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Don't involve Kenishaa: Jayam Ravi addresses speculations of affair



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Jayam Ravi says he and Kenishaa Francis are in talks to open a healing centre in the future

Jayam Ravi, who recently announced his separation from wife Aarti, has refuted reports that suggested he might be romantically involved with Bangalore-based music artiste Kenishaa Francis.

Addressing the media on Saturday, the actor said, "I would like to say only one thing: live and let live. Do not drag anybody into this matter and do not indulge in such acts. Let my personal life be just that."

Stating that Kenishaa is a licensed psychologist, he shared, "Kenishaa is a healer who has saved many lives. Please don't involve her in this."

Jayam Ravi also revealed that he plans to collaborate with the singer in a future business venture. "Kenisha and I have plans of opening a healing centre in the future. Our aim is to help people," he said.

Incidentally, Kenishaa has also reacted to the matter on social media. After speculations about her relationship with Jayam Ravi surfaced, several Instagram users posted mocking messages in the singer's posts. Re-

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- Jayam Ravi

sponding to a comment, Kenishaa wrote, "Are you safe with your parents? Are you safe with yourself and all your insecurities? Are you safe with all the friends you have currently around you? Are you a safe person to others in the first place? I wish you peace and love."

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Pranitha celebrates Daughter's Day with her daughter Arna



PRANITHA SUBHASH

'MY DAUGHTER IS LIKE MY LITTLE BEST FRIEND'

Kavya Christopher

On the occasion of Daughter's Day, actress Pranitha Subhash tells us she cherishes the idea of being what she calls a 'girl mom' to her two-and-a-half-year-old daughter Arna. "It's like having a little best friend. Our personalities are so similar, so it is like being with another version of myself. It is so much fun — dressing her up, twinning with her, she is a doll for sure," beams Pranitha, who also became a mother to a baby boy recently. Excerpts from a chat:



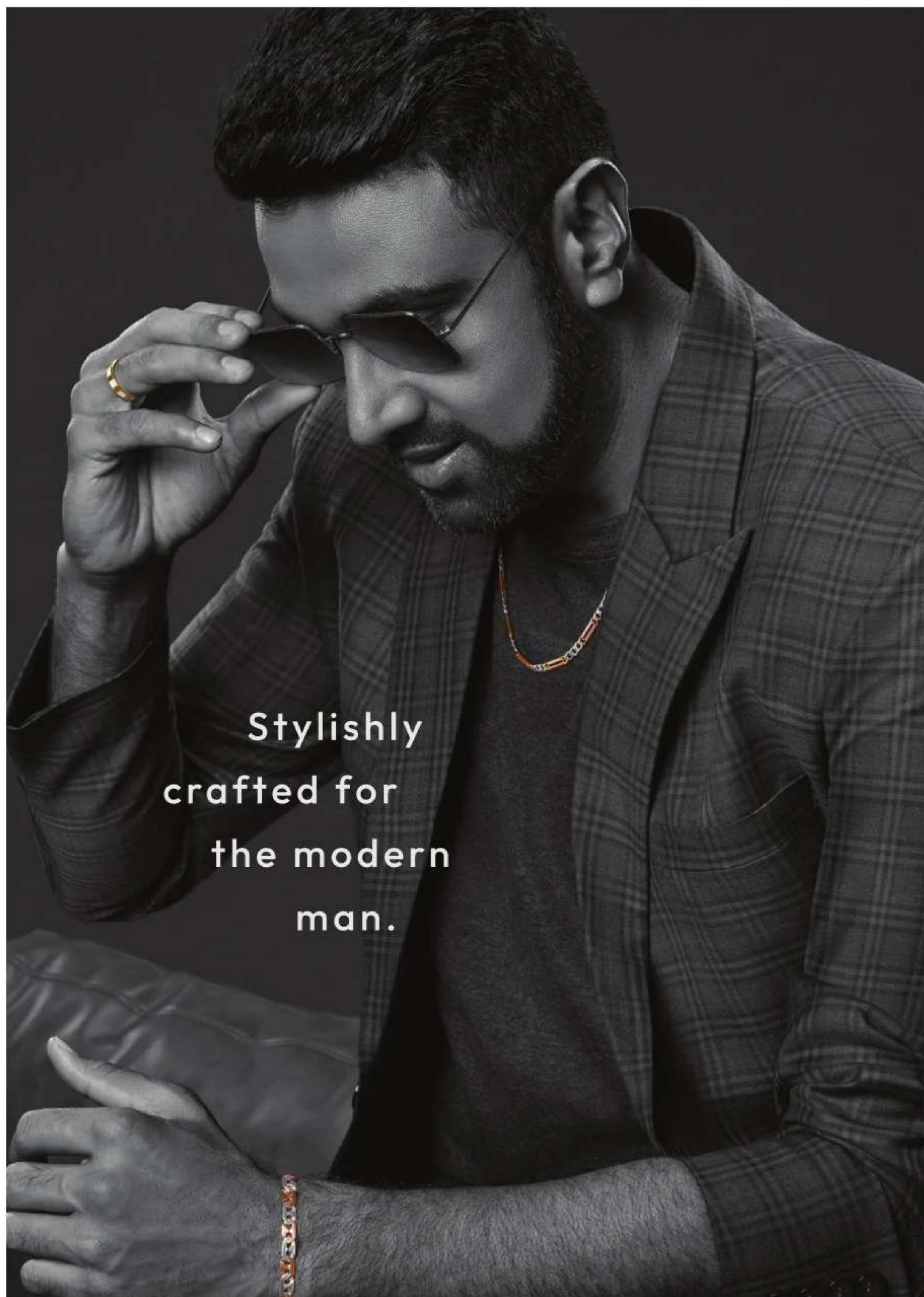
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Growing up, I was fortunate to have parents who instilled in me the values of equality and empowerment. They never treated my brother and me differently, setting a powerful example that has shaped my own beliefs

