

Woman has concerns about future groom

DEARABBY: I am a 37-year-old woman who's engaged to be married. It will be a first marriage for both of us. I love my fiance, "Gill," very much, but I have a gut feeling something is not right. Since our engagement I am noticing things I either didn't see or ignored before. Some examples: Gill recently moved back to his home state, so we talk on the phone every other day.



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• dear abby

When we talk, he has to make whatever we talk about sexual. Not that I have anything against sex — it just annoys me that Gill can't think beyond his zipper when I'm trying to talk about a movie I just saw. He also never really has discussed his family or his past. He has met the majority of my family, but I have yet to meet anyone from his. Gill makes a point of saying, once

we are married he firmly believes the man should be "the head of the household, the decision maker." I told him that I don't believe in that "caveman, cavewoman" mentality and for him to get over himself. Although he has never verbally or physically abused me, I'm getting strange vibes, and I'm ready to call off the engagement. Am I being paranoid or a ... NERVOUS BRIDE-TO-BE? DEAR NERVOUS: You're not being paranoid. Listen to your intuition. For all of the reasons you have stated, you should not marry this man without extensive premarital counseling. DEAR ABBY: I am 10. I was

born in 1994. My problem is I really, really wish I had lived in the '80s. I know this sounds stupid, but the style was awesome — not skanky. The music was great — not rap. The '80s seem awesome! I mean, they had good songs like "She Blinded Me With Science." The '80s seem so cool — at least people are always saying so. Help, Abby, please. I'm sitting here listening to '80s music now. I wouldn't admit this to anyone else except my mom or dad. — BORN IN THE WRONG ERA DEAR IN THE WRONG ERA: I can't "fix" your problem, but it may comfort you to know that many people feel the way you do about

various eras — and that includes the roaring '20s, the romantic '30s, the fashionable '40s, the revolutionary '60s, the experimental '70s, as well as the "awesome" '80s. When you're older, you'll be able to satisfy your "itch" to live in the '80s by collecting music, clothing and accessories from that decade. It's not exactly a trip back in time, but it will capture the nostalgia. DEAR ABBY: I have always had my election ballots sent to my mother's house. (She lives only three blocks away.) While I was out of town on a recent business trip, my mother requested an absentee ballot in my name and then voted for me without my knowledge. When

she told me over the phone what she had done, I told her it was illegal. I am less concerned about who and what she voted for than the fact she did this at all. Other than my wife, no one knows because I have kept this issue discreet. What should I do? — TROUBLED IN CALIFORNIA DEAR TROUBLED: Contact the registrar of voters and give a change of address to the house in which you reside. That way your voter information and sample ballots will no longer be sent to your mother's address, and she won't be tempted to commit voter fraud again.

