

Friend who turned me onto Redpill is getting jealous

January 18, 2020 | 117 upvotes | by [DJCuddlessp](#)

My friend who showed me TRP is getting pissy with me because I'm starting to build confidence around women.

He entered into a long term LTR about a year ago, and only recently has he been acting like a beta. He literally told me last week that "I've become too obsessed with getting women", "that is affecting our friendship". This is coming from a guy who I would Third wheel for all the time, I would wingman for, that I would run interference with a group of girls while he would single out one.

I'm a naturally confident person but that goes away with women, I started gaining it with women by reading the sidebar and using dating apps to just test stuff out and to see how they would react. I've been getting good enough responses that I'm ok enough to cold approach on my own.

How should I deal with a friend whos getting jealous? It kinda pissed me off

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DarkestShadeOfRed • 186 points • 18 January, 2020 01:54 AM

It sounds like he's used to you being the Robin to his Batman, and now the roles are reversed. It happens when you start improving yourself, start growing your social circle more and don't look back.

rprookie • 22 points • 18 January, 2020 06:36 AM

sees this post

theyearsstartcomin • 6 points • 18 January, 2020 01:34 PM

I think the ltr bit is important too. If they both were chasing girls, itd be more positive, but now hes lockeddown and misses the good ol days that hes seeing op live out

DJCuddlessp[S] • 4 points • 18 January, 2020 01:53 PM

The thing is he still spins plates on the side though, so idk

theyearsstartcomin • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 02:05 PM

Oh weird

DJCuddlessp[S] • 5 points • 18 January, 2020 02:08 PM

That's the part where I'm like wtf. It's not even like we go after the same type of women either so there really isnt a competition motivate behind it

MillionaireSexbomb • 6 points • 18 January, 2020 04:52 PM

bet his gf or plates made a comment about you lol

DJCuddlessp[S] • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 05:51 PM

His Gf tried to set me up with one of her friends last year and I told her friend I wasnt looking for a LTR, so that's a possibility

MillionaireSexbomb • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 07:06 PM

Yeah, he probably noticed them changing how they interact with you. You won't be able to do anything about this, it's his insecurity. He will either get over it or stop being your friend.

DJCuddlessp[S] • 2 points • 18 January, 2020 07:12 PM

He better get over it

555654t456555 • 14 points • 18 January, 2020 03:31 AM

This.

Kevchenkoo • 8 points • 18 January, 2020 11:41 AM

Fuckig facts, he wanted you to play second fiddle but you became the starter in the lineup, while his ass was demoted to the bench.

madfrombrad • 0 points • 18 January, 2020 08:58 PM

Take turns being wingman and alpha

MarkJohnPaul • 44 points • 18 January, 2020 02:45 AM

I mean, is it affecting your friendship? I don't understand the context of that...

In my opinion, male friendships are more important than getting chicks.

That being said, depending on the context he could definitely just be envious / jealous. I'd just let it go and tell him to be happy for you, unless there is some context to you becoming too obsessed with getting women and how it's affecting your friendship.

babybopp • 12 points • 18 January, 2020 08:48 AM

Dunno man... if someone has the friendship to show u rp I don't think they are jealous. I think probably OP is hyper focused on getting laid that he is not paying attention to self discovery and mental growth.

Remember the mantra, don't try to outshine the master. Just seems that OP is reading RP but not really getting what it means. One thing we know is that it is always bros before.. while personal growth is good, it should come at a balanced pace. Either way, it would be good to sit and talk it out...

DJCuddlessp[S] • 6 points • 18 January, 2020 01:59 PM

It's not that I'm focused on getting laid, I'm focused on spending time with my friend who just wants to stay at home and play xbox all night. Like that's fun during the week when I have free time, but on the weekends we'd used to go out and have a lot of fun and BS. I feel it's like hes trying to make me settle down with him at the same time and I dont want to

DaftOdyssey • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 03:02 PM

How old are you?

DJCuddlessp[S] • 1 point • 18 January, 2020 06:00 PM*

Both 25, w/ good jobs

theyearsstartcomin • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 01:36 PM

don't try to outshine the master.

Irrelevant here unless hes his protege rather than just his buddy

My bets on the ltr mqking ops friend feeling caged while hes out gettin laid

babybopp • 2 points • 18 January, 2020 01:49 PM

Op still hasn't got laid bro.. read it again. He just cold approaches now and he is probably doing it wrong that is why the guy who saved him is telling him that he has an unhealthy obsession

DJCuddlessp[S] • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 01:56 PM

I get laid, I have two plates. Just not the plates I want, I'm trying to upgrade from paper to ceramic plates

theyearsstartcomin • 1 point • 18 January, 2020 01:52 PM

It doesnt say hes not gotten laid (i got laid plenty before really doing cold approaches, personally). Anyway doesnt really matter for what im saying. The friend misses the hunt

You could also be right, but that was just my take since either is equally likely considering we dont actually know the situation

Bluedog5x5 • 42 points • 18 January, 2020 01:45 AM

Call him out

marcus8crassus • 52 points • 18 January, 2020 02:43 AM

This. Men aren't women. Relationships that are meant to last between men are based on mutual respect and acknowledgement of that which too often goes unspoken.

