



Love Signals: A Practical Field Guide to the Body Language of Courtship

By David Givens

St. Martin's Griffin. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 256 pages. Dimensions: 8.1in. x 5.3in. x 0.8in. A world renowned anthropologist explores the nonverbal signs, signals, and cues human beings exchange to attract and keep their mates. As a medium of communication, Love's silent language predates speech by millions of years. Today, we still express emotions and feelings largely apart from words. The postures, gestures, and facial cues of attraction are universal, in all societies and cultures. According to Dr. Givens, courtship moves slowly through five distinct phases: attracting attention, recognition phase, conversation phase, touching phase, making love. Since potential mates test each other before uniting as one, courtship is a choreographed give and take of signs granting physical and emotional closeness. Love Signals is part ethnography and part how-to. Dr. Givens documents the little courting rituals witnessed in elevators, on subways, and in the workplace. He examines the essential role the face plays in courtship and how it can be optimally displayed. He decodes the body to find silent messages given off by shoulders, neck, arms, hands, waist, calves, ankles, feet, and toes. Dr. Givens analyzes expressive shapes, colors, and markings encoded in arm wear, shoulder wear, leg wear, and shoes....



READ ONLINE
[1.94 MB]

Reviews

Merely no words and phrases to describe. I am quite late in start reading this one, but better then never. I found out this ebook from my i and dad encouraged this pdf to find out.

-- Hyman Auer

I actually started out looking over this publication. It can be writter in easy phrases and never difficult to understand. Your lifestyle span will probably be transform as soon as you comprehensive looking over this ebook.

-- Prof. Dayne Crist Sr.