Friend's Wife Scared of Me

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A new friend of mine (a neighbor) has been telling me that he's afraid that my friendship is causing fights between him and his wife. She's very friendly with me when I'm around and genuinely laughs and even stands close. But apparently she tells him that I seem intense, scary, and dangerous. And that she feels threatened by his friendship with me. Then he'll get into an argument with her. Then he avoids me for a couple days, comes over and brings me a beer and we're good. She only gets into it with him after if she's around me. He can come over to my place every day no problem but if she's around me, they fight.

What is this?

(This is my last post until next Friday. I'm keeping stuff to myself for a minute.)

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Sepean • 5 points • 16 October, 2015 08:45 AM
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Friend: why are you always looking at wolverine like that?

Friend's wife: he's uhm scary.

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Yeah. She just walked over to talk to me while I was warming my truck up this morning. I led her husband and two of his friends in a lesson last night through no more Christian nice guy.

She told me that she feels like her family is safer with me nearby. Her dad saw me as I was leaving last night and told her, "That's the kind of neighbor you want in your neighborhood. They call that a sheepdog." I laughed, walked over to shake his hand and told him I just try to do the right thing when I can but thanks.

nantucketghost • 13 points • 16 October, 2015 01:33 AM*

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mrpCamper • 3 points • 16 October, 2015 12:53 PM
This seems correct.
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RPAlternate42 • 5 points • 16 October, 2015 04:24 AM*

You're not red knighting him are you?

The plugged in like telling people all about the neat shit their red knight buddy tells them.

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Edit: spelling

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Nope. I'm subtle with friends. I'd prefer to just drop hints and take advantage of teachable moments over anything else.

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RPAlternate42 • 5 points • 16 October, 2015 06:27 PM
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It's possible she's into you and doesn't know how to reconcile that.

How is her husband? Is he a typical married beta?

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Yeah he resists basic truths. I try to be gentle but he might need to have a nice guy rage fit before he's ready.

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RPAlternate42 • 1 point • 17 October, 2015 04:06 AM
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We all needed that

itstartstoday123 • 6 points • 16 October, 2015 12:39 AM

Church family. Feels guilty about tingles. Can't face you or your wife. I bet they have sex after they fight. She says she doesn't like you to prevent him from changing to be like you. She's afraid of the adage of you become

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like your friends. She's fighting for her beta bux by hating you. Not facing your wife.....tingles and guilt. Edit:your frame might cause her to try and relate to him the same way and he fails where you succeed.

RPSigmaStigma • 3 points • 16 October, 2015 04:21 AM*

Church family. Feels guilty about tingles. Can't face you or your wife. I bet they have sex after they fight.

This part is right, but I think most guys here are missing the bigger point. She's attracted to him. It's exactly the same way a girl will tell the nice boy that the star quarterback is just some gross jerk, but will sneak off to fuck him on the side anyway.

It's just a rationalization to sooth the cognitive dissonance over feeling sexually attracted to him despite everything she's ever told her hubby about what she finds attractive.

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Dude that is weird. I never thought I'd effect relationships by proximity.

itstartstoday123 • 3 points • 16 October, 2015 12:51 AM

Don't underestimate how quickly women Will latch on to a strong male. Even if it's mentally. Test it. Draw back from her when you see her and if she comes and starts conversations with you then you have your proof. There have been countless examples brought here about women dissing there husbands in front of the Alpha/approaching alpha guy. Your not trying to but remember, an alpha doesn't need to flirt, an alpha hits women on a primal level with just Who they are. This is just my opinion/analysis but test everything as the Good book says. Then you can act accordingly.