SATURDAY EVENING										JUNE 25, 2005									
E	S		6 pm	6:30	7 pm	7:30	8 pm	8:30	9 pm	9:30	10 pm	10:30	E=Eagle Cable S=S&T Telephone						
36	53	A&E	★★★ "Escape From Alcatraz" (1979) Clint Eastwood. A convict plots to escape from the notorious island prison. [E]				Bounty Hunter		American Justice "For Love or Money" [E]		★★★ "Escape From Alcatraz" (1979) [E]								
4	6	ABC	★★★ "Pocahontas" (1995, Adventure) Voices of Irene Bedard, Mel Gibson. [E]				America's Funniest Home Videos [E]		News [E]	(:35) Seinfeld [E]	(:05) Entertainment Tonight (N) [E]								
26	48	ANPL	Nuts for Mutts 2 (N)		Natural World "Serengeti 24" (N)		Africa's Secret Seven		Nuts for Mutts 2		Natural World "Serengeti 24"								
63	54	BRAVO	★★★ "The Birdcage" (1996) Robin Williams. A son's engagement throws a kink into a gay couple's life. 'R' [E]				★★★ "To Wong Foo, Thanks for Everything, Julie Newmar" (1995) Wesley Snipes. 'PG-13'				Blow Out [E]								
7	11	CBS	48 Hours Mystery "Postmarked for Murder" [E]		CSI: NY "Hush" [E]		48 Hours Mystery "Where's Our Baby?" [E]		News [E]	Drew Carey [E]	(:05) Paid Program [E]	(:35) Paid Program [E]							
24	50	DISC	American Hot Rod '65 Mustang 3" [E]		Biker Build-Off The Amen Brothers. [E]		American Chopper "I, Robot Bike 1" [E]		7 Wonders of the Wild West Hoover Dam symbolizes the American dream.										
33	44	DISN	Kim Possible: Buzz on Maggie [E]		Naturally Sadie (N)		Phil of the Future [E]		Zack & Cody [E]	That's So Raven [E]									
49	81	E!TV	Lindsay Lohan		Jennifer Aniston		Saturday Night Live [E]		Palms [E]	Palms [E]	Howard S. [E]	Howard S. [E]							
22	56	ESPN	College Baseball: NCAA World Series				Baseball Tonight [E]		SportsCenter (Live) [E]		Baseball Tonight [E]								
54	57	ESPN2	(5:30) IndyCar Racing SunTrust Indy Challenge.				MLS Soccer: Galaxy at Earthquakes				NHRA Drag Racing								
32	46	FAM	Wildfire [E]				I Wanna Be a Soap Star [E]		Videos [E]	Videos [E]	Videos [E]	Videos [E]							
59	-	FIT TV	Ultimate Goals [E]		FitNation [E]		Peak Performance [E]		Ultimate Goals [E]		FitNation [E]								
35	31	FMC	★★★ "Max Dugan Returns" (1983, Comedy)				★★ "Joanna" (1968, Drama) Genevieve Waite.				"Home in Indiana"								
53	68	FOOD	Emeril Live Recipes for a romantic dinner. (N)		Barefoot in Paris Ina Garten tours Paris.		Paula Deen's Wedding [E]		Iron Chef "Battle Pike Conger" Pike Conger.		Emeril Live Recipes for a romantic dinner.								
13	7	FOX	Cops [E]		Cops [E]		America's Most Wanted-Fights Back [E]		She Spies "Fondles" [E]		Mad TV [E]								
40	38	FX	NASCAR		NASCAR		NASCAR Racing Busch Series -- SBC 250. (Live)												
30	55	FXSP	MLB Baseball Kansas City Royals at Colorado Rockies. (Live)						Rocky Mt. [E]	Rockies [E]	Track [E]	Myers [E]							
5	14	HBO	War of Worlds		★★★ "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. [E]		PG [E]		★★★ "The Girl in the Café" (2005) Bill Nighy. Premiere. [E]		NR [E]	(:45) Entourage [E]							
62	67	HGTV	Design		Decorating [E]		Designer [E]		Design [E]		Design [E]	Decorating [E]							
58	52	HIST	Meteors: Fire in the Sky Major recorded impacts in history; remnants. [E]				Modern Marvels "Death Devices" [E]												
25	35	IND	★★★ "You've Got Mail" (1998) Tom Hanks, Meg Ryan. Two bit-brain business rivals conduct an online love affair. [E]				(:40) ★★ "Fools Rush In" (1997, Comedy) Matthew Perry, Salma Hayek. [E]				(:45) "Par-enthood" [E]								
18	63	LIFE	"Nowhere to Land"		"Final Ascent" (2000) Antonio Sabato Jr. [E]				Wild Card [E]			"Missing Brendan" [E]							
23	77	MTV	Bam		Pimp Ride [E]		Pimp Ride [E]		Pimp Ride [E]		Pimp Ride [E]	Flavorite [E]							
3	9	NBC	Someone You Know		Lifetime of Romance		History of Yellowstone		★★★ "Semi-Tough" (1977, Comedy) Burt Reynolds, Kris Kristofferson.		News [E]	Saturday Night Live [E]							
8	8	NBC	★★ "End of Days" (1999, Horror) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Gabriel Byrne.				Dateline NBC "Secrets to the Code" (N) [E]		News [E]		Saturday Night Live Will Ferrell; Queens of the Stone Age. [E]								
34	43	NICK	★★ "Hey Arnold! The Movie" [E]		Nicktoon [E]		Full House [E]		Fresh Pr. [E]		Fresh Pr. [E]								
2	2	PBS	Keeping Up [E]		As Time Goes By [E]		The Lawrence Welk Show "Vacation Songs" [E]		Red Green [E]		Austin City Limits [E]								
38	83	SCIFI	"Maximum Velocity"		"Tornado: Nature Unleashed" (2004) Premiere.				★★ "Atomic Train" (1999, Action) Rob Lowe.										
61	41	SPK	(5:00) "Bloodsport" [E]		MXC [E]		MXC [E]		Most Amazing Videos		★★★ "Pulp Fiction" (1994) John Travolta.								
39	51	TLC	In a Fix [E]		What Not to Wear/While You Were Out: Double Cross [E]				Moving Up "From Rental to Dental" [E]		Trading Spaces "Philadelphia: Hazel Avenue" [E]								
28	37	TNT	Into the West Gold fever hits.				★★★ "Tombstone" (1993, Western) Kurt Russell, Val Kilmer.				Purgatory [E]								
51	86	TRAV	World Poker Tour				Extreme 4x4 [E]		World Poker Tour										
21	82	TVLND	Sanford [E]		Sanford [E]		Jeffersons [E]		Jeffersons [E]		M.T. Moore [E]	Rhoda [E]							
60	89	UNIV	Sábado Gigante						Impacto [E]		Noticiero [E]	Otro Rollo [E]							
20	34	USA	Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI [E]		The 4400 [E]								
12	3	WB	Friends [E]		Everybody-Raymond [E]		★★★ "Happy Campers" (2001, Comedy) Brad Renfro, Dominique Swain. [E]		News [E]		(:45) Sports Replay [E]	★★ "Gang Related" (1997) James Belushi.							
99	36	WGN	★★ "Race to Space" (2002) James Woods.				WGN News at Nine [E]		Becker [E]		★★ "Gang Related" (1997) [E]								

