the mistakes in your past.

What have you done to move on from a breakup? Tell us below!

'Bachelorette' Star Emily Maynard Enjoys Her Celebrity Pregnancy While Taking a Boat Ride with Family





By Emma L. Wells

Lucky for fans, former Bachelorette Emily Maynard is keeping

the world up-to-date about her <u>celebrity</u> <u>pregnancy</u> via Instagram. Last week, the blonde beauty posted a picture of herself with husband Tyler Johnson and daughter Ricki with the caption, "Spring break on a boat." In it, the reality TV star is glowing, and her baby bump is growing! <u>UsMagazine.com</u> reported that she recently celebrated her celebrity baby shower and shared a sweet photo of the gender reveal cake. Unfortunately, Maynard didn't let out any secrets about her celebrity pregnancy, writing, "The cutest gender reveal cake I ever could've imagined...I'll let you all know once I tell all our family first \(\partial \text{Any guesses?"}\)

This Bachelorette star is having fun during her celebrity pregnancy! What are some pre-baby activities you and your partner can do to make this time special?

Cupid's Advice:

Pregnancy is amazing and exciting for you and your significant other, but it can also be hectic and overwhelming. It's important for you to take some time to enjoy this moment! Cupid has some relationship advice to help you do so:

1. Plan a babymoon: Babymoons are quickly becoming more and more popular, and it's easy to see why. Like a honeymoon, you and your sweetheart can get out town for a few days and spend some quality time together. Even if you do a staycation, it can be beneficial for your relationship and love to just relax and enjoy each other's company before there's a new addition to your family.

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2. Take lots of pictures: You're going to want to document this time in your relationship! It can go by fast, and you two will enjoy having pictures and video to look back on. They'll also be great to show your little bundle of joy when they're all grown up. You may even consider getting professional photos taken for you to frame and hang in the nursery.

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3. Throw a party: Your pregnancy is a special moment to be shared with everyone you love. Though baby showers are fun, why not throw a party to celebrate you and your partner? Invite your friends and family over and have a great time reminiscing about the past and getting excited for the future. It's also a good opportunity to get some advice from other parents!

What are some pre-baby activities you and your partner have done together? Tell us below!

Famous Couple Sean Lowe and Catherine Giudici Speak Out Against the New 'Bacherlorette' Twist





By Meranda Yslas

The latest celebrity news is that two women, Katilyn Bristowe and Britt Nilsson, will be on the upcoming season of *The Bachelorette*. This announcement has left a lot of people puzzled and some even angry. According to *UsMagazine.com*, famous couple Sean Lowe and Catherine Giudici, who met on season 17 of *The Bachelor*, are not happy about this change. Lowe wrote on his personal blog that this decision is "downright degrading for the women" because it "transfers the power back to the men on the show specifically designed for the women." He feels that the contestants on *The Bachelorette* shouldn't be given the authority to choose which woman will stay and which will go.

Sean Lowe is against shifting the power back to the men on *The Bachelorette*. What are some ways

that couples can have equal say in their relationship?

Cupid's Advice:

An important part of any relationship and love is maintaining a balance of power between the couple. One person cannot be over controlling so that their partner resents them and one person cannot be too submissive where they get walked on. Cupid offers some relationship advice on how to find a middle ground:

1. Sharing the bills: Without a doubt, the idea of gender roles are constantly being challenged in our modern generation. No longer is it a 'wife duty' to clean the house, while the husband is the bread giver. Having one partner in charge of the bills will definitely cause some imbalance of power in the relationship. Splitting the bills in half will make sure one person doesn't feel too dependent on the other.

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2. Create an open environment: Sometimes an unequal say in a relationship stems from one person in the couple being too scared or nervous to speak their mind about something. Instead, he/she will keep their mouth close while their mate continues doing something they don't like. Make sure the relationship fosters an open and honest environment so that both people are free to speak their mind.

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3. Make decisions together: Making important decisions in a relationship should be the job of both partners, not just one. When deciding on something, like what school to send your kids

or what car to buy, make sure this task isn't in one person's hands, but is considered by both people in the relationship.

