

Antics with Semantics

He married her because she seemed so pretty and petite; he divorced her because she was so weak and helpless.

She married him because he was a such strong personality; she divorced him because he was so domineering.

He married her because “she reminds me of my mother”; he divorced her because “she reminds me of *her* mother.”

She married him because he was so ambitious, he was “going someplace”; she divorced him because he became a “workaholic.”

He married her because “we were childhood sweethearts”; he divorced her because she “never grew up.”

She married him because he was fun and romantic; she divorced him because he was shiftless and lazy.

He married her because she was “steady and sensible”; he divorced her because she was “dull and boring.”

She married him because he was “sweet and attentive”; she divorced him because he was so possessive.

He married her because she was “such a beauty”; he divorced her because “all she thinks about is her looks.”

She married him because he was so “intelligent and witty”; she divorced him because he was so “critical and wisecracking.”

He married her because “we have such a great sexual attraction for each other”; he divorced her because “we have nothing in common anymore.”

She married him because he was “the life of the party”; she divorced him because “he thinks life is just a party.”

He married her because “she’s so neat and clean”; he divorced her because “she thinks more of the furniture than she does of me.”

She married him because “we had such great talks together”; she divorced him because he’s never home to talk anymore.

He married her because she had “such a gentle nature”; he divorced her because “she wont discipline the children.”

She married him because “he swept me off my feet”; she divorced him because “he knocked me off my feet.”

He married her because “she was so crazy about me”; he divorced her because she was so “insanely jealous.”

She married him because he was the captain of the football team”; she divorced him because she was a “football widow.”

He married her because she was good with children; he divorced her because the children cam before him.

She married him for his frugality and creative dating; she divorced him because he was such a tightwad!