

# 'The Bachelorette' Contestants 2015: Meet The Men Who'll Be Looking For Love This Season

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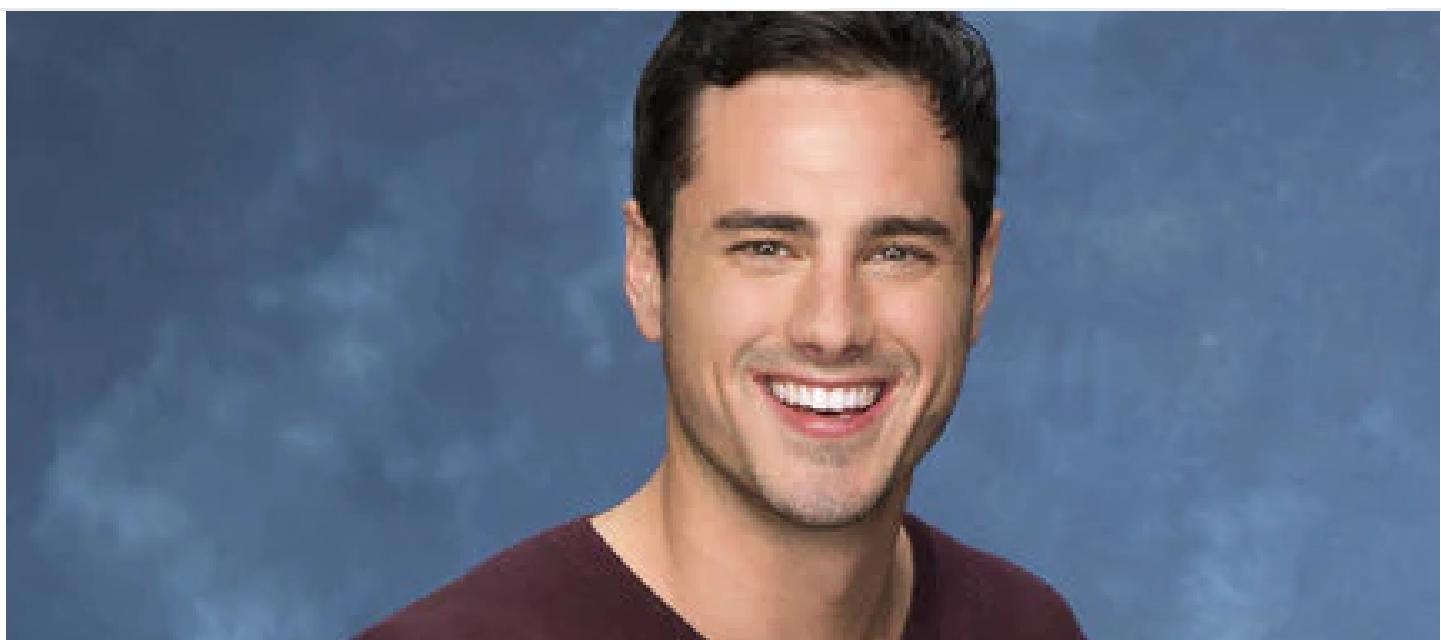
I know it feels like the last season of *The Bachelor* just ended, but we're already just a week out from the premiere of the new season of *The Bachelorette* on May 18, so the *Bachelorette* contestants have just been announced, and now it's time to meet them! This will be the show's eleventh season, which is the most insane thing I've heard all day, and the first episode will feature two women instead of one, with the men choosing whom they'd like to be the *Bachelorette* by the end of the night. Just kidding, that's the most insane thing I've ever heard.

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and Bristowe in week nine, decisions that he might be kicking himself for now, as there are rumors that he and his fiancee, Whitney Bischoff, are already having problems.

But anyway! Ours is not to speculate on the fate of previous *Bachelor* and *Bachelorette* couples... ours is to meet the new guys competing for Bristowe and Nilsson's hearts! Or heart. Just one heart. Anyway here are the dudes.