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E	S		6 pm	6:30	7 pm	7:30	8 pm	8:30	9 pm	9:30	10 pm	10:30	E=Eagle Cable S=S&T Telephone						
36	53	A&E	The First 48 Apparent suicide; motel room.		Family Plots (N)		Family Plots [E]		Intervention [E]		CSI: Miami "Slow Burn" [E]								
4	6	ABC	Home Videos		Extreme Makeover: Home Edition [E]		Extreme Makeover: Home Edition [E]		Desperate Housewives "Pretty Little Picture" [E]		News [E]								
26	48	ANPL	Super Scavengers (N)						Nuts for Mutts 2		Super Scavengers								
63	54	BRAVO	★★★ "GoldenEye" (1995, Adventure) Pierce Brosnan, Sean Bean. Premiere.						James Bond [E]		★★★ "GoldenEye" (1995, Adventure) Pierce Brosnan. 'PG-13' [E]								
7	11	CBS	Cold Case "Yo, Adrian" [E]		★★★ "Changing Lanes" (2002) Ben Affleck. A car accident puts two men on a collision course.				News [E]		(:35) News [E]	(:05) The Twilight Zone [E]							
24	50	DISC	Killer Squid		Deadliest Catch "Good Fishing" [E]		Deadliest Catch "The Clock's Ticking" [E]		Deadliest Catch "The Final Run" Off-load.		Greatest American (Same-day Tape)								
33	44	DISN	Kim Possible: Buzz on Maggie [E]		Naturally Sadie (N)		Phil of the Future (N)		Zack & Cody [E]	That's So Raven [E]									
49	81	E!TV	Amber Frey: THS		Celebrity Oops!		Fight for Fame (N)		Amber Frey: THS		Celebrity Oops!								
22	56	ESPN	MLB Baseball New York Mets at New York Yankees. (Subject to Blackout)						SportsCenter (Live) [E]		Baseball [E]								
54	57	ESPN2	Today at Wimbledon (N)		NHRA Drag Racing Sears Craftsman Nationals. From Madison, Ill. [E]						Series-Poker								
32	46	FAM	Wildfire [E]				Who's? [E]		Who's? [E]		Videos [E]	Videos [E]							
59	-	FIT TV	Low Carb [E]		Low Carb [E]		FitTV's Diet Doctor [E]		Ultimate Athlete: Limit [E]		Low Carb [E]	Low Carb [E]							
35	31	FMC	★★★ "Five Weeks in a Balloon" (1962)				★★★ "Black Widow" (1987) Debra Winger.				"Daddy Long Legs"								
53	68	FOOD	The Next Food Network Star "Part 4"		The Next Food Network Star "Finale" The winner is announced. (Live)		Recipe for Success [E]		The Next Food Network Star "Part 2"		The Next Food Network Star "Part 3"								
13	7	FOX	The Simpsons [E]		The Simpsons [E]		Family Guy [E]		American Dad [E]		Stargate SG-1 "Heroes" [E]								
40	38	FX	(5:30) ★★ "High Crimes" (2002) Ashley Judd.				★★★ "Black Hawk Down" (2001, Drama) Josh Hartnett, Ewan McGregor.												
30	55	FXSP	MLS Soccer		Poker Superstars		Poker Superstars		Boxing: Sunday [E]		Rockies [E]	Track [E]							
5	14	HBO	(5:30) ★★ "Love Don't Cost a Thing" (2003) [E]		(:15) ★★ "Secret Window" (2004, Suspense) Johnny Depp, John Turturro. [E]		PG-13 [E]		The Sopranos "The Weight" [E]		Entourage "The Offer"	The Come-back (N) [E]							
62	67	HGTV	Designed [E]		Want That [E]		Extreme Home [E]		Builders Show [E]		Renovation [E]	Kitchen [E]							
58	52	HIST	Absolute Ewel: The Evel Knievel Story Daredevil motorcyclist. [E]				Conquerors "Caesar: Conqueror of Gaul" (N)		Automaniac Super-charged muscle cars.		Absolute Evel: The Evel Knievel Story [E]								