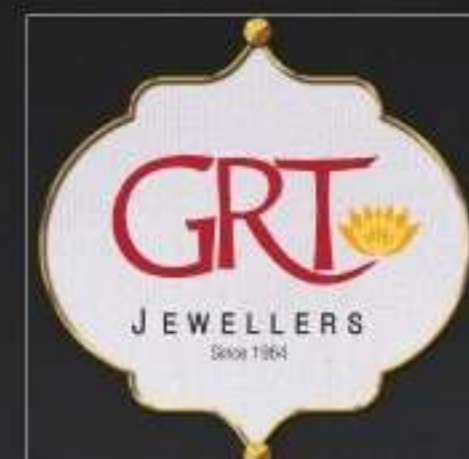
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FOUR GENERATIONS OF DAUGHTERS: Pranitha Subhash with her grandmother Malathi, her mother Dr Jayashri and her daughter Arna



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Anxious, overachiever, full of guilt: Do you have #EldestDaughterSyndrome?

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Let me tell you about this thing called the eldest daughter syndrome, bon

Why do you think handling the family's issues is your burden, sis?

There are memes and jokes aplenty, talking about the plight – and might – of the eldest daughter. On Daughter's Day, today, we look into the pop psychology term Eldest Daughter Syndrome

Divya Kaushik

If you spend any time scrolling social media, you would have come across the term Eldest Daughter Syndrome. They have been described as overachievers with great organisational skills, the family's unpaid therapist and the third parent. From jokes and memes about them being the family's manager and the unofficial co-parent for younger siblings to many posts applauding their sense of responsibility, eldest daughters have been a topic of discussion on social media lately. However, #eldestdaughter-syndrome isn't just about celebrating the first-born daughter but also about the responsibilities she unassumingly bears and the immense pressure that comes with it.

IS IT REAL?

