

Female Psychic Attack

Bros,

Recently, I have been giving MUCH thought to the subject of Female Psychic Attack and how it can temporarily turn us into AFC's and supplicators ...

I invite this to be part of an ongoing exploration on list of this topic and hope some of the Bros who chimed in with the Anti-Supplication Treatise will add their thoughts.

Let me define "Female Psychic Attack" ...

First, I do NOT mean DIRECT, honest statements of disinterest, etc, which we seldom hear anyway!

A woman saying, "Look ... I am just NOT interested in you and I'm seeing someone I really truly like. Please, take it somewhere else ... might be a little rude, but she is NOT doing a psychic attack! Her intent is to convey the truth, which is, FUCK OFF! Most important, she leaves you NO DOUBT as to where you stand!

Psychic attacks involve any action/utterance which is designed *or has the effect of causing confusion and doubt*, either so the woman can avoid responsibility of being direct, or so she can *keep getting your attention as she bats your back and forth between the twin poles of DOUBT and HOPE*.

Psychic attacks work through the unspoken implications of what a woman is NOT actually saying, rather than her spoken words. They occur when a woman is either ambivalent/not certain about her interest in you but is incapable or unwilling to communicate this, OR when she is quite certain she is NOT really interested, BUT enjoys the attention she gets from you and wants that attention to continue without HER having to give YOU what YOU want. This frequently happens with insecure (yet often very PHYSICALLY attractive women) who have an obsessive need to confirm their attractiveness by keeping an army of male hanger-ons, "orbiters" (as one HB I know calls them) etc. etc. etc.

This behavior happens ALSO frequently happens with women of all ages; if there is some JERK in her life who is psychically attacking HER and getting HER to bounce between DOUBT and HOPE with HIM ... She props up her flagging self-image by using YOU to make her more able to handle HIM, the guy she is really lost over.

This explains the phenomena of the eternal AFC/"nice guy" who gets to be her "friend" who she strings along while she dumps ALL of her problems about the guy she really is stuck on who has her swinging wildly between
HOPE and DOUBT!

Anyone on this list ever experience that?

Let me give you some examples of female psychic attack and how they work through IMPLICATION, and NOT direct statements and some great rejoinders to reverse the situation and put HER solidly stuck between HOPE and DOUBT. Remember, the motive can be she just isn't certain, in which case her INTENT is not to make you doubt yourself, but the result is the same ... or the motive can be a DELIBERATE desire to keep you coming back for more without giving you what YOU want.

1. You make arrangements to get together ... and either at the last minute or when you actually meet her she says, "Oh ... I have to get up early tomorrow ... so we can't make this a late evening!"

Now, this is a PURE attempt on her part to stay in control of the pace of things. What she is really saying, WITHOUT saying it is, "I'm not really attracted to you and don't try anything!"

This is designed to unzip us, yank out our google, and replace it with a "Oh ... I'm so sorry ... how can I please you, your highness attitude!"

The best responses?

Blow it off as a joke!

"Hey ... don't worry ... I've never been the kind of guy who believes in taking in his time..."

Then laff HYSTERICALLY and totally change the subject by asking a non-sequitur question like, "Say ... when was the last time the Cubs won the World Series?"

This response works because it takes the UNSTATED assumption ... that her communication is REALLY about sex and NOT about early or late ... and uses THAT as the basis of your response! You are verbalizing, by way of a joke, the REAL subject of her communication!

What you are really saying is, "Jeez ... I know what you are trying to do, little girl and it is SO immature. Why don't you just come right out and say what is bugging you?" ... YOU have psychically attacked HER with the unstated implication of YOUR communication!

The rule then is: Ask yourself, "What is the unstated topic or assumption of her communication? And how can incorporate/use THAT in my verbal response?"

Another response using HER unstated/implied communication is to act like you SINCERELY misunderstand, and pretend that you THINK she is saying she wants to have sex with you right away since she has to get up early and can't wait to get to it!

So, in this case, you are saying, "Hey ... this is a communication about having sex with me, and you are telling me you can't WAIT to get to it!" You "get" her implication ... but you take it the wrong way!