25	35	IND	★★ "Runaway Bride" (1999, Comedy) Julia Roberts. A columnist tries to get the scoop on a commitment-shy gal.				★★ "Runaway Bride" (1999, Comedy) Julia Roberts. A columnist tries to get the scoop on a commitment-shy gal.												
18	63	LIFE	"Pennsylvania Miners"		Strong Medicine (N)		Missing (N) [E]		Missing [E]		Missing [E]	Wild Card [E]							
23	77	MTV	Punk Ride [E]		Punk'd [E]		Punk'd [E]		Flavorite [E]		Punk'd [E]	Bam [E]							
3	9	NBC	Dateline NBC [E]				Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Gone" [E]		Crossing Jordan "Skin & Bone" [E]		News [E]	(:35) The West Wing "The Dogs of War" [E]							
8	8	NBC	(5:00) Dateline NBC [E]		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Gone" [E]		Crossing Jordan "Skin & Bone" [E]		News [E]		(:35) The West Wing "The Dogs of War" [E]	(:35) Inside Edition (N)							
34	43	NICK	Zoey 101 [E]		The Team [E]		Full House [E]		Fresh Pr. [E]		Fatherhood [E]	Cosby [E]							
2	2	PBS	Forces of the Wild [E]		(Part 4 of 5) [E]		Mystery! Lynley investigates what appears to be a ritual killing. (N)		Hudson River [E]		Globe Trekker Tahiti; Samoa. [E]	Mystery! "Miss Marple: A Murder Is Announced"							
38	83	SCIFI	"Tornado: Nat."		"Post Impact" (2003, Science Fiction) Dean Cain.				Scare [E]		Scare [E]	The Outer Limits [E]							
61	41	SPK	★★★ "Fletch Lives" (1989) Chevy Chase. [E]		WWE Heat [E]		★★★ "The Silence of the Lambs" (1991) [E]												
39	51	TLC	Operation Homecoming [E]		Operation Homecoming [E]		Untold Stories of the E.R. [E]		The Boy Who's Skin Fell Off [E]		World's Strongest Boy [E]								
28	37	TNT	Into the West Gold fever hits. [E]								★★★★ "Unforgiven"								
51	86	TRAV	Las Vegas: Best of Best [E]		World Poker Tour [E]				Las Vegas: Best of Best [E]		World Poker Tour [E]								
21	82	TVLND	Fatherhood [E]		Murphy [E]		Gilligan [E]		Brady [E]		Facts-Life [E]	Family Ties [E]							
60	89	UNIV	(5:00) La Parodia [E]		★★★ "El Crimen del Padre Amaro" (2002)				Impacto [E]		Noticiero [E]	Tras la Verdad [E]							
20	34	USA	Law & Order: SVU		The 4400 (N) [E]		The Dead Zone (N) [E]		Law & Order: SVU		The 4400 [E]								
12	3	WB	Charmed "Imaginary Fiends" [E]		Charmed "Death Becomes Them" [E]		Steve Harvey's Big Time Challenge [E]		News [E]		News Sports [E]	Everybody-Raymond [E]							
99	36	WGN	★★ "My Science Project" (1985)				WGN News [E]		Replay [E]		Maximum Exposure [E]	The Twilight Zone [E]							

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Saturday and Sunday Movies

SATURDAY MORNING
11:40 35/31 FMC Movie "My Friend Flicka" (1943, Drama) Roddy McDowall, Rita Johnson. Adapted from Mary O'Hara's novel about the bond of friendship between a spirited mare and the boy who raised her. Directed by Harold Shuster. NR
AFTERNOON
12:00 20/34 USA Movie "Stephen King's It" (1990, Horror) John Ritter, Richard Thomas, Annette O'Toole. Friends face an evil they thought they had destroyed. Directed by Tommy Lee Wallace.
40/38 FX Movie "