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### Dear Deanna!

I'm single playing the field but I have a girlfriend. She's confident and allows me to see other women. Now she's giving me an ultimatum because there's another woman I'm falling in love with. I feel I can be in Dear Nicole: love with two women at the same time. She disagrees and wants me all to herself. -- Richard; Memphis, Tenn.

#### Dear Richard:

You're stuck on stupid. Any woman that gets involved with you and your circus isn't confident, they're foolish. Love is a committed effort of respect, consideration and dig-

nity. Loving two people at the same this time as a learning experience time is possible if they want to be and move on with your life. loved half way because you can't fully love two people. You need to settle yourself down and accept the ultimatum. If you can't do this, be honest with her and step away because she deserves better.

#### Dear Deanna!

I was in a 5-month relationship that ended when my boyfriend cheated. I'm willing to take time to work things out but he doesn't feel the same. I'm over the cheating issue. I wrote him a letter saying I'll always love him, but I won't wait forever. He got mad and now we don't continunicate. I've made my feelings clear and he has done the same but he hasn't made an effort to help fix the relationship. Should I leave him and get on with my life? -- Nicole; Toledo, Ohio

It's clear as water but you don't see it. He cheated, doesn't want to work it out and is mad because you're not stupid by waiting on him. He's gotten over you and the relationship and he's moving on and you should do the same. The 5-months didn't build a relationship; it only created a whole lot of "I like you" stuff. Get yourself together, count

#### Dear Deanna!

I want to know why you respond to Godly questions and put them next to those hopeless sinners in your column? I'm a Christian and wouldn't be bothered with the secular stuff. --Lillie; Dallas, Texas

#### Dear Lillie:

Don't you pay enough attention to the Bible to know that a thief was on the cross right beside Jesus? Sinners and Saints both have issues, problems, pain and loss of hope. God loves everybody whether they're in the church or on the street corner. He restores hope as quoted in Psalm 103 Verse 2-4 that says He redeems my life from the pit and crowns me with love and compassion. He also says, I will give back your health and heal your wounds in Jeremiah 30:17. Get off that holier than thou trip and get back to God's business of love and

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# St. John's Safeway Opens

## Diverse workforce to expand

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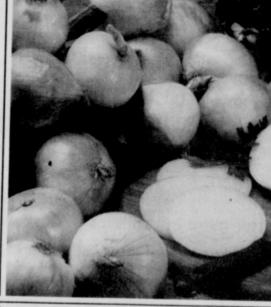


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