While eldest daughter syndrome may not be a real psychological condition, it seems to be more than just a social media trend as many are sharing videos about how much they relate to it. Some studies indicate that there maybe some truth to this pop psychology term. A University of California-led research team found that, in certain instances, first-born daughters tend to mature earlier, enabling them to help their mother rear younger siblings. There is also a study from 2014 that found that eldest daughters are the most likely to succeed out of any sibling type, while a 2012 study found that those who are eldest-born are more likely to hold leadership roles.



In Disney's *Encanto*, Luisa the eldest daughter in the family sings, "It's pressure like a drip, drip, drip that'll never stop. Pressure that'll tip, tip, tip 'til you just go pop. Give it to your sister, your sister's older. Give her all the heavy things we can't shoulder. Who am I if I can't run with the ball?"

@soladoona
dating an eldest daughter is tough, one moment she's all cute and vulnerable, and the next she's carrying the weight of the world on her shoulders, this shit is not for the weak

LEEZA
@bhejtsAleeza
Being the eldest daughter is having to parent ur siblings and parent your own parent(s) while still having to reparent yourself.

@soymell
being the eldest daughter is just "inability to show feelings" "putting everyone's needs first" "third parent" "cleaning" "tries to please everyone" "repressed childhood trauma"

femme top fall
@volcanicloves
even though i am the youngest child (of 2) i feel like i can still claim a lot of the eldest daughter problems bc i'm the only daughter

Many younger siblings have found that the eldest daughter syndrome can sometimes defy the birth order

@PEACHBLACKGIRL
unhinged eldest daughters at home for the holidays

Lauren Ashley Smith
@msLAS
Just a pitch, but we could fix pretty much every problem in two weeks if we put a committee of oldest daughters in charge

Camilla Blackett
@camillard
Anyone who asks an eldest daughter why they don't have kids yet is 100% a youngest child.

Canela Concha
@banananabomb
Being the eldest daughter somehow means everything is my fault love that for me

petosis
@petosis
is your love language really acts of service or are you just an eldest daughter shocked at the thought of someone else completing a task or responsibility for once

Beyond being meme material, eldest daughter syndrome represents a real challenge for many, shaped by the complexities of childhood

I have become a better actor since my daughter was born, says Rohit Roy

Yesha Bhatt

Rohit Roy and his actor-wife Manasi Joshi's daughter Kiara Bose Roy, who turned 22 this year, is currently studying at a university in the US. On Daughter's Day today, Rohit says that daughters should be celebrated every day. Talking about living so far away from Kiara now, he says, "It was very tough initially, but Manasi and I came up with a plan which works well. Now, we don't travel the world, our only destination is Providence or wherever she is doing her internships." The actor talks to us about his bond with Kiara and more.

'THANKS TO KIARA, THE WAY I LOOK AT LIFE HAS CHANGED'
Kiara travels to India as and when she gets a break. Talking about their evolving bond, Rohit says, "She misses me more and appreciates me more, too. Distance does make the heart grow fonder. She's very close to Manasi and discusses stuff with her which she might not share with me. However, she knows that if push comes to shove, she can always come to me, which she does. That's what any father should aim for in a relationship with his child."

Rohit says that everything has changed since his daughter was born. He shares, "The way I look at life has changed, including my goals and aspirations. I think twice before taking up any project now because I want my daughter to be proud of my body of work. I have certainly become a better actor since her birth because I don't want to embarrass her by delivering a sub-par performance. Also, I have matured in the past two decades."



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What advice would he like to share with his daughter? Rohit says, "She is a sorted young adult who's smarter than her old man and doesn't really need my advice. But as a father, I would say that she won't always get what she wants but that shouldn't ever stop her from giving her 100%. It's normal to get disheartened, but she should bounce back quickly."

I discovered the magic of poetry with Masaan: Shweta

Raima Ganguly

Be it the soft-spoken Shalu from *Masaan*, or the feisty Golu from *Mirzapur*; Shweta Tripathi Sharma is someone who can bring out shades of human emotions effortlessly on the screen. To her, there's a lot to explore beyond just the black, white and grey and that's exactly what drives her in real life as well.

