



By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: My parents were recently divorced. I live with my mother, but I see my Dad occasionally. I made a date to play tennis with him on Sunday at a club he recently joined. When we met he asked me not to call him "Dad" because he didn't want anyone to know he has a 20-year-old daughter. I was hurt. He is my father. Should I call him "Dad" anyway?

HIS DAUGHTER

DEAR DAUGHTER: Certainly. And if you're in a playful mood, just for fun, call him "Grandpa." He's old enough to be one.

DEAR ABBY: I must make a decision soon and I don't know what to do. I am in love with, and want to marry, a man of considerable means and position. I am 36 and have never been married. He is 44 and divorced. His ex-wife has remarried, and she is no problem. But he has a 20-year-old daughter who lives with him, and she's the problem. The daughter never got along with her mother. (That's why she's living with her father.) She is an only child, and while I don't know this for a fact, I think she's slightly retarded. She has never had a date in her life, and the reason is obvious. She has a bad complexion from eating sweets continually. She is terribly overweight, very lazy, and very, very sloppy. She "works" for her father ("filing" at his office) when she feels like it, which isn't very often. She's usually at home, eating and watching television. She likes me, but I don't think I could stand having her live with us for the rest of her life, and I'm afraid that would be the deal.

Well, Abby, what do you say?
BEITWXY AND BETWEEN?

NOTICES AUCTIONS

HELP WANTED

DEAR B AND B: If you are considering marrying a man, you should be able to discuss the matter of his "problem daughter" with him. (Does he know what her potential is? Why is she permitted to vegetate?) If she is "slightly retarded," surely she could be doing more with her life. If you don't love this man enough to want to help him with his problem, and his daughter is his problem, don't marry him.

DEAR ABBY: In hiring a secretary I bear in mind that a good secretary is one who is a good "keeper of secrets," as the word "secretary" implies.

I receive all kinds of mail from people all over the world, and I never know what will be contained in those letters. However, I expect no raised eyebrows, censuring, or personal comments from my secretary regarding the contents of my mail. And certainly none regarding my replies.

When I dictate to my secretary, my thoughts are transmitted to her as mechanically as to the typewriter itself. This doesn't mean that I consider my secretary to be less than a human being with personal feelings. However, whatever her personal feelings might be, they should never interfere with her job.

If I should ever feel the need of a censor or editor, I would hire someone else who is qualified in that field.

THE BOSS

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