How do you maintain a balance in your relationship? Share below.

Reality TV Host Chris Harrison Reveals Twist for Next Season of 'The Bachelorette'





By Emma L. Wells

Fans were shocked last night when Chris Harrison named two women to be the stars of the upcoming season of The Bachelorette. According to the WashingtonPost.com, the producers of the reality TV show were divided on whether to pick Kaitlyn Bristowe or Britt Nilsson, both former contestants from The Bachelor season 19, so they're going to let the men make the decision for them. This has never happened on The Bachelorette before, but it's actually not a first in franchise history: The Bachelor season 6 also began with two potential guys. It's no surprise that Bristowe and Nilsson seemed underwhelmed and unenthused by the announcement, both trying to stay polite during their joint conversation with Harrison.

On the next season of *The Bachelorette*, Bristowe and Nilsson will again be squaring off on their quest for a relationship and love. How can you use dating competition to your advantage?

Cupid's Advice:

Competition in any area can make you work harder, but it also makes the situation tougher. It all depends on how you play the game! Cupid has some dating advice about how to make competition work for you when it comes to a relationship and love:

1. Stand out from the crowd: Normally, it's not very healthy to compare yourself to others. But in this case, you can make it work to your advantage. The key is to embrace and promote the qualities that make you unique. By standing out from the crowd, you'll draw his eyes away from your so-called

opponents.

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2. Be cool: If you feel you're in a competitive dating environment, the best thing you can do is stay calm. You'll look confident and therefore more attractive if you can appear to be unbothered by any adversaries. Your future beau will notice you and want to know what makes you so self-assured.

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3. Embrace your uncompetitive side: Believe it or not, even if you're the type who isn't interested in opposition, competition in dating can still help you, thanks to the process of elimination. By knowing you won't fit well with someone interested in engaging in dating contests, you've saved your own time by excluding those types of people from the running. Think quality over quantity.

How have you handled dating competition in the past? Tell us in the comments below!

Exclusive Celebrity
Interview: 'Bachelorette'
Couple Ashley and J.P.
Rosenbaum Are Divided on Who

Will Win Chris Soules's Heart!





Interviewed by Lori Bizzoco. Written by Meranda Yslas.

The relationship between J.P. and Ashley Rosenbaum is a celebrity love story come true. This famous couple met on The Bachelorette season 7, and since then, they've gotten married and welcomed a new addition to their family, son Fordham (Ford) Rhys. The adorable pair, who recently moved to Miami, are getting the hang of being first-time parents and opened up about their experiences as a family of three in our exclusive celebrity interview. Plus, we found out they're a house divided when it comes to this season of The Bachelor!

'Bachelorette' Celebrity Couple Talks About Life as New Parents

Raising a baby — whether it's for the first time or the fifth time — is by no means easy, but for the celebrity couple, Ford has been a blessing. "He's a model angel baby," the proud dad shares. So far, there haven't been any big moments that the duo couldn't handle, but like any first-time parents, J.P. admits that they "just roll with the punches!"

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Rosenbaum Talk About Life with Newborn Son Fordham

At just five months old, Ford is already making huge progress in his development. "He rolls over and sits up. Of course, we have to put pillows around him, but he can sit up for a pretty extended period of time," Ashley gushes. "He's grabbing at things; he's eating semi-solid foods right now; and he's taking the packaging, putting it into his mouth, and trying to feed himself. It's a pretty exciting time right now!"

The celebrity mom has a prediction for an upcoming milestone in her son's life too: She thinks Ford's first word will be "Boo." She elaborates, "That's our dog's name, and he's always hearing us say 'Boo,' so we're pretty sure that's what he's going to say first."

Like most dads, J.P. is excited for his son to follow in his footsteps and play sports someday. "I grew up playing basketball, soccer, lacrosse, and baseball, so we're going to let him try out everything," the former Bachelorette contestant shares. Noticing that Ford has been using his left hand more frequently, he adds, "We think he may be a lefty, so he may have an advantage as a pitcher. We're definitely going to get a baseball in his hand pretty early."

