

## DATING EUROPEAN WOMEN-WHAT'S REAL AND WHAT'S NOT?

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Dating European women, especially dating eastern European women, is one of the main trends that have taken over the online dating scene in most western countries especially within the last half of the last decade. In fact, there is even a new term that has coined with specific reference to [online European dates](#). Mail order brides is the term used to refer to eastern European brides met online and brought back to the home country of the bridegroom for marriage. Even though this term may not be entirely accurate and could create misconceptions, the fact that it was coined out of the intermarriage of people from western and east European countries implies that such intermarriages are real and actually do happen. There are many factors driving this trend and it would be impractical to try and look into all these factors in this piece but suffice it to say that each and every one has his own unique reasons for going through the process.

### Myths about dating European women

Even though there are many examples of people that have met and married European women in the past and managed to have successful relationships or marriage, there is still a lot of misunderstanding about [dating eastern European women](#). Although some of the ideas on the subject may be real and grounded in fact, a vast majority of these notions are empty myths perpetuated by the media and people who know very little, or nothing, of what they are talking about. In particular, the following are some of the myths about dating women from Europe that need to be dispelled. They include;

- Eastern women are desperate; one of the most common myths regarding dating women from Eastern Europe is that the women live in dire conditions and are desperate to be married by western men and get away from home. This does not really apply to most of the women in question. Take Russian women for instance. In terms of wealth, Russia is considered one of the biggest and strongest economies in the world today. The living standards in the country are well at par with what you would expect to find in the richest countries of the world. So, in truth, there really is nothing they are desperate to run away from.
- European women are gold diggers; this mistaken notion has been perpetuated for the large part by unscrupulous online dating sites that do not take time to check the backgrounds of members. Granted, there are a number of actual gold diggers who are out to scam innocent men through these websites but they do not represent the true picture of the eastern European women and a quick check will reveal that most of them are now even from the countries they say they come from.
- European women don't want to settle down; on the contrary, eastern European culture places strong value on family and majority of the European women in online dating sites are there looking for eligible mates with whom they can settle down and establish families.

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