



ASK DEANNA!
*Real People,
Real Advice*

Ask Deanna! is a column known for its fearless approach to reality-based subjects!

Dear Deanna!

I've spent tons of money on dates and dining but get nothing in return. I try to hold on to chivalry in this day and age but women need to get with the program and spend as well. I'm tired of watching other men do the same? How do I let a woman know I want to date her but I'm not willing to part with my money too soon?

Roger D.
Atlanta, GA

Dear Roger:

You're trying to be impressive by spending money like a fake Donald Trump. If "getting something" drives your motivation for dinner and dating then you got what you deserved. Nothing. It's none of your business how other men spend their money. You should lead by example. Before your next date have a money discussion and determine who's paying or if you'll go Dutch and keep it moving.

Dear Deanna!

I'm responding to Marvin in Omaha, NE who was dating two women. You advised him to honestly tell each woman about the other and risk losing them both. I disagree. There are many women that don't mind sharing because of the assumed men shortage. I'm a two-timer and think Marvin should continue as long as no one is getting hurt and he's keeping everybody happy.

Cecil B.
Orlando, FL

Dear Cecil:

With that advice you may as well tell cheaters to get their HIV, gonorrhea, and herpes in a 2-for-1 deal while it's hot. Lying and cheating men cause women to commit crimes of passion like stalking, drive-bys and sometimes murder. Only a foolish person would live this lifestyle. Think about your health; find one woman to love and pray that you don't run into a fool that will wipe you out for being a cheater.

Dear Deanna!

My pastor is dating a lady that I feel is loose. She pulls into the driveway blasting rap music, has him drinking wine and I'm sure they're intimate. I'm in the process of rallying a protest at my church if he doesn't stop this behavior. As a Christian, am I right to take this matter into my own hands or should I wait for the Church to act?

Anonymous
Memphis, TN

Dear Anonymous:

I'm willing to say you're one of those tight, dried up judgmental Christians that has something to say about everything and evidence to prove nothing. How do you know it was rap music unless you listen to it yourself and can recognize the lyrics? You sound like a hater armed with gossip and you should be ashamed of yourself. However, it's okay to be concerned. You should approach this the right way and consult with a church elder in private before launching an attack that may burn you in the end.

Ask Deanna! is written by Deanna M. Write: Ask Deanna! Email: askdeanna1@yahoo.com or 264 S. LaCienega Blvd. Suite 1283 Beverly Hills, CA 90211 Website: www.askdeanna.com

Jackson ends brief self exile

TOKYO (AP) - Michael Jackson made his first public appearance since being acquitted on child molestation charges, choking up as he thanked Japanese fans at an award ceremony Saturday.

"I'm honored to be in Japan again and I'm very happy to be among the Japanese people because I love them very much," Jackson said in a brief appearance at MTV Japan's "Legend Award" ceremony at Yoyogi Olympic Stadium. "Thank you for your loyalty."

The pop star was to visit orphanages, tour Tokyo and meet with businessmen during his trip to Japan, said Broderick D. Morris, chief executive of Positive Productions Yokohama, an en-



Michael Jackson, right, and Japanese personality Masami Hisamoto acknowledge cheers from Japanese fans after the U.S. entertainer received a Legend Award at the MTV Music Awards Japan 2006 in Tokyo on Saturday.

tertainment promotions company.

Jackson arrived Friday night with his three children and will stay through

Wednesday on the first leg of a swing through Asia that will include stops in Singapore, Shanghai, China and Hong Kong.

"I'd like to say to the Japanese people from the bottom of my heart, I love you very much," said Jackson, wearing a fitted tuxedo with a short jacket.

Responding to his fans screaming "I love you!" Jackson replied: "I love you more." He flashed a victory sign to the crowd. "This is like his comeback party," Morris told The Associated Press before the event. "He's in good spirits, and he loves it here. "There has been a lot of bad press, but Japanese fans still love him. It's like a second home for him."

Jackson, 47, has been living in the Middle Eastern kingdom of Bahrain since his June acquittal on child molestation charges in California.

Lawyer asks for firing of NYC DJ

NEW YORK (AP) - The lawyer for a radio disc jockey who was arrested for on-air threats against a rival hip-hop DJ's young daughter asked a court Tuesday to dismiss charges against his client.

Troi Torain, known on the air as DJ Star, was arrested May 12 on charges of criminal possession of a weapon and endangering the welfare of a child after an uproar over his racist and sexual rants about the rival DJ's wife and 4-year-old daughter.

Torain's lawyer, Benjamin Brafman, said Torain made the comments, for which he has apologized, only after DJs at a competing hip-hop radio station barged him with threats and degrading and sexually offensive remarks.

Torain, 42, co-hosted the syndicated "Star & Buc Wild Morning Show" on WWPR-FM, or Power 105.1. His remarks — directed at Raashaun Casey, known as DJ Envy on WQHT-FM, or Hot 97 — led to his firing on May 10 and his arrest two days later. He is free on \$2,000 bail.

Prosecutors had no comment Tuesday.

Brafman said Torain committed no crime with his handgun, for which he had a license until police lifted it after the radio uproar. "It is counsel's (Brafman's) expectation that these (gun) charges will be voluntarily dismissed by the district attorney," Brafman's said in papers filed in Manhattan's state Supreme Court.

Acknowledging that his client's remarks, "uttered in a moment of frustration," were offensive, Brafman said, "This case either does

not belong in criminal court at all, or if it does, the Hot 97 DJs should both be arrested as well, if you apply the same legal theory used to authorize the arrest of Mr. Torain."

Brafman's court papers said nothing that his client did was "likely to be injurious to the physical, mental and moral welfare of a child under 17" and the case

should be dismissed.

A spokeswoman for Hot 97 declined to comment Tuesday. DJ Star's show aired in markets including Philadelphia, Miami and Richmond, Va.

NATIONAL HUNGER AWARENESS DAY

is

JUNE 6, 2006

You're invited to a

Genuine Backyard Festival

at

Community Food Bank of Clark County
4190 N. Pecos Road

**FOOD • FUN • FRIENDS
RAFFLES • PRIZES**

Recognizing donors, volunteers, workers, and organizations, who help the helpers feed needy people in Southern Nevada

10:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Bring canned or boxed food to donate

"WHEN YOU GIVE MANY ARE FED"