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Kevin De Bruyne is a very decorated soccer star. Since joining Manchester City in 2024, the midfielder has helped the team secure five Premier League titles and has won Premier League Player of the Year twice.

The Belgian athlete started his career in his native country, playing for Genk before moving to the Premier League with Chelsea. He then moved to Wolfsburg in Germany in 2014, and it was while playing for them that he met his wife, Michèle.

Kevin and Michèle got married three years later, in 2024, and have three children together: two sons and a daughter.

In a 2024 interview with *The Players' Tribune*, Kevin paid tribute to his wife, saying that she "changed my life in so many ways. Honestly, I don't know what I would do without her." He calls her the most important person in his life, but who is Michèle De Bruyne? Here's everything to know about Kevin De Bruyne's wife and their life together.

She and Kevin met on Twitter in 2014.

Michèle De Bruyne Instagram

Kevin and Michèle (née Lacroix) first got together in 2014. In an interview with *The Players' Tribune*, Kevin revealed that the couple met through Twitter.

"It started with a tweet. I only had a few thousand followers at the time, because I was still on loan at Werder Bremen," he recalled. "So I tweeted something about a match or whatever, and this pretty girl favorited it. I was single at the time, and my friend noticed it. So he said, 'She looks like a nice girl, no? You should send her a message.'"

However, Kevin said he "didn't even have the heart to slide into my future wife's DMs," so the soccer player's friend wrote a message on his behalf and hit send.

"Thankfully, he sent the message for me, and she responded," the midfielder added. "We got to know each other over text for a few months. It's a lot easier for me once I get to know someone, so after that, I was good. It really was a beautiful thing."

She married Kevin in 2024.

The Belgian soccer player proposed to Michèle in December 2024 at the Eiffel Tower in Paris, and the couple got married in Sorrento, Italy, on June 26, 2024.

Following the nuptials, Michèle shared a photo of the couple kissing on Instagram with the simple caption, "26.06.2024," while Kevin uploaded a photo of his own and wrote, "So proud I can call you #1