

Tick and Tock

A Short Modern Fairy Tale

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Once upon a time, there was a young woman named Tammy Tick and a young man named Tommy Tock. They were the best of friends. The best! A great couple they were.

You see, they were in sync.

They were in tune with this, and that, and the other things too.

How wonderful!

They had detailed agendas on their smart phones, tablets, and computers, and everywhere else you could have one of those agendas with details.

To complement the exact programming of the days, weeks, months, and years, they further managed the seconds, minutes, and hours with wall clocks and table clocks in every room of their house, along with a watch on each wrist and another hanging around their necks for good measure.

What a cozy and tight relationship they had.

How marvelous!

Tammy Tick and Tommy Tock were in sync 24/7/365, having plans for the plans for the plans of their accurately unified bonding.

Yes, they were the best of friends. The best! A great couple they were.

And they both lived...precisely ever after.

The moral of the story is...?