## **Ben H.**



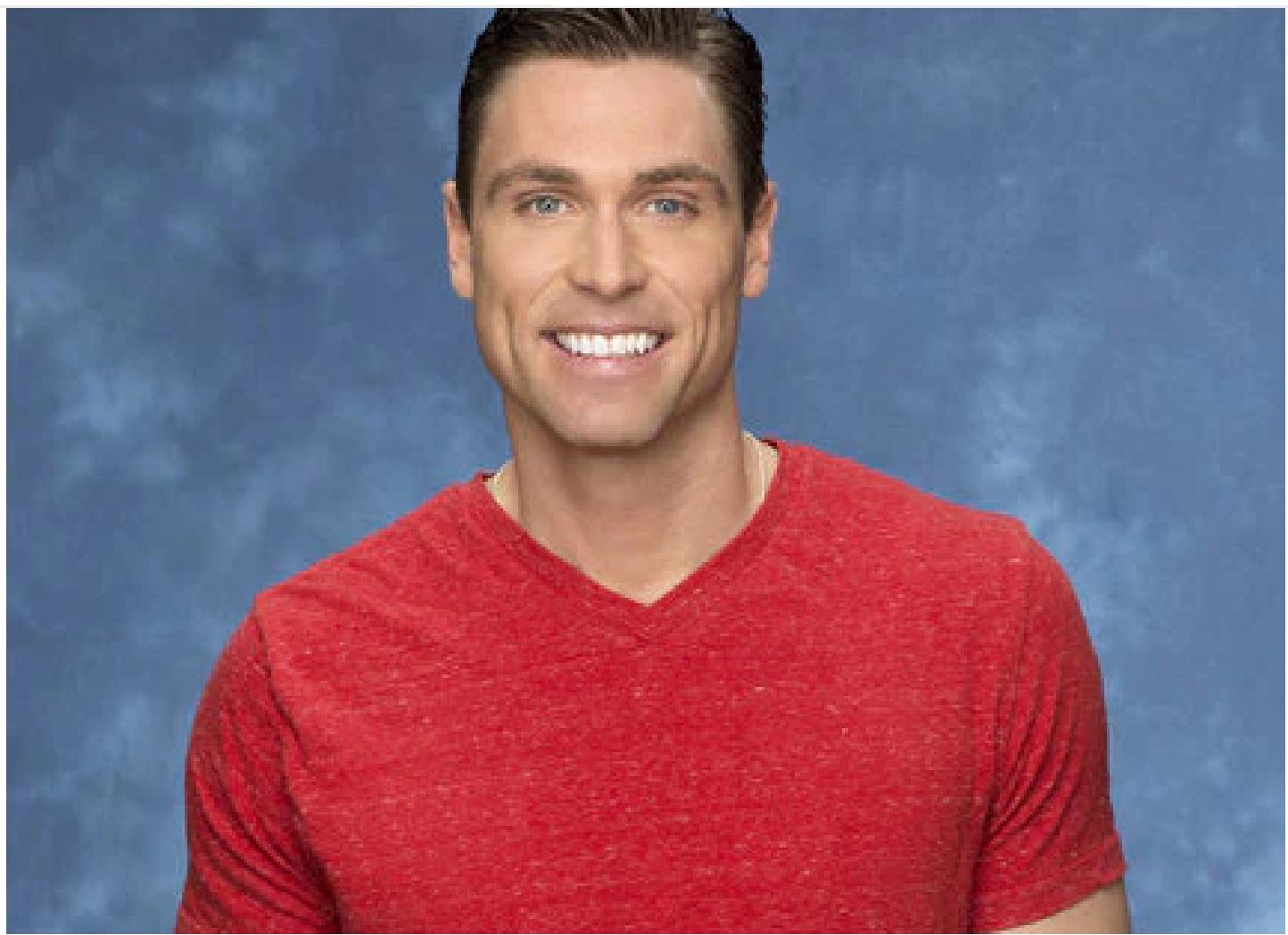










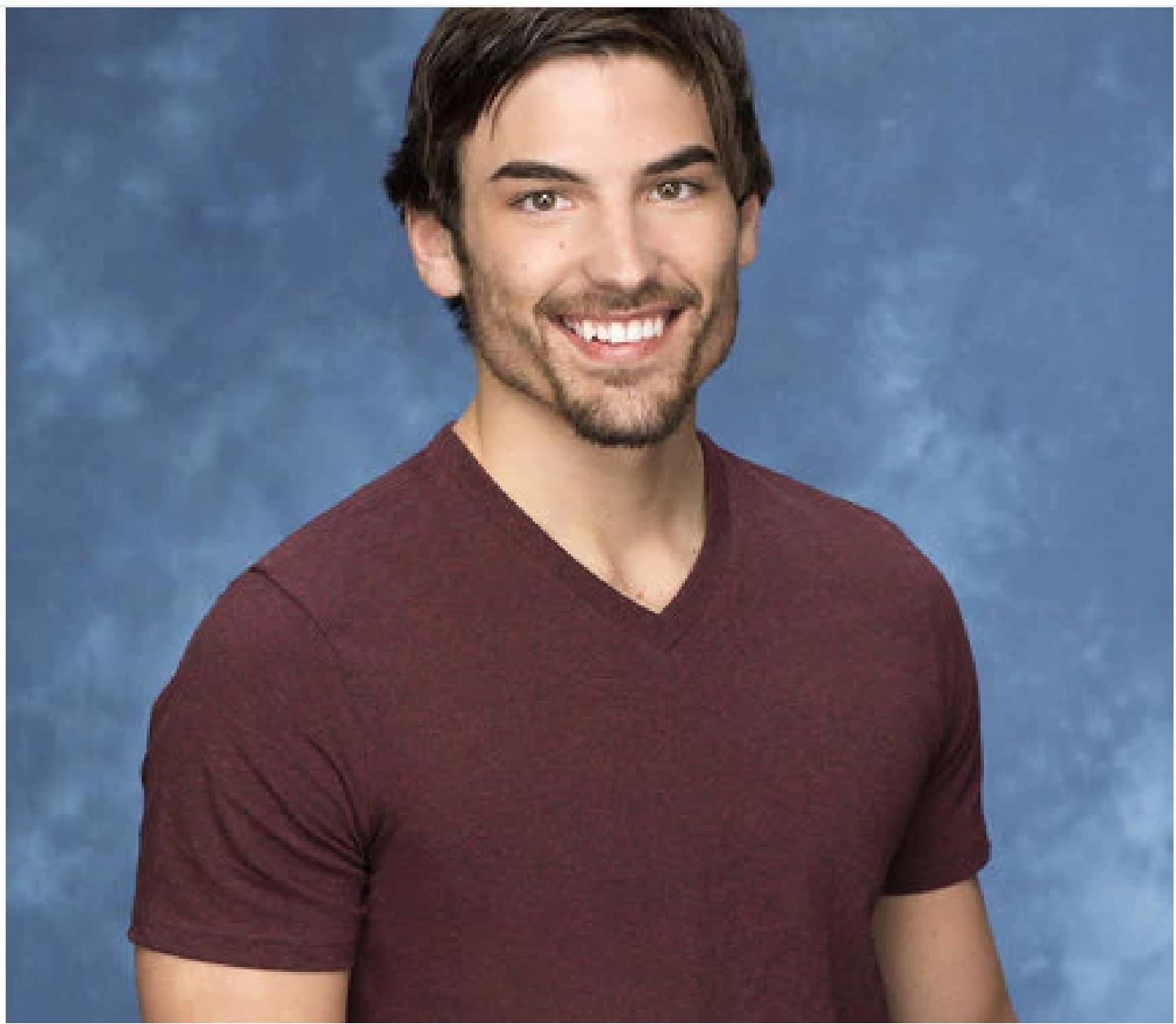








