

Married Sex: The Very Private Lives of Wives

Curious about what goes on in other bedrooms across America? Then listen in as 1,400 wives tell all, courtesy of a Redbook nationwide poll



How often do you have sex?

41% of you said, "Once or twice per week."

"When we were dating, it was like, 'Oh, my God, we missed a day!' Now, since our second child was born, we've learned that sex isn't the only way we feel intimate together."

--*Laura, Apex, NC*

26% of you said, "Three to six times per week."

18% of you said, "Twice a month."

12% of you said, "Once a

month or less."

3% of you said, "Every day."

Are you satisfied with the frequency of your sex life?

51% of you said, "Our lovemaking frequency is just right."

"My husband and I always let each other know what we want. We aren't bashful about expressing our desires!"

--*Anna, Reese, MI*

25% of you said, "I would like it more often."

24% of you said, "I would like it less often."

How do you feel about having sex with your husband when you're not in the mood?

32% of you said, "Fine. I want to keep him happy and satisfied."

"Anyway, once things start heating up, I get in the mood."

--*Shaun, White Bear Lake, MN*

29% of you said, "Not great, but I do it anyway."

24% of you said, "If I'm not in the mood, I don't do it."

15% of you said, "I'm always in the mood."

Have you done a striptease for your husband?

58% of you said, "No way!"

"I can't take him eyeballing my nooks and crannies in that va-va-voom way."
--*Lauramarie, New York*

42% of you said, "Oh, yes!"

"Can't say I was perfect, but my husband egged me on, yelled out encouraging things, and made me feel good. I just pretended I was Demi Moore."
--*Kristin, Massillon, OH*

Does pornography turn you on?

56% of you said, "No -- it's a turnoff."

"My husband and I are shy, and we'd be embarrassed to view it together."
--*Pamela, Milford, NJ*

44% of you said, "Yes -- it's erotic!"

Have you confided in a pal about how sexy your husband is in bed?

62% of you said, "Absolutely!"

"All the time! I have a very close friend. I tell her everything about when my husband and I don't have enough sex and when we do -- and how good those good times are."
--*Jennifer, Lakewood, OH*

38% of you said, "Nope. I keep that info private."

Have you fantasized about making love to a man other than your husband?


54% of you said, "Never. Nope. Nada."


"I can't handle my husband's sexiness! How could I want another man?!"
--*Nancy, Appling, Georgia*

36% of you said, "Yes, once in a while."

10% of you said, "Frequently."

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