Excerpts from a chat:

Nine years in, how do you think Masaan would have been received if it released today?
Every story has its time and *Masaan* was destined to release back then. It was my debut film and it's been the tree that has borne many fruits for me. I got to audition for *Mirzapur*, *Yeh Kaali Kaali Aankhein* and so much more only because of *Masaan*. Stories are meant to be told, not held back. It has been a milestone for me and I am indebted to this journey of nine years since the film released.

You are known for unconventional roles, what factors do you usually consider while choosing a role?
There's so much to explore beyond just the black, white, and grey. There are so many colours waiting to be explored, and I want my characters to be colourful. While choosing a role, I adhere to my emotional response to it, because I need to have fun, have to feel invested in it. I owe this to my audience because they have showered me with a lot of love. I don't fit into the stereotypical conventions of a 'heroine', but my audience never makes me feel that way. I feel very comfortable being who I am, and credit goes to them as well, for this. Personally, I like characters who know how to navigate difficult situations. I like when they want to do something. These women might not be superheroes, but they have courage within them to find their way.

On her love for poetry...
Shweta has always loved poetry, but it wasn't until she started writing and performing poetry, that she realised audiences would get to connect with her so much. "The magic of poetry is something I discovered because of *Masaan*. Poetry became a part of my life because of Shalu. If my words, my voice can offer a balm, or spark a conversation, ignite something in someone, that is the best reward I can get as an artiste."



SHWETA TRIPATHI SHARMA



Shweta with Vicky Kaushal in a still from *Masaan*

Anindya Saha

Anayra did what no one could - improve my English: Kapil

Vinay MR Mishra

It is way past Anayra's bedtime, however, the four-year-old was brimming with joy to pose for us with her father, actor-comedian Kapil Sharma. As we enter Kapil's penthouse in Mumbai, Anayra, like a little tornado, welcomes us. "She loves to get clicked. She is usually asleep by this time, but today, she is excited about the shoot," says Kapil, who has just returned home from the shoot of his comedy show. On Daughter's Day, Kapil talks about the beautiful bond between a father and a daughter.

'I HAD ALWAYS HEARD THAT A FATHER AND DAUGHTER'S LOVE IS VERY UNIQUE'

Anayra was three months old when the pandemic struck. It gave Kapil an opportunity to spend more time with his firstborn. He gladly traded his mic for diaper duties. "Right from getting her to burp to putting her to sleep at 5am, I have done everything. When I see her now, I often feel she is growing up too fast," Kapil says. Talking about his equation with his daughter, the comedian shares, "I had always heard that a father and daughter's love is very unique. Once you become a father to a daughter, you realise that the love between the two is unparalleled. She is my biggest blessing. Daughters have always received more love in our house. Now I know why."

'I PLAN MY SCHEDULE IN SUCH A WAY THAT I GET TIME TO SPEND WITH MY KIDS'

Kapil admits that his social circle has shrunk, and he now looks forward to spending quality time at home with his children, Anayra and Trishaan. He shares, "My circle of friends has changed. I feel like spending more time at home. Talking to Anayra is like meditation. I have also become far more disciplined. I really love my sleep, but I wake up to bid her goodbye when she leaves for school. I also plan my schedule in such a way that I get time to spend with my kids."



Kapil Sharma with daughter Anayra



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'ANAYRA HAS DONE WHAT NO SCHOOL COULD - SHE HAS HELPED ME IMPROVE MY ENGLISH'

Kapil's sleeping schedule isn't the only thing his daughter has improved. "What the universities and colleges couldn't do, Anayra has managed to do! She has helped me improve my English," he quips. "When Ed Sheeran was coming on my show, I knew a couple of his songs, but it was Anayra who was excited to meet him. I remember she was sweetly singing his song, *Shape Of You*," he reveals.