LordTutanKhamon • 4 points • 18 January, 2020 01:29 PM

Yes OP, tell him what you told us and maybe he'll say "hey that's not what I mean, your job is in the shitter, you're not working out, you haven't read a book in months, because you're always working on the game instead of working on yourself."

Maybe he'll just say "that's not true, fuck you" like a little bitch.

Either way you get out of the stalemate.

jenovajunkie • 11 points • 18 January, 2020 06:24 AM

This is what I hate about people, they like you when you're able to be dominated and told what to and what not to do.

He sounds like a typical guy who wanted you there, fixed as his third wheel.

Tell him to grow up or fuck off, you're doing a lot better in your eyes and if he can't be happy for you it's best that he leaves.

RuleTheOne • 4 points • 18 January, 2020 07:32 AM

Man that is so true. People love the ass kissers

audiotrack • 32 points • 18 January, 2020 07:27 AM*

Idk where you got that part that he is jelaous. This is your narrative not his. I can totally imagine his narrative being like man this dude used to be Funny to be around and now woman is his mission and its boring and lame.

You know its like when your friends have Kids all they speak about is their infants

Why not talk to him if you care about that friendship?

DJCuddlessp[S] • 4 points • 18 January, 2020 02:02 PM

I want to talk to him about it, the way hes been acting has kinda pissed me off. I dont want to lose him as a friend but at the same time it's like wtf

itiswr1tten • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 03:28 PM

Men aren't women. You can be overt. Just don't be an asshole, make him understand you are strengthening the bro bond.

Velebit • 4 points • 18 January, 2020 10:36 AM

Yeah, he is not even trying to understand.

PhaedrusHunt • 13 points • 18 January, 2020 04:06 AM

So does he have an account here?

Why don't you just call him out and tell him to come read this stuff and we'll tell him to quit being such a faggy crab in a bucket.

Also you got to realize some stuff dude. There are some friends that you will outgrow or that the dynamic of your relationship will change. They might throw a fit.

Jordan Peterson references are generally frowned on around here (for both good and bad reasons) but here is a good video on true friends

TRedman88 • 19 points • 18 January, 2020 01:48 AM

Soft next

theUnBannableHulk • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 07:34 AM

Men are naturally competitive it's normal.

He's in an LTR while you're mackin.

Sit him down and be honest but be willing to walk away too.

There is always gonna be one Alpha more dominant than the other in a group of two.

ChiefFuckingBull • 4 points • 18 January, 2020 09:24 AM

tell him to stop being a bitch, and you need to stop being a bitch aswell. The fact that you have a friendship with such a degree of sophistication that you can talk about shit like TRP, is gold. Just enjoy it, man, no need to argue. Be logical, like men. And you cannot change him (but can only tell him the truth) so if he becomes an emotional BETA male just drop him. This is like the 10,000 posts of this exact kind on this sub

Tiberius7 • 4 points • 18 January, 2020 09:46 AM

Instead of thinking too much, be direct and talk to him about it. Male friendships are valuable, so repair it if you can. Otherwise soft next him.

[deleted] • 8 points • 18 January, 2020 06:16 AM

Don't be a bitch. Talk to him about it. That's how you'll get your answer.

PandaLitter • 5 points • 18 January, 2020 06:46 AM

Isn't he going to read this

DJCuddlessp[S] • 2 points • 18 January, 2020 02:00 PM

If he even still use reddit

SoulRedemption • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 08:55 AM

Are you focusing on chicks that you are spending less time wiv him? You flaking on him for chicks? Genuinely asking

DJCuddlessp[S] • 2 points • 18 January, 2020 02:05 PM

If flaking means not playing xbox with him every day now then yes, because that's what his weekday nights and weekends have turned into essentially

SoulRedemption • -1 points • 18 January, 2020 02:12 PM

Flaking means you cancel plans with him for pussy, you put pussy first when planning

Musicgoon • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 12:07 PM

Here's what you do. Invite him out. Game bitches. Invite two sluts over for a trip to pound-town. You take one he takes the other. Pound away, then stop, swap and pound some more.

But seriously your friend lacks abundance.

majorketone • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 08:20 AM

You kinda sound like a bitch. Talk to your friend about it. Not us. Good male friendships are based around trust and speaking your mind. My friends aren't on TRP but I still tell them exactly what I think all the time and they respect me for it.

cleanestballs • 2 points • 18 January, 2020 01:28 PM

You know the answer... Demote him to anal only plate.

burn-all-bridges • 1 point • 18 January, 2020 07:31 AM

OP, I love what the guy said about finding a new social circle. Reddits approach to relationships is usually hard next. You have to decide if the relationship between you and your friend is worth his new insecurity of you challenging for the alpha spot in the relationship.

