

33+ Places to meet the right one for you

Attracting the right type of person is a three-step process.

- 1) **Figure out what kind of person you want to meet.**
- 2) **Go to where that person might likely go.**
- 3) **Simply plan for some type of interaction.**

Some of these might be obvious but sometimes we over look the obvious.

Where to meet by type:

If you want to find ta specific “type” of person, you have to go where they are going for the best chance.

If you want to meet the kind of person that goes running across the Ravel Bridge at 5 AM, then for the next week be at the Ravel Bridge at 5 AM and smile to everyone that walks past you are maybe walking by you.

If you like someone who is artistic:

gallery opening, art classes, museum openings, Acting class.

Literate: poetry reading, book reading, literature night classes, coffee shops.

Cultured: opera, ballet, book reading, gallery openings, classical concerts.

Intellectual: university coffee shops, on campus lectures, bookstores, book readings, book conventions, scientific or philosophical talks.

Adventurous/outdoorsy: Sierra Club meetings, scuba classes, motorsports, rock climbing gyms, adventurous outings, Kayaking.

Athletic: yoga classes, spin class, at the gym by the free weights, Fitness conventions, races, spartan races, mud runs, running clubs, triathlons.

Spiritual: yoga retreats, classes at yoga studios, holistic events, amnesty international meetings, Omega Institute, holistic classes, spiritual guru conventions.

Kind or civic minded: volunteer functions, feed the homeless, church organized functions, philanthropy groups.

Affluent: dry cleaners, first or business-class plane, Opera, charity events, golfing events, black-tie events.

Specific nationality: events from not nation like the Greek festival, cultural society, ethnic restaurants.

Men:

Hair salons, get very familiar with one hairstylist and tip her well.

Yoga or pilates classes, yeah you may be uncomfortable but it's loaded with women. And a straight man teaches my class! Show up a few minutes before class.

Women:

At the gym, ask a guy to help show you a machine, guys love to HELP WOMEN!

Always look for opportunities where you can have conversation.

Dinner parties, weddings, conventions, seminars and fairs.

Gallery openings. Wine tastings. Juice bars. Church services, especially church sponsored events.

When you go to these types of events, always look your best, put a smile on your face and be ready to start conversation. I know some of you might be shy but if you never get out of your comfort zone and do something different, how can you ever expect change?

Remember everything in life that you're longing for is outside of your comfort zone. Discomfort is often the surest sign of growth.

It's easy to start a conversation with someone when you are at a place where something is going on, you can say things like:

Art gallery: "What do you think of this painting/sculpture?"

Book reading: "Do you know this author? Have you read anything similar before?"

Scuba or Kayaking class: (Female) "Excuse me, do you know how this works?" (Male) "Do you need any help getting your kayak in the water?"

Yoga/fitness class: Show up early, "Hi, do you come to this class often, do you have a specific instructor you like best?"

Spiritual event: Again, show up early, look for empty seats by someone you may be attractive to, ask to sit by them and introduce yourself, make small talk, you may have a couple hours to sit by them.

At any function, JUST TALK TO PEOPLE... even if it's not a love connection, they may have a sister, brother, cousin, friend... You never know WHO you may meet!

LOOK, I am not an extravert, I am a bit shy and I have lifelong friends that I met at such events, JUST DO IT!

Remember to have an abundance mindset. There are plenty of good men and women everywhere you go, KNOW THIS! GO PUT YOURSELF OUT THERE!

To your Love Success,
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