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# Romantic Relationships

(added one term to previous quizlet)

## Deterioration

* Feeling of dissatisfaction
* Breakdown of patterns, rules, rituals
* Look for other social support
* Accepting the end
  + “what if” is not healthy
    - Audio 0:04:14.915645
    - What if I did this?
    - What if I changed this?
* Move on
* [500 Days](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uR7EUHfFi4Y)

## History

* Late 19th Century – “calling”
  + Audio 0:06:09.286208
  + Sat in parlor
  + Man would go to the house and talk with the woman’s parents and families
* 1920’s – “date”
  + Audio 0:07:14.936309
  + Courtship was about marriage.
  + Dating was about competion
    - Young women were told they should date 40-50 different people before they get married
    - Wasn’t about getting married
    - The man now has more power compared to calling
      * Audio 0:12:42.505201
  + Birth control starts becoming available
* After WWII – valued a stable and safe relationship
* 13 years old and didn’t date- late bloomer
  + People who didn’t want to get married were called “sick, neurotic, and immoral”
* Colonial Americans- intimacy in terms of physical not psychological
  + Audio 0:17:33.651695
  + You did not share your thoughts and feeling with your partner
* 19th Century – Had a romantic self hidden within
  + Pressure to reveal themselves
    - Audio 0:19:59.061460
  + Share true self, true feelings
  + Offered security and affirmation
* 1950’s – keep partner happy
  + Audio 0:23:17.512925
* 1960’s – self-sacrifice replaced by self-fulfillment
  + Audio 0:23:39.545372
  + Women started trying to find their own happiness
* 19th Century – Newspaper personals
* “Lonesome miner wants wife to share stake and prospects. Please respond to Louis Dreibelbis in Grass Valley, California.“
* 1980’s – Video dating
* [Who would you pick?](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0bomkgXeDkE)

# Vocab

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| Term | Definition |
| calling | old version of dating in which the man goes to the woman’s house and sits and talks with her and her family |

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