I personally lost the best friend I've ever had, BEING the person that your friend is being right now, and it has been a very big regret for me. He seemingly went on to have many years of growth and new friend circles. I suffered, and would have brought him down with me.

Now that I am feeling better and getting back into my power and self control, I see where I went wrong That's a big thing I'm here to really hone.

Off topic, now that you're relatively new to cold approaching, where is it that you're practicing? What is your angle?

I'm going to continue reading and practicing but right now, when I think about it, I still cant think of a good reason to essentially aggressively bother a woman in public.

I of course want to get to where I believe they'd be god damned lucky if I did...so per the sidebar...attack the idea not the person. I'm down for constrictove criticism.

Velebit • 1 point • 18 January, 2020 10:34 AM

You are not trying to steelman his position, but quite the opposite, to strawman it.

red_matrix • 1 point • 18 January, 2020 04:26 PM

When your friends check you, it's on you to check yourself. It doesn't sound like he's jealous either. Think of it from your friends point of view - how have YOU changed, do YOU act different, are you a good friend? The long view here is he took you under his wing and introduced you to TRP (most guys won't do that). Do some soup searching here.

poloniuspoet • 0 points • 18 January, 2020 11:52 AM

Hard next your friend. Ain't got time for negative Nancy's.

kingofclubsmorde • -2 points • 18 January, 2020 03:38 AM

This sounds strangely very familiar. Your friend is probably just wanting the best for you but you are starting to make up some strange plots to lie to yourself about your insecurities.

Been there, bro. Don't waste your precious energy on this nonsense.

Learn to care less. Just stop giving a fuck. You'll find life more pleasurable and balanced than before.

throwboi868787 • -2 points • 18 January, 2020 06:51 AM

I bet he's gonna cuck you soon

Gordon-G • 0 points • 18 January, 2020 01:09 PM

Don't chase them..replace them!!

ElOweTea • -4 points • 18 January, 2020 11:52 AM

I call bullshit, your friend sounds right. Stop being a bitch op and you sound jealous your friend is in a LTR and you are trying to make him sound like he's gone back to the plantation and had become some kind of cuck.

PhaedrusHunt • -10 points • 18 January, 2020 04:08 AM

Also easy on the liberal use of "literally." It was completely gratuitous. That's an annoying recent trend in the language.

I'm going to be honest whenever I see somebody write that or say that and it's not the correct usage of it it makes me immediately think airhead. Like, oh my God, seriously.

Be more deliberate with your words my friend.

Go read some fucking Hemingway

Yur47 • 12 points • 18 January, 2020 04:27 AM

Lmao found op's friend

PhaedrusHunt • 7 points • 18 January, 2020 04:30 AM

LOLLLLLL

theUnBannableHulk • 3 points • 18 January, 2020 07:32 AM

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poortrait100 • 2 points • 18 January, 2020 09:50 AM

Would you say low quality?

PhaedrusHunt • 0 points • 18 January, 2020 03:49 PM

Not low quality just mindless.

Bring the downvotes, incels I don't give a shit. Literally.

DJCuddlessp[S] • 1 point • 18 January, 2020 05:57 PM

Do you mean actually?

poortrait100 • 1 point • 18 January, 2020 08:11 PM

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DJCuddlessp[S] • 0 points • 18 January, 2020 05:56 PM

Would you of rather I have said: actually, directly, plainly, precisely, really, simply or truly in place of literally? Because they all mean the same fucking thing

PhaedrusHunt • 0 points • 18 January, 2020 06:21 PM

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He literally told me last week that "I've...

Just say, " He told me last week that 'I've..." You already use quotations.

Learn to write. You have to be able to express yourself and if you can't do it in writing how are you going to do it to your friend?

Would you of

It's have.

DJCuddlessp[S] • 1 point • 18 January, 2020 07:09 PM

Please, communication is variable by age, and is regional as well. Learn to not be such a dick and grammer check everyone. No one likes a grammer nazi because ways of communication are constantly changing. For example the correct way to refer to lunch is luncheon, LITERALLY no one says that unless you have a ruler stuck up your ass

PhaedrusHunt • 0 points • 18 January, 2020 09:21 PM

See how you're in my frame? I've been fucking with you dude.

I'm not a grammar nazi, I've just been doing a little exercise to show you how you take bait and get in conflicts that aren't an actual thing.

Sorry to have broken your balls. What I did was just to show you that you let people fuck with you. As soon as you started replying, you were in my frame. Ignore or agree and amplify.

DJCuddlessp[S] • 2 points • 18 January, 2020 09:45 PM

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