'I AM MY DAUGHTER'S HERO'

At 43, Kapil says his children inspire him to do better work. "I am more motivated to do good work so that they understand that they are proud of their papa," he says. Ask him if Anayra is



When she was a child, it was only my wife Ginni who could make her laugh. I would wonder, I am making the whole world laugh but my own daughter is not laughing. But she is the one who makes me laugh the most

aware of his popularity, and he replies, "She knows who I am because her teachers often ask her if she is Kapil Sharma's daughter. I am her hero."

Katy Perry talks about hot & fast arguments with Orlando Bloom



Katy Perry; (right) with Orlando Bloom

Katy Perry recently shared that she and her partner, Orlando Bloom, are very loud and are filled with energy. She also confessed that they have hot and fast arguments. The singer, 39, is engaged to Bloom, and they also share four-year-old daughter Daisy. As per a media outlet, when opening up on the energy in the household, the singer confessed she calls the clan the "chaos crew".

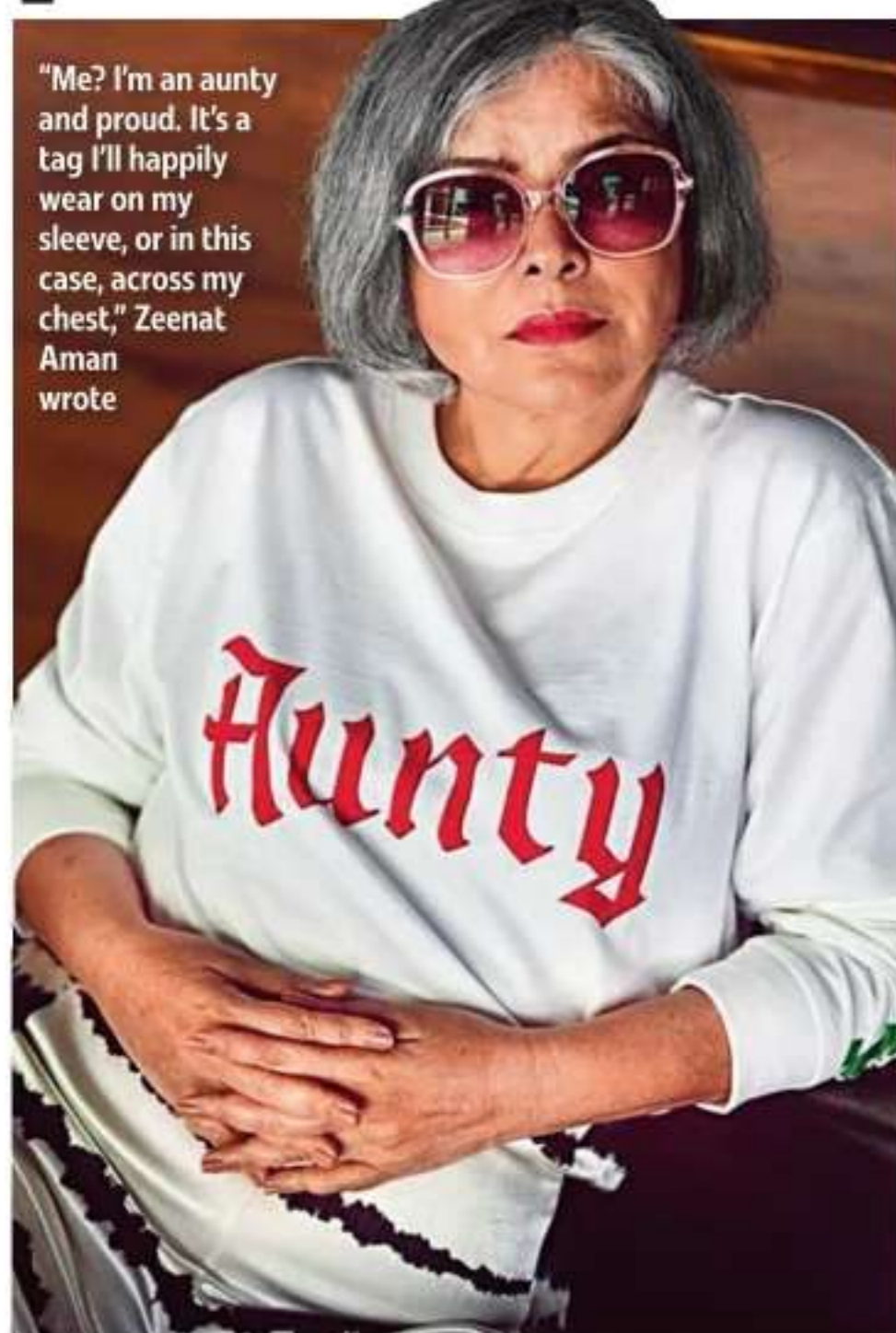
Touching on their arguments in their relationship, Perry said, "We are a loud family. We are fire fire fire. Orlando and I, when we argue, we argue kinda hot and fast and then cool really quickly. It's like, 'La la la la, I love you. Alright, let's move on'."

