

## RATIONAL ROMANCE PRINCIPLES

- Mutual Respect
- Honesty
- Self-esteem
  - Consideration for each other's values
- Non-sacrificial compromise
- Promote mutual self-development
- Partnership toward mutual goals
- Sense of humor
- Sex as a mutual pleasure not a duty
- Never take the relationship for granted!
- Know each other's means values - flower, chocolates etc
- Make the relationship play not work
- Sharing & mutual ownership

## Questions

- How do you know you're in love?
- What are the predominant causes of failure or success of marriages?
- What are the cultural roots of the higher divorce <sup>RATE?</sup> ~~rate~~?
- What has been the impact of feminism (rational <sup>of</sup> militant) ~~in~~ romance?
- What challenges do today's teens face in forming romantic relationships?
- What are the psychological dangers of hedonism?
- Assess the left and right reaction to the Clinton - Lewinsky affair