# Celebrity Parents: Garth Brooks Gets Real About Raising Daughters After Split from Ex-Wife





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In <u>celebrity news</u>, country singer Garth Brooks opened up about raising his three daughters after ending his <u>celebrity relationship</u> with his now ex-wife. According to *UsMagazine.com*, Brooks was grateful to have the help of his best friend and partner, Trisha Yearwood. With the help of each other, the three parents worked together to raise the three girls. Brooks stated, "Never ever did one of those kids take the field where at least one parent wasn't in the stands...I love music to death, really do. But there's nothing like loving your babies."

In celebrity parenting news, Garth Brooks had to create a whole new life after the split from his exwife. What are some ways to divvy up parenting duties with your ex?

#### Cupid's Advice:

Famous couple Garth Brooks and Sandy Mahl ended their celebrity relationship in 2000. However, that did not hinder them from working together, alongside Brooks' new girlfriend and then wife, Trisha Yearwood, to raise their three daughters. Cupid has some relationship advice to help you divvy up parenting duties with your ex:

1. Create a schedule: The simplest way to divvy up responsibilities is to create a schedule. Sit down with your ex and discuss who will do each duty, including spending quality time with the kids. To avoid any possible fights, stick to the schedule as closely as possible.

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2. Attend events together: This method is best for the children. There are few things worse than seeing your parents apart, ease your child's pain by attending important events such as sporting games or performances together to show that despite the split you both support your child.

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**3. Be understanding:** Sometimes things happen. Maybe your ex couldn't make it to an event or maybe they needed to change the schedule. As long as this isn't a reoccurring habit, there

is no need to stir up any drama. Try to understand the position your ex is in to avoid any fights.

What are some other ways to divvy up parental responsibilities? Let us know in the comments below!

## Celebrity Couples: Cutest Country Music Pairs





By <u>Katie Gray</u>

In the name of country music! Country is one of the most popular genres of music. For decades, it has been ruling the charts. One of the reasons that country music is so popular is because it is very relatable to everybody. Country songs are usually about family, friends, God, and of course — love. Whether it's an upbeat country pop song about hanging out and

having a cold beer after working hard, or a love ballad about a breakup — the country music genre has it covered. Country music celebrity couples tend to have long lasting marriages and relationships, and they typically have families — where they are very hands on and involved with family life. It's incredibly refreshing, especially in this day and age. (Their celebrity weddings are always beautiful!) These celebrity relationships are here to stay. Johnny Cash and June Carter were the King and Queen of country music and married life. Now there are more country music couples following in their footsteps, and we couldn't be happier for these healthy and loving relationships!

#### Cupid has compiled the 5 cutest country music celebrity couples:

- 1. Faith Hill & Tim McGraw: This kiss! Two of country music's biggest stars, Faith Hill and Tim McGraw, have been together for 20 years! They are happily married and proud parents, to three daughters. They have each stated that they respect one another, and value their marriage as the most important thing. They have never spent more than three consecutive days apart from one another. Just like Taylor Swift sings in one of her earliest hits 'Tim McGraw' "When you think Tim McGraw, I hope you think of me." When this beautiful couple performs duets together, swoon!
- 2. Martina McBride & John McBride: This country couple keeps it all in the music business! Country singer-songwriter, Martina McBride, married sound engineer John Mcbride back in 1988. They have been together for 28 years! The couple has three daughters together. After becoming a mother, she made it clear she wanted to be present in her children's lives so cut back on touring. The two make sure to put family first!
- 3. Hillary Scott & Chris Tyrrell: Lady Antebellum! The lead

singer of the popular music group, Lady Antebellum, is beautiful (inside & out) singer — Hillary Scott. She is married to Chris Tyrrell, who is now a drummer for her band! Talk about mixing business with pleasure and making it work! This country duo has been together for five years!

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4. Keith Urban & Nicole Kidman: Country superstar, Keith Urban, is known for his incredible music, powerful stage presence, and for being super down to earth. It is widely reported that he is as humble as they come! For ten years he has been with award winning actress — Nicole Kidman. This pretty pair is for sure a power couple! They have two young daughters together — Sunday and Faith.

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**5. Garth Brooks & Trisha Yearwood:** This country couple — is country music royalty. Garth Brooks and Trisha Yearwood, are each successful country music artists. They have been together for 11 years! He proposed to her in front of 7,000 fans and the duo wed in 2005. They live a happy, humble, pretty private, life in Oklahoma. They celebrate their wedding anniversary every year with family, and make family their top priority. Cheers to the King and Queen of Country Music!

Who are your favorite country music celebrity couples? Share below!

### 5 Celebrity Chefs' Signature Dishes You Can Make At Home





By <u>Marissa Donovan</u>

Getting into the colder months can put you in a lethargic mood. Cooking for yourself or your family becomes harder and sometimes the usual pizza or take out seems like the quickest way to make everyone happy. During these upcoming winter months, don't fall into the routine of ordering out! Instead, try these warm recipes to lift your family's spirits!

#### Try these yummy celebrity chef <u>food</u> recipes for your next family meal!

Mario Batali's Tomato Focaccia: Instead of ordering pizza, make a fresh pizza-like dish that your whole family can pull a part and enjoy! Put on additional toppings in case your family wants a little more than just tomatoes.



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Ina Garten's Herb and Apple Stuffing: Get ready for the winter holidays or prepare comfort food that your family can devour. This recipe can also be paired with a roasted turkey or chicken!



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Jamie Oliver's Sweet Potato, Chickpea & Spinach Curry: Spice up your family's taste buds with with this celebrity chef dish! Make sure to buy a bag of tortilla chips or bread for this warm meal.



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<u>Trisha Yearwood's Chicken Tortilla Soup</u>: Ditch your can of chicken noodle soup, and switch up your family's expectations with this fun and tasty recipe! This dish will sure to make your family ask for seconds.



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Ree Drummond's Nutella Wontons: Try making this rich fried dessert after your family finishes dinner. This dessert is best served with a small dish of vanilla ice cream.



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Which of these celebrity chef recipes do you plan on trying first? Let us know in the comments!

#### Real Life Celebrity Duets







Beyonce and Jay Z

Known as the queen and king of music, this couple is one of the most powerful celebrity duos. Not only has the hot pair been together for over a decade, they collaborate regularly with too many songs to count and recently performed their On The Run Tour together for thousands of fans around the U.S. Photo: Janet Mayer / PRPhotos.com