The singer also spoke about the ego they both have as she opened up on her man's energy as a romantic partner. "He's a real sage. We both have parts of ourselves. There's two parts of us, our highest good, and then our carnal, material self. Ego. When the ego is running the show, then it's like, 'Whoa.' But when that's in check, then we're both something else," she said.

The *Dark Horse* singer admitted both hers and Orlando's personality is already showing through in their daughter. She revealed the youngster is "a product of both parents being very bold", as she revealed the tot is not a shy child. Daisy made her singing debut on the latest track released by Perry.

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I'm an aunty and proud of it: Zeenat



"Me? I'm an aunty and proud. It's a tag I'll happily wear on my sleeve, or in this case, across my chest," Zeenat Aman wrote

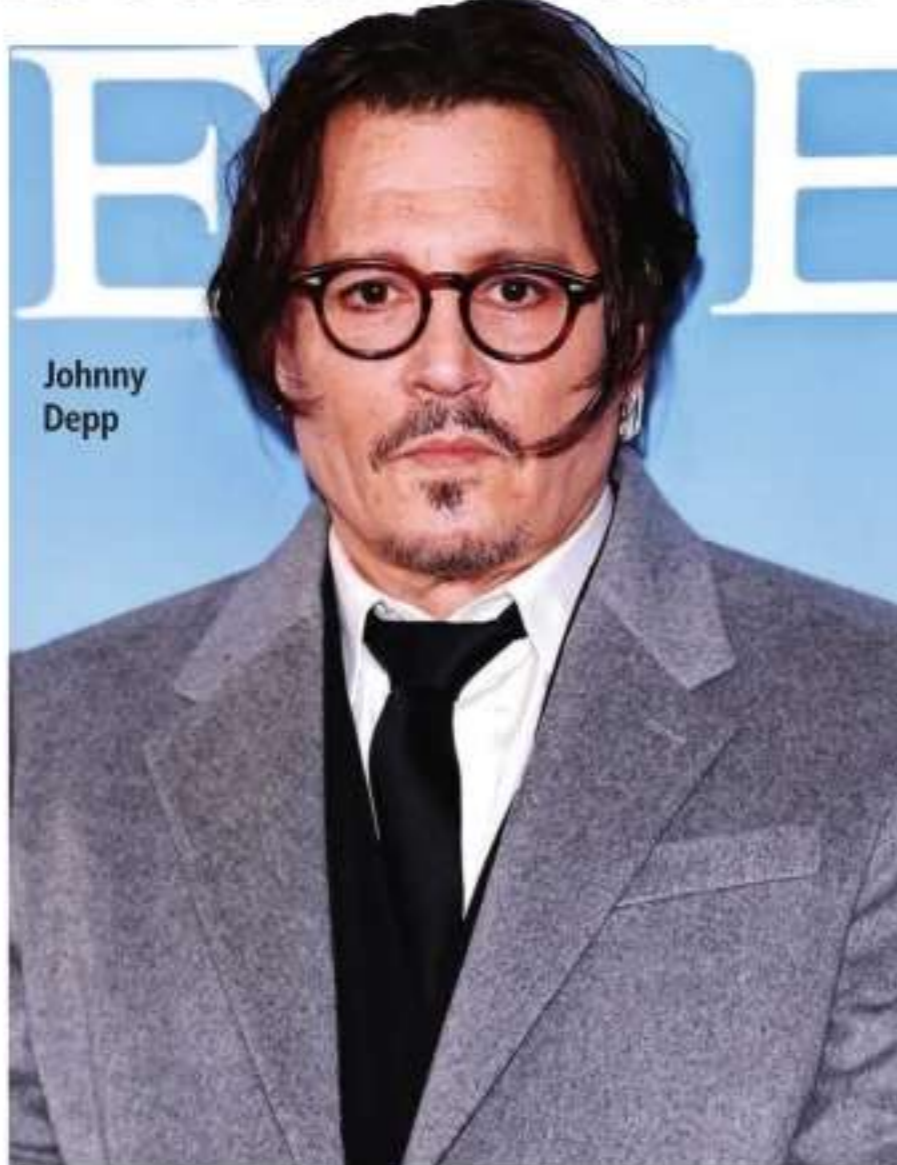
Veteran actress Zeenat Aman's social media posts are always unique. In her latest, she decided to address the term 'aunty' and asked, "Which genius decided that 'aunty' is a derogatory term?"