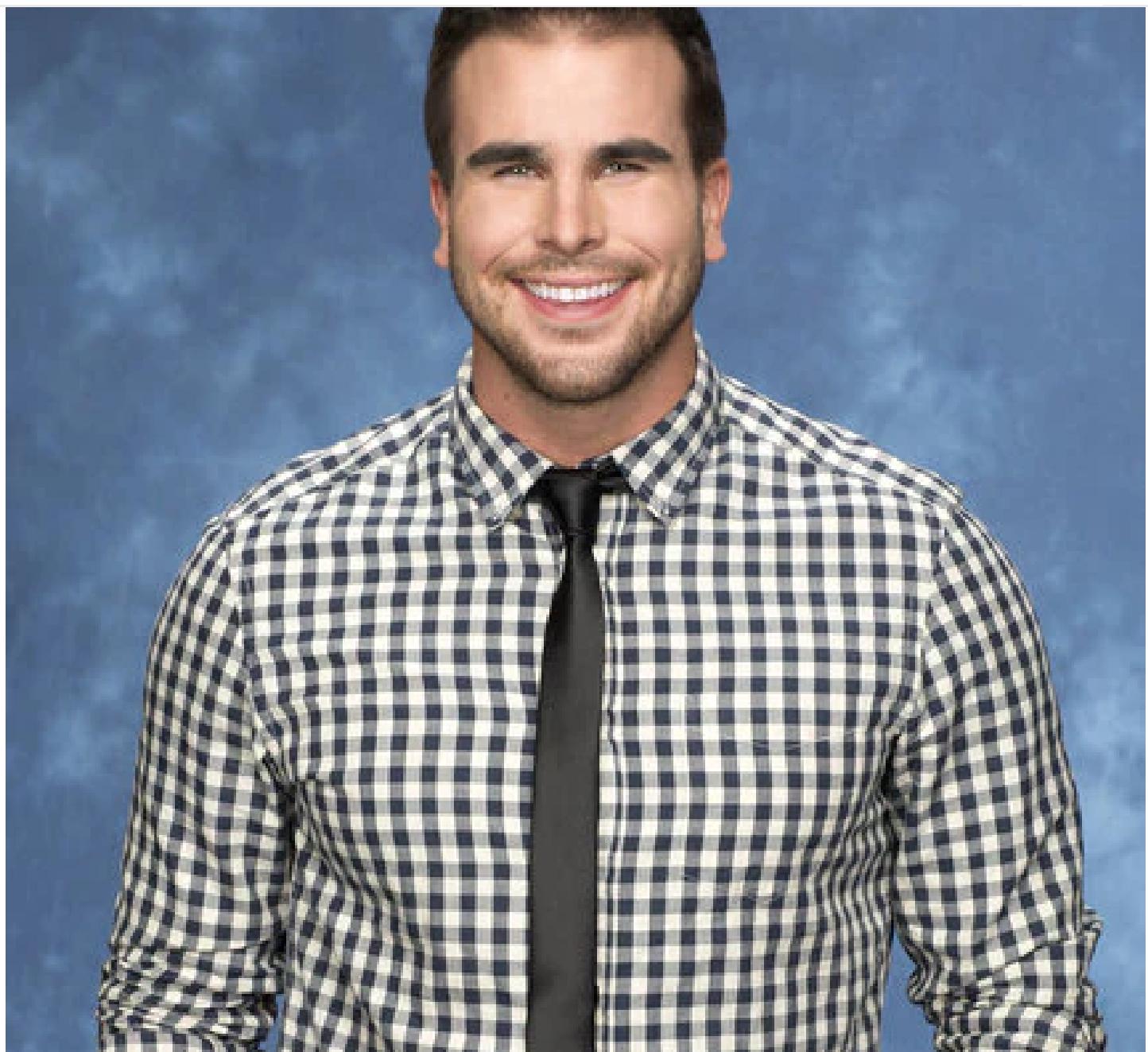








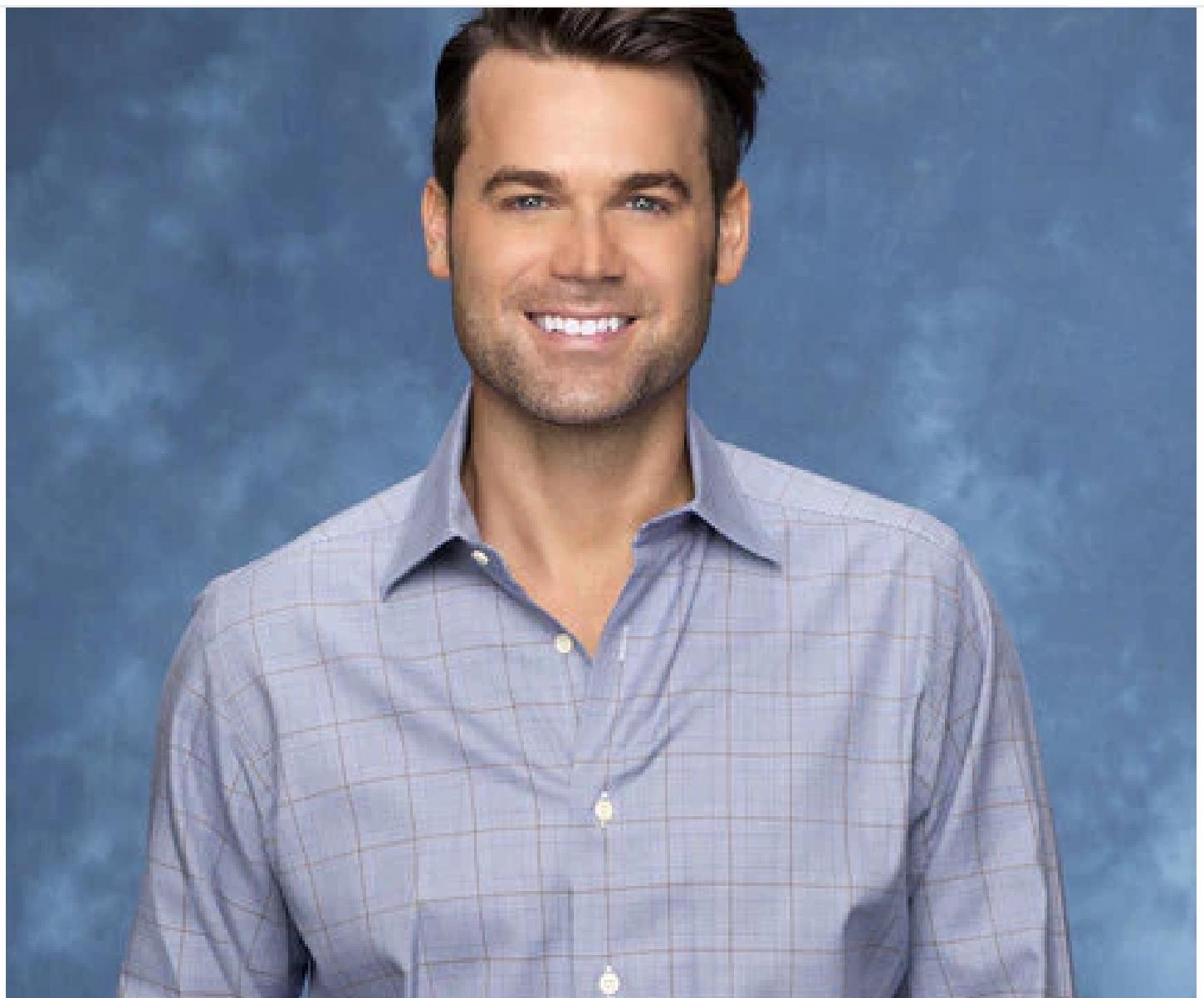
















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## **Shawn E.**



My 31-year old friend Shawn E here from Ontario, Canada, describes himself as an "amateur sex coach," which I think is the marginally more professional way of saying, "Hi, I'm Shawn E,