Now that Ford is a little bit older, the celebrity couple is feeling more comfortable with other people watching him so

that they can have some alone time. "Ashley is going back to work soon, and we just hired a nanny about two weeks ago. We're easing into the 'leaving him with somebody else' phase so that we can go on date nights," J.P. reveals. "We're almost there!"

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A few months before their son was born, the reality TV stars packed their bags and headed south. Fortunately, the move to Florida was a great choice for them. "I don't see us going back to New York. We've only been down here for about eight months, but we love it," J.P. shares.

Lucky for them, the winter in Miami hasn't been too severe, but just in case it gets blustery, the famous couple partnered with Puffs to make sure they're prepared. "We thought it was a cool partnership. We're just promoting staying healthy and putting your best face forward throughout the winter, Ashley explains in our exclusive celebrity interview. "What we love about Puffs is that it's a campaign to promote taking care of yourself and providing comfort to you during cold and flu season, especially with such a harsh one this year,"

Being that *The Bachelorette* season 7 stars have some experience under their belts, talk of another baby has come up. "I had so much fun. I had a great pregnancy. I really, really enjoyed just having a baby and him being born," the new mom says. "So who knows! Maybe we'll go for a third, but right now, we're really thinking two."

J.P. and Ashley Rosenbaum on Chris Soules and *The Bachelor* Season 19

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Given their celebrity love story, it's no surprise that they enjoy watching *The Bachelor* together. With the finale of Chris Soules's journey tonight, we had to ask their thoughts on the remaining two ladies. The former *Bachelorette* is Team Becca. "I love both Whitney and Becca, but personally, I think Becca would be better for Chris," she reveals. "I feel like she is more genuine. She hasn't had a lot of love in her life, and she moves a little bit slowly, but I feel like there can potentially be a more real relationship between then."

J.P. disagrees. "I'm on the other side. I think his relationship with Whitney has progressed so much more than his relationship with Becca. I think he would be leaning more towards Whitney," he shares.

When it comes to the next season of *The Bachelorette*, the famous couple agree that ousted contestant Kaitlyn Bristowe is the best pick. "We like Kaitlyn a lot," Ashley says. "She seems like a cool chick. She's got a little edge to her, so we like that."

J.P. adds, "She's funny too. I think she'd make a good Bachelorette."

You can keep up with the cute couple on Twitter @ashhebert and @JP_Rosenbaum. Be sure to tune in for The Bachelor season 19 finale tonight on ABC at 8/7c!

Trista Sutter Reveals Celebrity News: Two Year

Infertility Battle





By Katie Gray

The Bachelorette favorite, Trista Stutter, has been in the celebrity news a lot lately. The reality star opened up about her two year infertility battle with celebrity pregnancy that she faced before she got pregnant with her first child. She touches on this in her new book, Happily Ever After: The Life Changing Power of a Grateful Heart. According to USMagazine.com, Sutter said, "I talk about in the book how we struggled with infertility for almost two years. I always wanted to be a mom, it was always my dream and although I wanted to be a career person for a very long time, overplaying that at all times was to become a mother." Trista married Ryan in 2003, and they captured hearts around the country. They welcomed their son Max into the world in 2007 and daughter Blakesley two years later.

The latest celebrity news surrounding Trista and Ryan Sutter is not uncommon. What are some ways to support your partner through infertility struggles?

Cupid's Advice:

People struggle to get pregnant all the time, and it can be emotionally draining. Cupid has some tips on how to support your partner:

1. Be there: The most important thing you can do is be there for your partner during this difficult time. Go with her to appointments, do some research, and seek out opinions and information from experts. Listen to what your partner says, so that they are being heard during this stressful and sad time. Let them know that they can vent to you!

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2. Show love: Make sure to remind your partner constantly how much you love them. Surprise them with little things to make them happy. Even though something you both want isn't happening at the moment, reaffirm that the bond and love between you two is still present, forever and always!

