

Phrasal verbs

12 Relationships

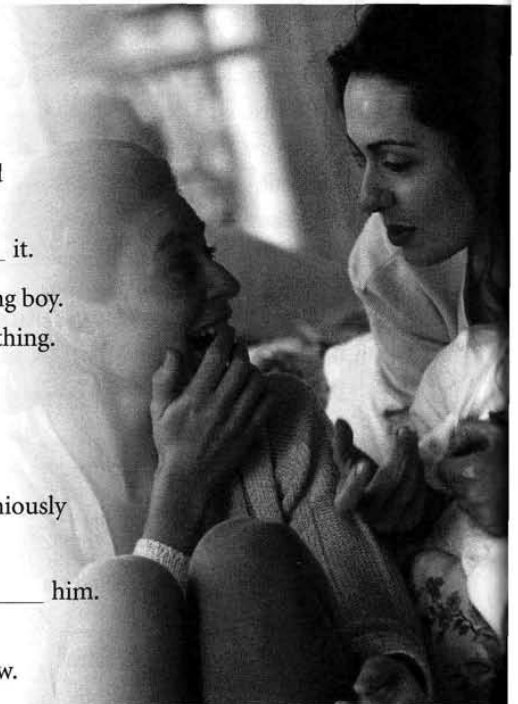
1 Write the phrasal verbs under the correct heading in the table.

ask sb out	break sth off	chat sb up
fall for sb	get off with sb	get over sb / sth
go off sb	pack sb in	pick sb up
run after sb	split up with sb	walk out on sb

Starting a relationship	Finishing a relationship
ask sb out	

2 Complete the conversations with the correct form of a phrasal verb from exercise 1.

- 1 A Did you hear that Samantha and Oliver have (1) split up?
- B No!
- A Yes. She (2) _____ him last week.
- B Do you think there's a chance they'll get back together?
- A No way. Apparently Samantha's (3) _____ the engagement and returned the ring.
- B Oh, dear. He's besotted with her. He'll take forever to (4) _____ it.
- 2 C I saw you at the party last night, (5) _____ that gorgeous-looking boy.
- D Yeah, but that's all we did – talk. I didn't (6) _____ him or anything.
- 3 E Are David and Judy still going out?
- F No. He's (7) _____ her _____.
- E That didn't last long.
- F No. He's always (8) _____ girls and dumping them unceremoniously after a few weeks.
- 4 G I've noticed Sally's starting to flirt with James. I think she's (9) _____ him.
- H I don't know what she sees in him, frankly.
- G No. I quite liked him at first, but I've really (10) _____ him now.



ENDQUOTES ... on love

Match a phrase in A with a phrase in B to make quotations about love.

A

- 1 Love at first sight is possible,
- 2 Love is blind –
- 3 Love can hope
- 4 Marry in haste,
- 5 Love is an irresistible desire
- 6 Love is shown in your deeds,
- 7 Do you believe in love at first sight
- 8 Love means nothing in tennis

B

- a repent at leisure.
- b to be irresistibly desired.
- c but everything in life.
- d but it pays to take a second look.
- e or do I have to walk past you again?
- f marriage is the eye-opener.
- g not in your words.
- h where reason would despair.