— fear of passing gas and is only 5'11", so the other dudes will be towering over him and smelling his farts.

## Tanner



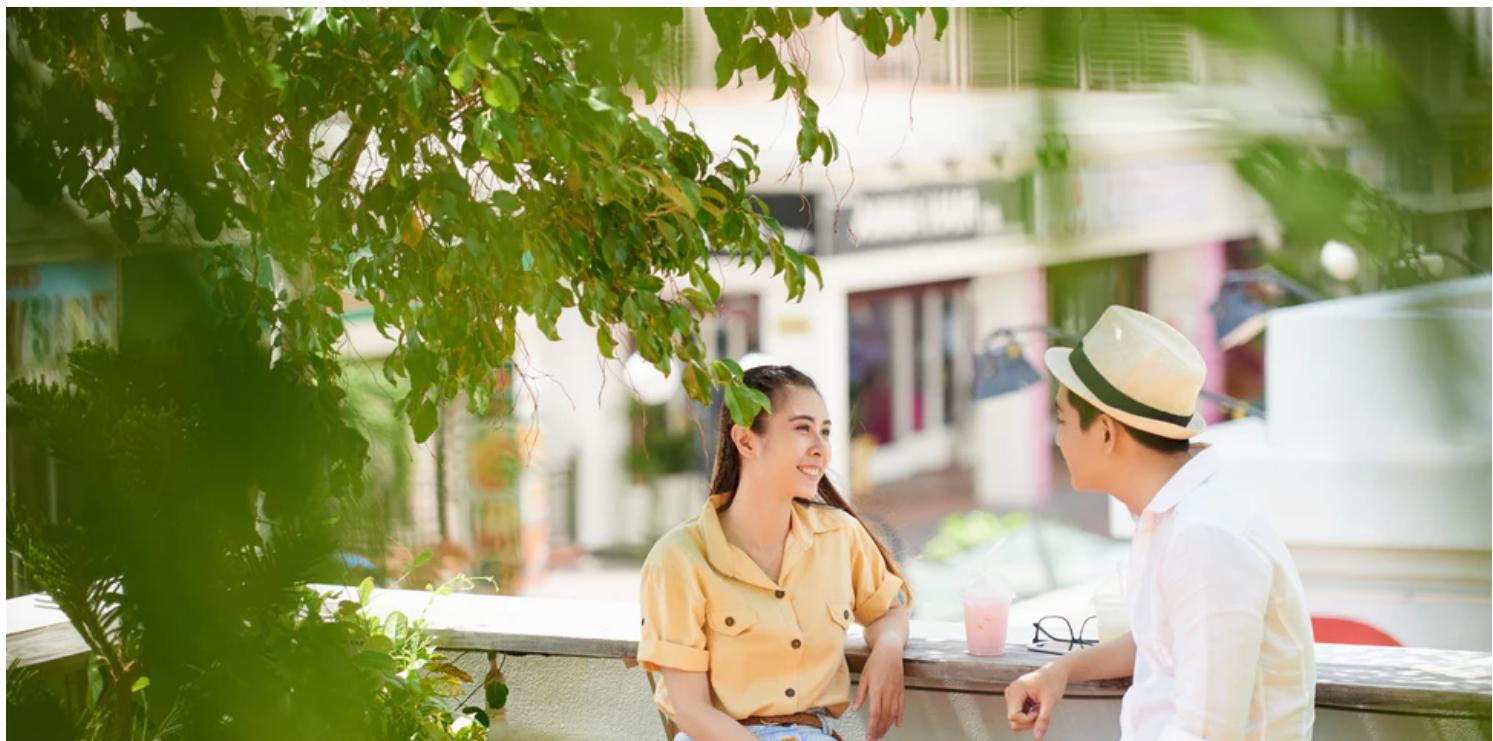
~~position as one of my front runners purely for having a first date fear that wasn't based on the other person. Other dudes have said her having bad breath or not being interesting or being rude, but Tanner's answer was "my date not liking me as much as I like her." Respect! That's an early indicator that he isn't into the cocky posturing of the other guys, so I'm all in.~~