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She's not dissed him ever in front of me. But she does always seem to appear nearby, often I'll back up and bump into her when I didn't know she was there standing behind me somewhere. I thought maybe a coincidence but if you're right, I'm creating extra pressure for my friend who's transitioning to RP pretty slowly but surely. How can I help my friend?

itstartstoday123 • 2 points • 16 October, 2015 02:14 AM

Just inform him in private. Don't try to set him Up to look Good. He has to do all the work himself. Just be you. Make sure your game is tight around your wife. He needs to go through the material. Give him no more mister nice guy if he's ready. Don't put yourself out there to quickly. Its on him bro, he is responsible for himself. Just be a good example and lay it on him when he asks. He's a Guy so gibe it to him like we do here. Test his frame and then teach him about being a bitch when he fails one of your shit tests. Lead by example.

enfier • 2 points • 16 October, 2015 02:08 PM

It's not your job to fix your friend's life and his wife being attracted to you is just par for the course. There's no need to act on it or make a big deal of it, just go on with your life and let him figure it out in time.

Them "getting into a fight" is probably just a big shit test he's failing.

Trekneck • 5 points • 16 October, 2015 02:52 AM

Clear cut case of tingles, and she's feelin guilty as hell about having em it sounds like. I could be missin something here but it seems a bit off

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Squeezymypenisy • 3 points • 16 October, 2015 12:27 AM

He sounds bluepill and she sounds like she has the tingles for you. I would not even get involved because there is no benefit.

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Except that I'm slowly helping him turn redpill. And our wives are friends. But she stops talking to my wife after she sees me too. You're probably right.

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Squeezymypenisy • 3 points • 16 October, 2015 01:01 AM
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Didn't see you mention that. I guess that helps you, but yea the wife is horny for you. I mean its a situation of you being more of a man.

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strategos autokrator • 2 points • 16 October, 2015 12:56 PM
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Women are afraid of these changes, and they sabotage them because they are afraid of change. This creates dread. Sometimes even small dread can make them freak out.

We have seen many posts here of many women trying to block their men dieting, lifting, doing sports, or even hanging out with male friends. There is no rational reason for this, all those are healthy activities.

Unfortunately, there are two things that can happen. Your friend starts to not give a crap and stand up for himself, or he will stop talking to you. Right now this thing he is doing of giving in for a couple of days etc is the worse, because it is neither. It teaches his wife that bitching about this sort of works, so she will increase the intensity of the bitchiness in turn, until he stands up for himself, gives in, or does a victim puke.

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I think my wife makes it hard for me to understand how other women think. She's quiet and reserved and doesn't talk about feelings, nag me, etc. She likes it when I go work out and doesn't gripe if I suddenly want to go on an adventure without her and the kids. I have my wife the way I like her generally. As long as I know when to STFU I'm good. Other women seem like they are from another planet to me.

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strategos autokrator • 1 point • 17 October, 2015 04:53 PM
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Women flow into the shape of their men. When we say AWALT, we mean they follow the same fluid dynamics. But the shape of the container is the man.

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Next time you see her say "Boo!".

Have your neighbor dress like you for Halloween.

Stop carrying a chainsaw with you when you go ask for sugar.

Wear a really crazy Hawaiian shirt next time you'll be in her presence. If asked why say you're trying to cultivate a less "dangerous" air.

Then he'll get into an argument with her. Then he avoids me for a couple days, comes over and brings me a beer and we're good.

He's not passing shit tests. You just happen to be a catalyst.

If I ever see a wife henpecking a friend or shit testing him in front of me, I run chaff. In RP single pickup land,

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I'm sure it's more every guy for himself, but once married and around other couples you need to strengthen your hunting party. Either A.A. her over him or talk to him about her like she's not there (still going for an amused / joke style fashion). Note this is for friends I want to help. Or if I'm just tired of listening to his personal ear demon. This becomes easier because YOU are the subject of this. AWALT, womens is-a gonna shit test, but they aren't going to use me, especially in front of me, without my involvement. Hell, if it's a beta buddy of mine that has no hope of ever being a pants wearer, I'll just paint myself a big target on my chest to lighten his load if even for a minute.

