

He is Not Moving the Relationship Forward – A Relationship Expert Shares Exactly What To Do

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Ask yourself the below questions



- If you feel that your partner is not moving the relationship forward, first ask yourself, where do you want the relationship to go?
- Do you know him well enough to know whether you even want a serious relationship with him?
- Do you know what you truly want in your life?

These are the first things to ask yourself before you struggle with moving the relationship forward.

Sometimes, women are fixated on a goal of marriage or having children because of age or a biological clock.

Make sure that you are not rushing or just checking off a box in your life plan, and that you are partnering with someone who can truly be a good partner before you try to move the relationship forward.

Partnering with someone is one of the biggest decisions you will ever make, and it can make all the difference between a miserable life or a fulfilling one.

The next thing to do is to take your own inventory.

- What are YOU doing to move the relationship forward?
- Are you deepening the intimacy between you by loving your partner well?
- Are you communicating with each other?

Everyone has different love languages, and we have to be able to speak the same language as our partner, and learn to love and be loved in a way that is understood by both parties.

If you are clear that this person is a good match, and that you want to move forward, communicate this at an appropriate time and do a check-in on whether you're both on the same page.

If your partner is unwilling to move forward, he may not be the right person after all.

You can't force someone to love you or to want what you want. You can't make a commitment-phobic person commit. You want a compatible partner, not a project. That means that you have similar values, goals, and maturity.

Relationships are not easy, and they always require work.

But if you keep hitting a brick wall and banging your head against it, you may want to consider moving on. Give yourself a time limit, and then decide when you are no longer willing to invest your valuable time. Time is the most valuable commodity we have; it's the only thing that we can never recover. Use it wisely.

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