

Learn the warning signs of abuse



If he tries to go too fast, too soon, this spells **DANGER**



If he demands that you give up your dreams, this spells **DANGER**



If he insists that his plans are more important than yours, this spells **DANGER**



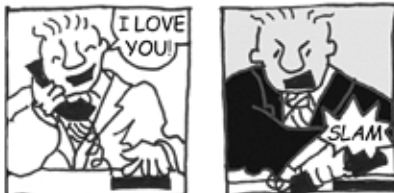
If he uses derogatory language towards your family & friends, this spells **DANGER**



If he is inconsiderate, disrespectful, or puts you down in public, this spells **DANGER**



If he tries to isolate you from friends and family, this spells **DANGER**



If you experience illogical incidents of abuse in the middle of bliss, this spells **DANGER**



If he acts like nothing has happened after an abusive episode, this spells **DANGER**



If he blames you for what has happened and minimizes his abuse, this spells **DANGER**



If he shows intense, unwarranted jealousy, this spells **DANGER**



If he checks up on your every move this spells **DANGER**



If he mistreats pets this spells **DANGER**



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The first sign of dissociation is when you start to wonder if it really happened at all. (To confirm your reality, find a witness, or write down what happened and date it)



Your better question is, "What is he doing wrong?"

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