

# Eye on Our Generation

## He Said, She Said - ashleymadison.com

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Recently, I was informed of this new website called ashleymadison.com. It's basically a dating site for people who are married or would like to have an affair with someone who is married. After searching the site for a few minutes I began to understand why someone would create this site. The foundation of marriage has never been as sacred as the media or the facilities of religions that endorse it wish that it was. Divorce rates are higher than ever at this current point in time, with fifty percent of couples splitting up before "death do they part." So what place does ashleymadison.com have in all of this?

This is a website that preys on the unsure spouse that finds themselves without the thrill that they had at the beginning of their relationship. It's a forum for a person to find someone to have an affair with and since it is so out in the open, a person could easily feel justified in the act they are preparing to perform. After all, their motto which is on the front of the web page is, "Life is Short. Have an Affair". But are we really the type of culture that would stoop so low as to turn our relationships into something much more counterfeit in the hopes of satisfying ourselves? Is there anything more selfish than planning and in some cases explaining the necessity of an affair to a loved one?

The site claims that it has garnered over three million users that are apparently working together to create a more sexually satisfied existence for themselves. According to the site, they encourage the users to explain themselves to their spouses and work through their difficulties along with the help of ashleymadison.com's special "therapy". It should be mentioned that this website asks all users for their credit card information in order to speed them through the site and allow them a quicker, more time efficient affair.

Some people would consider this an alternative to divorce, but I think those people have yet to realize they harm they are bringing upon their relationship. When two people are married they become bonded to one another whether it's religiously or strictly socially and to bring another person into that significant bond could be a costly mistake. Intimacy between the couple would not be replenished all of a sudden and the nail could easily drive deeper into the coffin that the two people have dug for their relationship. I think that it is easy to say that ashleymadison.com is a website that is beneficial to married couples due to the aforementioned divorce rate in our country, but I don't think that one thing should lead to another in this case.

The line must be drawn in our culture that infidelity is wrong and people who think they are strong enough to stomach the idea of their spouse bedding another person are just as naïve as the single people who crave the attention of the married people that inhabit this website. If you believe that sex is the most important part of a relationship then I suggest you grow up or get help before you find yourself sliding down a slippery slope of deception and the inability to be faithful. If your marriage is in the gutter, then get a counselor and if that doesn't work then consider splitting up but don't try to rationalize bringing strangers into your relationship to spice it up because it sounds as ridiculous as it certainly is and in this case it could easily ruin the thing that you were "trying" to save. Strangers can carry STD's, they can make themselves out to be people that they really aren't and they could become attached and begin to meddle into your relationship. To wrap up, I don't think that the creators of ashleymadison.com had the best interests of their users in mind when they came up with the idea. It's simply another scam to take your money and leave you with something that you will most likely regret "purchasing."

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There is a well known, new website that has caught the attention of many married and some single people in this world today. This website is called ashleymadison.com and it is just another ordinary dating website, just like eharmony.com. On the other hand, there is something a little different from the rest of the of the dating service websites. Ashleymadison.com is a website for married and single people that are willing to have just sex and not look any type relationships, long term or short term. They have a lot of publicity going on now all over the world. There are many different people from

across the country that is looking to have an affair. Most of the people on this website are mostly from California, but there are a lot of other different people from like Texas.

Ashleymadison.com is kind of weird because you have to pay to get credits. These credits will allow you to do anything in this website such as chatting with other people, and webcams and videos. The prices for the credits come in different packages, and you can only check out the website and see how much the credits are unless you make a profile yourself. The credit prices go from \$50.00 for 100 credits to about \$250.00 for 1000 credits. If you get the package with the most credits then you are guaranteed an affair. It is recommended that you do get the top package because just to chat online with people depends on how long you are chatting with another person. If you on there for about 30 minutes, then that is 30 of your credits that you have just used to try and set up either a one-night stand or a regular on-going affair if you're married.

According to a lot of couples all over this country, they are having problems maintaining there relationships after about 5-20 years of being married. Many people have tried other options such as marriage counseling. Before you look towards the drastic measures of getting a divorce, you should consider ashleymadison.com. Most of the time the reason why marriages start to have problems is due to their sex life. This is when most couples turn to books and videos to spice up there sex lives as a couple. With ashleymadison.com it helps couples to make their lives a little better. This can only happen if both parties agree with the situation. Most of the men on ashleymadison.com have said that they love their wife to death and they would never, ever leaving her, but there sex life is going down hill. They are looking for something more then what there marriage is offering so that is why they look into ashleymadison.com.

To most people, having an "affair" is a bad, horrible thing, but this is only when spouses are doing it behind each others back. Ashleymadison.com is a good idea only if you're upfront with your spouse and communicate to each other about the relationship. If you have done everything else and tried things that you would never ever thought of doing, then ashleymadison.com is the way to go. The solution to your marital problems could be to just have an affair with another person, but just don't let it be with someone that you already know via at your job, or school (if you are going back to school).