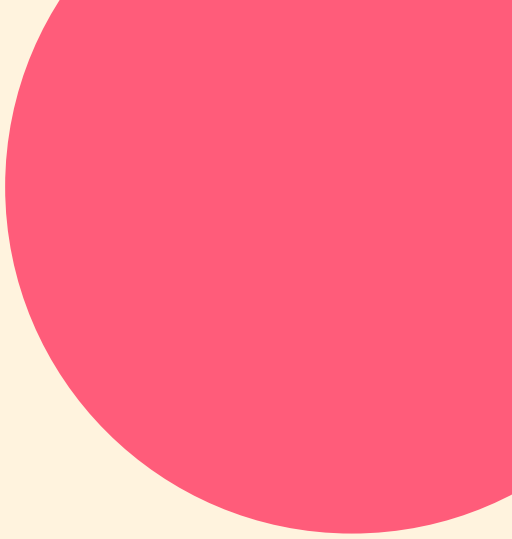




Questions for Married Couples

For the couple who already knows everything — except the things nobody thinks to ask.

HOW TO USE THIS DECK

1. Print on A4. Card stock works best, plain paper is fine.
2. Cut along the grey lines - nine cards per sheet.
3. Keep the three levels in separate piles, or shuffle them together.
4. One person reads a card. Everyone answers. No skipping twice in a row.

LEVELS

Light - 20 cards

Deeper - 20 cards

Deepest - 20 cards

COUPLES What's the best decision we've made together? LIGHT 01	COUPLES What's a small thing about our routine you actually love? LIGHT 02	COUPLES If we had a week with no responsibilities, where are we? LIGHT 03
COUPLES What's changed most about our life in the last five years? LIGHT 04	COUPLES What do people always get wrong about us? LIGHT 05	COUPLES What's a phase of our marriage you'd happily relive? LIGHT 06
COUPLES What's the funniest thing our life together has produced? LIGHT 07	COUPLES What's something you'd like our home to have one day? LIGHT 08	COUPLES Who's better at handling a crisis, honestly? LIGHT 09

COUPLES  What's a tradition we have that you'd defend to anyone? LIGHT 10	COUPLES  What did you think marriage would be like before we did it? LIGHT 11	COUPLES  What's a skill you'd like us to learn together? LIGHT 12
COUPLES  What's your favourite ordinary evening with me? LIGHT 13	COUPLES  If we started over as strangers, would you pick me again — and how fast? LIGHT 14	COUPLES  What's the best advice about marriage you've ever heard? LIGHT 15
COUPLES  What's a place we should go back to? LIGHT 16	COUPLES  What do you want the next anniversary to look like? LIGHT 17	COUPLES  What's something you're glad we never did? LIGHT 18

COUPLES What's the most us thing we do? LIGHT 19	COUPLES What would you want written on a bench with both our names? LIGHT 20	COUPLES What do you need from this marriage that you're not getting? DEEPER 01
COUPLES How has your idea of a good life changed since we married? DEEPER 02	COUPLES What's something you've given up that you'd like back? DEEPER 03	COUPLES How do you feel about the way we split everything — time, money, effort? DEEPER 04
COUPLES What do you think has been hardest on me in the last few years? DEEPER 05	COUPLES When did we last feel like a team, properly? DEEPER 06	COUPLES What's a conversation we've been postponing? DEEPER 07

COUPLES  What do you want to be true about us in ten years? DEEPER 08	COUPLES  How do you want us to handle our parents getting older? DEEPER 09	COUPLES  What's something you've grown out of that I haven't noticed? DEEPER 10
COUPLES  What part of your own life feels neglected? DEEPER 11	COUPLES  What do you want to change about how we argue? DEEPER 12	COUPLES  When do you feel most like a partner rather than a housemate? DEEPER 13
COUPLES  What's something you'd like to be brave about together? DEEPER 14	COUPLES  What's a fear about the future you haven't voiced? DEEPER 15	COUPLES  How do you want intimacy to work in this stage of our life? DEEPER 16

COUPLES



What's a way I've quietly disappointed you?

DEEPER 17

COUPLES



What would make you feel more appreciated day to day?

DEEPER 18

COUPLES



What do you want us to stop doing?

DEEPER 19

COUPLES



What's something you'd like me to take off your plate permanently?

DEEPER 20

COUPLES



Have you ever seriously imagined leaving? What brought you back?

DEEPEST 01

COUPLES



What have you never forgiven me for?

DEEPEST 02

COUPLES



What's a version of yourself you buried to make this work?

DEEPEST 03

COUPLES



What do you think we've each sacrificed, and was it worth it?

DEEPEST 04

COUPLES



What's the loneliest year we've had, and did I know?

DEEPEST 05

COUPLES



**What do you resent that you've
decided to live with?**

DEEPEST 06

COUPLES



**What would you want to have
said if we ran out of time
tomorrow?**

DEEPEST 07

COUPLES



**What are you afraid I'd think if
you were fully honest?**

DEEPEST 08

COUPLES



**What do you need me to see
about how you've changed?**

DEEPEST 09

COUPLES



**What's the hardest thing about
being married to me?**

DEEPEST 10

COUPLES



**When did you last feel
unloved, and what was
happening?**

DEEPEST 11

COUPLES



**What do you hope our children
— or the people who know us
— learned from us?**

DEEPEST 12

COUPLES



**What's a grief you've never
fully let me into?**

DEEPEST 13

COUPLES



**What would you want to do
with the last year of our life
together?**

DEEPEST 14

COUPLES



What part of our marriage do you think we're both lying about?

DEEPEST 15

COUPLES



What would repair actually look like for you?

DEEPEST 16

COUPLES



What do you still hope for that feels unrealistic to say out loud?

DEEPEST 17

COUPLES



How do you want to be cared for when you can't care for yourself?

DEEPEST 18

COUPLES



What's the truest thing you could tell me right now?

DEEPEST 19

COUPLES



Would you marry me again, knowing all of it?

DEEPEST 20