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3. Stay positive: Although it can be hard, you have to stay positive at all times. Be encouraging and hopeful, so that your partner will stay that way, too. Remember there is always light at the end of the tunnel!

What are some ways you have supported your partner during this

Former 'Bachelorette' Reality TV Star Desiree Hartsock Jokes About Being A 'Mama in Training'





By Emma L. Wells

<u>The Bachelorette</u> famous couple Desiree Hartsock and Chris Siegfried celebrated their celebrity wedding in January of this year, and they already have babies on the brain! Earlier

this week, an Instagram photo sent rumors flying that the brunette beauty is on her way to becoming a celebrity mom. *Inquisitr.com* shared a photo of the reality TV star happily holding a baby with the caption: "Mama in training with @floridaray18 baby Jax. He's so precious I couldn't put him down!" Baby Jax belongs to new celebrity mom Renee Oteri Maynard, who is a former contestant from *The Bachelor* and good friends with Hartsock. Both Hartsock and Siegfried have talked about wanting to add kids to their relationship and love, but the newlywed quickly squashed the rumors by commenting in the thread that she's not currently expecting.

Desiree Hartsock isn't pregnant, but it looks like she's ready to become a celebrity mom! What are some signs that you're ready to have a baby?

Cupid's Advice:

Having a baby is one of the biggest decisions you can ever make, and there are many factors you should consider before taking that step. Cupid has some relationship advice on how to tell if the timing is right for you and your beau:

1. You have a strong partnership: Having a baby puts a strain on your relationship and love in many ways and for many reasons. If your partnership is already a little rocky, it might be a good idea to wait until you two are on more stable ground before embarking on this journey. You should be sure that you and your significant other can support each other throughout parenthood. After all, once you're a parent, you're a parent for the rest of your life! Be sure that's a

commitment that both of you can make.

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2. Your finances are in order: Everyone knows kids aren't cheap! Recent estimates put the average cost of raising a child in middle-income America until they are 18 at 241,080 dollars, and those numbers are quickly rising. It can cost thousands of dollars during the pregnancy alone. Make sure you have a financial plan in place before getting pregnant.

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3. It's for the right reasons: There are many reasons to have a child, and some make more sense than others. For instance, don't have a baby just because you think they're cute or because it's what people expect from you after marriage. It may be helpful for you and your partner to each make a list of why you want a baby and why you want one now. If your reasons are good and your lists match up, then it's a good sign the timing is right!

How can you tell if you're ready to be a parent? Tell us below!

'The Bachelorette' Andi Dorfman Says Split From Josh Murray Is 'the Biggest

Failure of My Life'





By Rebecca White

Some celebrity love stories don't end with holy matrimony. Celebrity exes Andi Dorfman and Josh Murray split a few months ago during the holidays. According to <u>UsMagazine.com</u>, Dorfman said this is the biggest failure of her life so far. The reality TV star also said that the celebrity breakup was mutual, stemming from compatibility issues.

Even celebrity exes like 'The Bachelorette' star Andi Dorfman and Josh Murray deal with feelings of

failure in the wake of a break-up. What are some ways to keep those feelings at bay?

Cupid's Advice:

Even though these celebrity exes have parted ways, that doesn't mean that either of them should feel like a failure. Here's some dating and relationship advice to help you deal with these feelings after an awful breakup:

1. Be open and honest with yourself: When you are ready to be open and honest with yourself about your relationship and love life, instead of bottling up emotions of regret and failure, your family and friends will be as supportive as they can be.

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2. Remember you're not a failure: Even though your fairytale ending didn't come true with this one, that doesn't mean it won't happen for you. The simple truth is that you fell in love, but now you both have decided to part ways. It's not a crime or a failure, it just didn't work out.

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3. Stay positive: Try writing down positive and negative things about what worked in the relationship and what didn't. Acknowledge what you want and what you don't want. This will help you figure out how to choose the next lucky partner to steal your heart.

How do you avoid feeling like a failure after a breakup? Comment below!