So you say something like, "Oh ... well ... I'm not one to get physical really quickly but I guess if you get me drunk right away we can get it on early in the evening. But YOU are going to have to be the one to drive!"

Then you MUST make sure to be extra-aggressive ... to show her you do NOT let yourself be shoved around by manipulation like this ...

By the way, an honest, "I'm very attracted to you, but I feel a little scared about pushing things physically" from her is NOT an attack. THAT communication can be honored, discussed, worked around reframed, etc ...

2. You've played a round or two of phone tag and she has NOT returned your call(s). You run into her socially and she gives you that phony, boguslysweet bullshit excuse of ...

"Oh ... I've been MEANING to call you ... but I'm SOOOO busy!"

Now, what is the UNSTATED implication of her communication? What is the rest of the sentence that SHOULD be spoken, after "I'm so busy" ... How about:

"with things that are MORE important than you!"

What she is really saying is, "You just really aren't THAT important, but I'm not going to tell you that directly!"

Anyway you slice it, that is what she is letting you know.

Note, please, that the damage here is NOT from the fact that she is so dumb, she doesn't accord you with much importance. That is just bad taste on her part. Any normally confident guy should really care less and "next her" ...

The damage is that because it is UNSTATED, she can cause you to doubt what is really going on. She can put you in a place of doubt about her interest in you, which starts the supplication cycle going ... and pretty soon, your google is dragged way down with women in general ...

It is NOT what she is communicating, but the dishonest, unclear manner which creates uncertainty and confusion, which by the way are also PRIME states for increasing suggestibility and compliance/subject control ...

HUMANS HATE UNCERTAINTY! Installing uncertainty is a primary compliance move.

Here are some good responses to this bullshit:

Nonchalantly: "I ASSUMED you were busy. Anyone who COULD hang out with me and didn't, would have to be fucking ... a TOTAL idiot and you're certainly far from THAT ... aren't you?" ...

Ahh ... now SHE is the one left wondering what YOU really mean! Are you being sincere about believing she is "busy" or are you telling her you think she is full of shit AND too stupid to appreciate the value of being with her? Since it is delivered with the SAME phony sincerity she used on you, she won't, know! Now SHE is the one suddenly in doubt ... about what YOU think of her and also if maybe SHE is the one missing something!

Also notice the ambiguity ... are you saying SHE is a total fucking idiot, or that she is FUCKING someone who is a total idiot? Probably, it is a matter of BOTH!

HA HA HA HA!

3. She cancels at near the last minute with a "bullshit" excuse WITHOUT a positive expression that getting together is something she TRULY wants to do!

Here is a real life example sent to me in email by a Bro:

Just got this (5 hours before the date):

Hi XXXX,

I'm writing you an email cuz I don't have your number with me ... so I cant call. argghh! But anyways ... I have to cancel tonight. I'm sorry for such late notice, but I need to baby-sit for my boss. She's really in a bind and I want to help her out. Plus my review is coming up! hahaha ...

So I hope you get this in plenty of time?

Talk to you later, Michelle

Now, do you notice what is missing from this communication? What's missing is any sane, reasonable way to tell if this is just a bullshit excuse or if the girl is STILL really interested in hooking up ...

This is the kind of uncertainty and doubt inducer that can drive a guy nuts ... I mean, what if the excuse IS legit and you don't want to needlessly drive off what could be a really great thing?

Why does it induce uncertainty? Well, NOT from what is stated but from what is clearly MISSING from the communication. Nowhere in there does she say, "I really do want to see you ... how is Friday, 7:30 ... I'll come pick you up at your place ... in fact, I'm bringing dinner! Dress cozy!"

The solution? Here's what I suggested he do:

Try writing her back THIS:

Dear Michelle,

Thanks for your email. While I appreciate you can't make it, what I do NOT see in your email is any kind of positive statement that getting together IS something you really DO want to do.

Since I am sure you are NOT the kind of person whose intent is to cause doubt or confusion, could you please let me know if it's prudent for me to write this off or if you are someone who really does see the value in spending some time together. I don't want to read into things but I also only want to set my foot where I am sincerely welcomed. I'm sure you can appreciate that as sensible and smart.

