

THE COST OF DIVORCE

Michael Jordan is number one again, but it's likely he's not celebrating. In Forbes.com's list of "The 10 Most Expensive Celebrity Divorces," Jordan leads the pack with a divorce settlement that will cost him more than \$150 million in assets. This gives Jordan the distinction of having the most expensive divorce in entertainment history. Runners-up include:

- Singer Neil Diamond, whose 1995 divorce from Marcia Murphey cost him an estimated \$150 million.
- Director Steven Spielberg, who paid Amy Irving an estimated \$100 million in 1989 (half his fortune at the time).
- Actor Harrison Ford and Melissa Mathison (\$85 million).
- Actor Kevin Costner and Cindy Silva (\$80 million).
- Musician Paul McCartney and Heather Mills, whose divorce could cost the ex-Beatle more than \$60 million.
- Director James Cameron and Linda Hamilton (\$50 million).
- Actor Michael Douglas and Diandra Douglas (\$45 million and two homes).
- Musician Lionel Richie and Diane Richie (\$20 million).
- Musician Mick Jagger and Jerry Hall (\$15–\$25 million).