It's also great practice for A.A. with any female since it's a soft target (not really intending to do anything but trade wits with). Hostile negotiating skills. Diffusion techniques. Whatever you do, your aim needs to be pass it well and steer the emotions to happy/fun land. Don't drop ahole bombs and then leave.

You can also tell if it's just straight up anger-pms land and in which case your best option is to bolt. You could end up making things worse during those times. It really is up to him to manage that shit.

You have to tailor the dynamic to match your relationship with the people, but still, never sit by idle.

If you don't know them that well, he wants to hang out, then just by leaving if things get nuts can possibly inspire him to get mad enough to stick up for himself (which it sorta sounds like he's doing, but if he's arguing with her he should be stepping out sooner).

Some examples since SToGTFO:

Intervene

Sis-in-law, we're at kids bday party, she's in her live in boyfriends ear yammering and henpecking away, the latest about their camera. I turn to him and say "Boy, your woman suuuuree is mouthy today!" in a overdone drawl. I get the camera from her "Duuur, which button calls the spaceship?", she's laughing, she gets distracted and starts showing me the camera and it's features. I look interested for long enough.

Steer away

Out a bar, friend's girlfriend is drunkenly trying to pick fight with him, he's getting a bit beat down. He's usually REALLY good with a.a., but after moving in with her started to go down the beta path and they started arguing more. I just say "Hey, gotta steal <friend>, I promise I'll let you get back to yelling at him in a second, this is REALLY important. Grab him and we just go to the bar and order a drink. She actually just chills in absence of him and by the time we dominate the conversation and she's cooled off/lost her train of emotion.

YOYOB (You're on your own buddy)

Friend of mine has a milestone birthday. My wife and I agree to drive him home (really ends up being my wife being DD) so his wife can bolt and he can stay and enjoy hanging with friends at the bar. When we finally get to his house later I need to take a leak before we get back on the road home. I follow him up to his house, the moment he opens the door (I'm invisible behind him) his wife lays into him full scale angry demon. It was entirely a shock. She is 100% polite in front of people but this was a dark glimpse into a long time wife who totally wore the pants in the family. She was so geeked up angry that even noticing I was there she didn't stop. It was so visceral I couldn't really make out what she was saying but the jist I got was that it was late (like 1am) and he was drunk. Mind you, everyone aimed to get him drunk on his birthday... and she knew this. Anyway, after about decibel level 100 was reached I just looked at him and said "See ya later, man. Good luck!" and had my wife stop at a gas station so I could pee.

chief slap ahoe • 3 points • 16 October, 2015 09:05 AM

She has tingles down under when around you, and she is probably feeling guilt.

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Realworld52 • 1 point • 17 October, 2015 12:32 AM

He is a bitch and you must be commanding some RP. Kudos.

[deleted] • 1 point • 16 October, 2015 02:30 AM

This sounds like over-thinking a situation. I'm with /u/rurpe here in thinking that she just doesn't like you for some reason that may or may not have anything to do with the red pill. Live the life that works for you. Not everyone will like you. Her behaving politely in your presence is meaningless.

[deleted] • 1 point • 16 October, 2015 03:04 AM

If she just doesn't like me then strong words like scary, dangerous, and intense seem out of place now that I give it thought.

rurpe • -2 points • 16 October, 2015 12:43 AM

Maybe she doesn't like you?

[deleted] • 0 points • 16 October, 2015 12:48 AM

Could you at least try to troll in a more creative less obvious way?

rurpe • -5 points • 16 October, 2015 12:51 AM

There is a reason your wife and this dudes wife have all told you that you are scary. You need to turn it down a notch.

itstartstoday123 • 0 points • 16 October, 2015 12:55 AM

Do not pay attention to what they say. When your wife says no to sex but tilts Her head to the side to give you access to her neck do you stop? Or how about when she has Her dick in when our mouth and is muttering that she shouldn't be doing that do you still stop? If she says stop and pushes you away then what? You pay attention to the push.

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