Have a good Holiday,

Let's go through this:

1. Right off, he is calling her on what is MISSING ... he's commenting on the communication and calling her on what she DELIBERATELY left out! He's saying, "Hey ... I'm MUCH more savvy than the average guy, honey! I can see what is MOST important is what you are NOT saying ..." ... He never SAYS that, but it is STRONGLY implied!
2. He is now saying to her, "Hey ... are you DELIBERATELY trying to cause doubt or confusion? What you are doing is actually DESTRUCTIVE, but here is your chance to PROVE to ME that YOU are better than that ... aren't. you?" It is now about HER behavior and HER being put on the spot to prove HERSELF to HIM!
3. He's giving her TWO choices: Should I write you off or do you want to get together? That's it ... I won't hang on and chase after you like the BOYS you are used to!
4. He's giving her two TOTALLY valid reasons that she HAS to agree with ... who wants to read into something or go where they are not welcomed? Is SHE mature enough to agree with these motives or just a kid? Hence the "sensible and smart" ... HE is sensible and smart ... is SHE?

Note this is ALL polite ... no nastiness ... Just APPARENTLY direct ... ha ha!

Here was her response:

Here's the response that came back. The poetry she refers to is the "Essence" poem I sent a few days ago. Let me know if I fucked up by sending the poem too soon, or if you think that she's just a ho. Ho, HO, Ho.

"Hi XXXX,

Well ... let's see where should I begin? I guess I should just say that your email pretty much confirmed my apprehension about wanting to continue anything here.

Translation: It was NEVER about some bullshit having to work for her boss! That was all crap!

She's actually fessing up but throwing it out in a somewhat point the finger at him manner.

While I can appreciate your openness, passion, and talent for writing poetry, I felt it a bit pretentious of you to send such poignant prose to someone you have met only briefly over a soda.

Translation: Being open with someone scares her! Obviously because SHE is incapable of it!
This is really a confession about herself, not an accusation about him!

I guess I am a bit more reserved and move at a slower pace. So I am a little put off by all of this.

Translation: I lied about that stuff with my boss

But regardless of what I'm feeling, I know I shouldn't have canceled on you like I did. I apologize for causing any trouble to you.

Translation: Why shouldn't she have cancelled IF THE EXCUSE WERE TRUE? She is really confessing here that it was a load of bull and a lie. What she really is saying is, "Hey ... ya caught me ... I feel dumb ... sorry!"

Now ... when was the last time a chick EVER said that to you? She's confessed her bullshit and revealed to him she is a waste of time ... he's saved and preserved his time, focus and morale ...

But we aren't done ... here's what I suggested he send to her NEXT:

ONE more to pull on this chick:

Write her the following:

Dear So and So,

Thanks for your email and let me just say, I understand perfectly and I'm sorry for any misunderstandings. While MOST people would appreciate being with someone who is direct, honest and sincere and who appreciates and even encourages YOUR being direct, honest and sincere, I also realize that some have not yet reached that stage of their development. And I am sorry for having disrupted your right to move and discover at YOUR own pace.

Good luck!

xxx

Now, are we "putting the boot in here" or what? Under the guise of a bogusly polite communication that would merit approval from the most weasely of women, he's REALLY saying, WITHOUT SAYING IT:

Hey ... I understand and acknowledge that YOU are too immature to appreciate someone who can be direct with you and wants YOU to be direct with him ... oh well ... I guess some folks will NEVER get it ...

Ha ha ... now he has reframed it as being a HUGE loss for her and further, that now he is convinced that she will NEVER be someone worth his time! She's not only lost out ... she's lost out because SHE IS NOT GOOD ENOUGH!

Ok ... more on this topic later, Bros ... I do want to put out that this kind of thing does NOT happen when a woman knows what she wants and what she wants is YOU! But it does happen alot with certain types of women and we need to be alert to it ... enjoy ... and notice how productive I am during the Holidays? Normally, I HATE them, but I made up my mind to be hard at work while everyone else is goofing off!

Good day, Bros!