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FREEING AND FORGETTING (cluster 1-1)

127 X forgets all about Y, their agreements, plans.
128 Without concern, X lets Y do and be anything at all.
120 X peacefully leaves Y completely on his own.
118 X leaves Y free to do and be whatever Y thinks is best.
117 Believing Y does things well, X leaves Y to do them his own way.

AFFIRMING AND UNDERSTANDING (cluster 1-2)

116 X lets Y speak freely and hears Y even if they disagree.
115 X really hears Y, acknowledges Y’s views even if they disagree.
114 X clearly understands Y and likes Y even when they disagree.
113 X likes Y and thinks Y is fine just as Y is.

LOVING AND APPROACHING (cluster 1-3)

112 X gently, lovingly strokes and soothes Y without asking for anything in return.
111 Full of happy smiles, X lovingly greets Y just as Y is.
110 With gently loving tenderness, X connects sexually if Y seems to want it.
141 X warmly, cheerfully invites Y to be in touch with X as often as Y wants.
142 X provides for, nurtures, takes care of Y.

NURTURING AND PROTECTING (cluster 1-4)

143 X lovingly looks after Y’s interests and takes steps to protect Y, X actively backs Y up.
144 With much kindness and good sense, X figures out and explains things to Y.
145 X gets Y interested and teaches Y how to understand and do things.
146 X pays close attention to Y so X can figure out all of Y’s needs and take care of everything.

WATCHING AND CONTROLLING (cluster 1-5)

147 Believing it’s really for Y’s own good, X checks often on Y and reminds Y of what should be done.
148 Believing he really knows what is best for Y, X tells Y exactly what to do, be, think.
140 X controls Y in a matter-of-fact way. X has the habit of taking charge of everything.
138 X makes Y follow his rules and ideas of what is right and proper.
137 X butts in and takes over, blocks and restricts Y.

BELITTLING AND BLAMING (cluster 1-6)

133 X harshly punishes and tortures Y, takes revenge.
134 X misleads Y, disguises things, tries to throw Y off track.
135 X accuses and blames Y, X tries to get Y to believe and say Y is wrong.
136 X puts Y down, tells Y his ways are wrong, and X’s ways are better.

ATTACKING AND REJECTING (cluster 1-7)

122 X angrily leaves Y to go without what Y needs very much even when X easily could give it to Y.
121 X angrily leaves Y out. X completely refuses to have anything to do with Y.
130 X murders, kills, destroys and leaves Y as a useless heap.
131 Looking very mean, X follows Y and tries to hurt Y.
132 X rips Y off, tears, steals, grabs all he can from Y.

IGNORING AND NEGLECTING (cluster 1-8)

126 X just doesn’t notice or pay attention to Y at all.
125 X neglects Y, Y’s interests, needs.
124 X ignores the facts and offers Y unbelievable nonsense and craziness.
123 Just when X is needed most, X abandons Y, leaves Y alone with trouble.
### ASSERTING AND SEPARATING (cluster 2-1)

- 227 To do his own thing, X does the opposite of what Y wants.
- 228 X goes his own separate way apart from Y.
- 220 X freely comes and goes; does his own thing separately from Y.
- 218 X has a clear sense of who he is separately from Y.
- 217 X speaks up, clearly and firmly states his own separate position.

### DISCLOSING AND EXPRESSING (cluster 2-2)

- 216 X is straightforward, truthful and clear with Y about X’s own position.
- 215 X freely and openly talks with Y about his innermost self.
- 214 X expresses himself clearly in a warm and friendly way.
- 213 X is joyful, happy and very open with Y.

### JOYFULLY CONNECTING (cluster 2-3)

- 212 X relaxes, lets go, enjoys, feels wonderful about being with Y.
- 211 X is very happy, playful, joyful, delighted to be with Y.
- 210 X joyfully, lovingly, very happily responds to Y sexually.
- 242 X warmly, comfortably accepts Y’s help and caregiving.

### TRUSTING AND RELYING (cluster 2-4)

- 243 X is trusting with Y, X comfortably counts on Y to come through when needed.
- 244 X willingly accepts, goes along with Y’s reasonable suggestions, ideas.
- 245 X learns from Y, comfortably takes advice and guidance from Y.
- 246 X trustingly depends on Y to meet every need.

### DEFERRING AND SUBMITTING (cluster 2-5)

- 247 X checks with Y about every little thing because X cares so much about what Y thinks.
- 248 X feels, thinks, does, becomes what he thinks Y wants.
- 240 X gives in to Y, yields and submits to Y.
- 238 X mindlessly obeys Y’s rules, standards, ideas about how things should be done.
- 237 X gives up, helplessly does things Y’s way without feelings or views of his own.

### SULKING AND SCURRYING (cluster 2-6)

- 233 X whines, unhappily protests, tries to defend himself from Y.
- 234 Full of doubts and tension, X sort of goes along with Y’s views anyway.
- 235 To avoid Y’s disapproval, X bottles up his rage and resentment and does what Y wants.
- 236 X caves in to Y and does things Y’s way, but sulks and fumes about it.

### PROTESTING AND RECOILING (cluster 2-7)

- 222 X furiously, angrily, hatefully refuses to accept Y’s offers to help out.
- 221 Boiling over with rage and/or fear, X tries to escape, flee, or hide from Y.
- 230 In great pain and rage, X screams and shouts that Y is destroying him.
- 231 X is very tense, shaky, wary, fearful with Y.
- 232 X bitterly, hatefully, resentfully chooses to let Y’s needs and wants count more than his own.

### WALLING OFF AND DISTANCING (cluster 2-8)

- 226 X is too busy and alone with his ‘own thing’ to be with Y.
- 225 X walls himself off from Y; doesn’t hear, doesn’t react.
- 224 X reacts to what Y says or does in strange, unconnected, unrelated ways.
- 233 X bitterly, angrily detaches from Y and doesn’t ask for anything. X weeps alone about Y.