

Perfect combo! These two themes—**Modern Relationships & Dating** and **Technology & Social Media**—are super relatable and give you room to be sarcastic, witty, and still friendly.

Here's your **5-minute stand-up comedy set**, cleanly written and performance-ready:

□ [Opening – 30 sec]

Hey everyone! Great to be here tonight.

I told my parents I was doing stand-up comedy, and they said, *"Nice! But when are you sitting for UPSC?"*

Like yeah, sure Mom, let me just crack India's toughest exam between writing Tinder jokes and updating my meme folder.

♥ □ [Modern Relationships & Dating – 2 mins]

Dating in 2025 is basically applying for a job... where the job is "Please don't ghost me."

You spend 2 hours choosing your best selfie, 15 minutes writing your bio, and if you're lucky—you get a *"hey."*

That's it. No salary, no benefits, just... emotional damage.

And the bios, oh my God. "Sapiosexual, travel junkie, love sunsets."

What is this? A human or a Pinterest board?

And dating apps now tell you who liked you—**but only if you pay.**

Like, "Someone finds you attractive, but you'll need ₹699 to find out who."

Bro, this isn't love, this is ransom.

You ever go on a date and realize halfway through... you're just a prop in their Instagram story?

I was out with this girl, she goes, *"Let's take a cute pic!"*

Before the food even arrived.

I'm sitting there, smiling with two empty plates like an idiot.

Caption? "Perfect date night!"

—Yeah. For your audience, not for me.

Texting is the new love language.

And response time? That's your love meter.

She took 6 hours to reply.

So I took 8.

Now we're not dating—we're playing *"Who Wants to Be the Most Emotionally Unavailable?"*

☐ [Technology & Social Media – 2 mins]

Technology was supposed to make life easier.

Now I need a 2-step verification to check my own bank balance.

Like, I know I'm broke, but does my money really need this much security?

I downloaded a meditation app to chill.

All it does is *remind* me to meditate... 5 times a day.

"Take a deep breath."

Dude, I'm already anxious.

Now I'm anxious AND late for work.

Instagram is toxic. I was eating dal-chawal, and I see this guy having avocado toast on a yacht... with a Labrador.

Suddenly my dinner looked like a poverty documentary.

And your phone knows you better than your therapist.

I opened YouTube and it said:

"Up next: How to deal with rejection and pretend you're okay."

Bro... I just came here to watch cat videos.

Even alarms are savage now.

Mine says, "*Wake up. You said you'd change your life today.*"

Like chill Siri, I just want to pee, not become Elon Musk.

☐ [Closer – 30 sec]

So yeah, between dating apps gaslighting me and my phone reminding me I'm a disappointment...

I think I'm doing okay.

Honestly, I just want one relationship where the other person doesn't ask me to "update to premium."

Thanks everyone — and remember, if someone ghosts you... just pretend they died.

It helps with closure.

☐ Total Time: ~5 minutes

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