

Nurturing Romance

Introduction and Background

Dates can often be rushed. When you take the time to put extra effort into different moments, a process of romance begins to unfold. This process is not something that can just happen, so you have steps to help out tonight! On this date, you will pick three separate locations to complete your meal. Each place will hold its own set of conversational topics.

Challenge:

Procedure (the date):

Step 1: Appetizer Select a place for an appetizer. pet names before the night is over: Cowgirl, Honey Bunches of Oats, Love Bug, Magic Princess, Mamacita. LADIES: Pat him on the gluteus maximus at least two times before the night is over.

As you enjoy your appetizer, talk about these topics:

- •Favorite thing for us to do when we were newlyweds.
- ·Best trip we have ever been on.
- •Plan a vacation for just the two of us.
- •Pick a different city for us to live in.

Step 2: Entree Select a place for an entree

"Would you Rathers" for while you wait:

- •Go on a one-week \$5,000 vacation OR five different weekends that cost \$1,000 each?
- •Eat and never gain weight OR speed and never get caught?
- •Have an average house and a vacation home OR your dream

While you eat, answer these questions:

- •Which of these five love languages is the most important to you? Words of Affirmation, Gifts, Quality Time, Physical Touch or Acts of Service
- •At this particular season of our lives, how can I best speak that language to you?
- •Something special about you that not many people see is
- ·What part of our marriage do you think makes God the happiest?
- •What part of our marriage do you think God wishes we would change?
- If I prayed for you for five days in a row, what would you want me to pray?

arrive home, kiss on the steps before you enter the house. Once you are in the

Step 3: New Memories

Select a place for dessert

Say something sweet to your spouse starting with one of the

- •One of the nicest things you have ever done is _____.
- •Without you I never would have _____.

house, the rest is up to you...OH YEAH!

•I look at you and say wow because __