## **Tony**



## 11 First Date Playlists That Will Help You Psych Yourself Up While You Get Ready

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Psyching yourself up for a first date can be difficult if you don't have the right resources. The fear, the anxiety, the uncertainty, the anticipation; it can all get in the way of what you should be focusing on, the excitement of something new. So, to combat those pesky pre-date jitters, I highly recommend some first date playlists. Granted, the kind of music you're going to want to listen to is totally going to depend on your personal situation. We all go into first dates coming from different places.

Are you recently single? Have you been single forever? Is your heart still broken? Are you so stoked for this date than you can't catch your cool? Are you dreading it? Are you a little too indifferent? There are so many different head spaces that we approach first dates with, so it's important to find the right playlist for you. That's why I've rounded up a collection of playlists that cater to totally different vibes.

Some people might need to jazz themselves up to be in a good place to meet someone new, while other people might need to calm themselves down to be in that same place. With so many different circumstances and expectations, you've got to find the right combination of vibes and beats for your first date. Here are a few totally different and totally you first date playlists to jam and or chill out to, before the big event.

## **When You're Still Getting Over Your Ex**

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If you need another reminder why your ex is your ex, listen to this mildly angsty playlist and leave your ex in the past where they belong. Make room for something new!

## **When You're Looking For A John Hughes Kinda Love**

There's nothing like a solid '80s romance playlist to make you feel like you're living your Molly Shannon dreams. Listen to this list to get you excited and energized.

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If you already have a crush on the person you're going on a date with, lean into it with this crush-forward music.

## **When You're Looking For Some Nostalgic Hype Vibes**

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If you haven't been on a first date since Taylor Swift was still writing country love songs, you might respond to some OG love songs more than the contemporary stuff.

## **When You Want To Feel Sexy**

If you're feeling sexy or would like to feel sexy, some jazzy seductive music should definitely do the trick. You might even find yourself swiping on some red lipstick.

## **When You Just Need Energy**

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If you're zonked at the end of a work day and are tempted to cancel because you don't think you can muster the energy to talk to someone new, jam out to this high energy playlist and see how you feel.

## **When You Need To Take It Down A Notch**

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If you're freaking out and your nerves are getting the best of you, listen to this play list to chill out. It's no big deal, it's just a date, you can do it. You might even have fun.

## **When You Need Cute Getting Ready Music**

Sometimes listening to fun and flirty music can make getting ready more exciting. If the thought of peeling off your pajamas is deterring you, listen to these songs to get you bopping you the door.

## **When You Want To Believe In Fairy Tales**

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If you're feeling down on love lately, listen to some of today's classic love songs to remind you why you're getting back out there in the first place.

## **When You Need A Little Extra Convincing**

—ENCOURAGEMENT YOU NEED TO FOLLOW THROUGH. I KNOW IT CAN BE OVERWHELMING TO MEET SOMEONE new, but remember they're meeting someone new, too.

## **When You Want Your Love Life To Feel Like An Indie Movie**

Sometimes you just want to feel like your life is as important as an indie movie makes life feel. Add a little twee and kitsch to your pre-date pre-game and go into it feeling ready to embrace every part of it.

