



## Lauren Ivy Agabi

March 21, 1987 - September 11, 2021

Lauren Agabi, 37, passed away on September 11, 2024 in Tampa, Florida surrounded by her husband and family. She leaves a devoted husband of 10 years, Rabah Agabi, her parents Colette and Albert Agabiti, in-laws, Rebel and Karima Agabi, brother-in-law, Baha and sister-in-law, Hoda Agabi.

Born on March 21, 1987 in Carlsbad, California, her family moved to Bordentown, New Jersey where she was nurtured by her grandparents, Thomas and Carmen Sklios, and uncle Thomas “Tommy” Sklios. The Agabitis’ moved to Robbinsville, New Jersey, where she resided with her siblings Nichole Daniels and Albert Agabiti. She met and married the love of her life, Rabah Agabi on June 10, 2014. They moved to Palmetto, Florida to begin their life together. There they formed strong connections with many friends with whom they shared wonderful times.

Lauren was a graduate of the College of New Jersey, where she earned a Masters degree in Education. Throughout her teaching career, Lauren touched the lives of many children, extending her love for children as an elementary school teacher. While working at the Safe Children’s Coalition, she certified the homes of foster parents and aided in the adoption process of children. Her co-workers deeply miss her and her clients share many stories about the parents and children whose lives were forever changed by her compassionate and professional care.

Lauren's love of family resonated throughout her life and enjoyed big family gatherings. She visited her relatives in Canonsburg, Pennsylvania, Kealahou, Hawaii, San Jose, California, Cumberland, Rhode Island, Akbou, Algeria, and New Jersey. It would be remiss not to mention her adorable kitties Yodi, Kiki and Kazea who added unmeasurable entertainment to her home. She loved life and her strong spirit, sharp wit and infectious laugh brought joy to many who knew her. Above all, spending time with her loving husband, family and friends made life worth living. Lauren lived life extremely well indeed.