Waxing eloquent about the "Indian aunty," she wrote, "Where would we be without those ubiquitous older women who make our lives comfortable and warm and secure. The Indian aunty is everywhere, and she doesn't even have to be related to you. She provides a shoulder to lean on, an ear to your problems, a hot meal, a silly joke, a welcoming home, a righteous scolding, a pearl of wisdom. When you hear the word 'aunty' you can imagine a frumpy nag, or you can truly think about the older women in your life and see what I see. In my life I had my stepmother Shamim aunty, who was a huge support to me when my sons were young. She would cook us meals and babysit the boys and check-in on me everyday."

Johnny Depp to be honoured with Lifetime Achievement Award at Rome Film Festival

Johnny Depp will be honoured with the Lifetime Achievement Award at the 19th Rome Film Festival, where his upcoming directorial *Modi - Three Days On The Wing Of Madness* will also be screened. According to entertainment news outlet *Deadline*, the film will head to Rome after its world premiere at the San Sebastian Film Festival later this month. Described as a "seventy-two-hour whirlwind in the life of bohemian artist Amedeo Modigliani," "*Modi*" features Riccardo Scamarcio in the lead role alongside Antonia Desplat and Hollywood icon Al Pacino. The film follows a chaotic series of events through the streets of war-torn Paris in 1916.

Depp, known for his roles in films like *Pirates Of The Caribbean*, *Alice In Wonderland* and *Charlie And The Chocolate Factory*, made his directorial debut with *Brave*, in 1997. Oscar-nominated actor Viggo Mortensen will also receive a Lifetime Achievement award at the festival.



Johnny Depp



Best-dressed celebs at Milan Fashion Week

After New York and London, celebrities are putting their most fashionable foot forward at Milan Fashion Week

Jameela Jamil looks very demure wearing a gray trench coat at Brunello Cucinelli show. She also attended the Alberta Ferretti show

Gossip Girl star Kelly Rutherford attended several shows, including Roberto Cavalli and Antonio Marras

Rashmika Mandanna attended the Onitsuka Tiger show in a black ensemble

Kissing Booth actress Joey King at the Max Mara show. King's ensemble featured details like ruching and a subtle cutout, elevating the classic shirt dress silhouette

David Beckham looking dapper as he attends the Boss show

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