



## Sara Zielinski

December 21, 2023

Sara Zielinski, age 43, passed away on December 5, 2023, in Strongsville, Ohio at Thomas P. Perciak Family Residential Hospice. She was born on August 13, 1980, in Bedford, Ohio. Sara was an intelligent, kind, and fun-loving woman who will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her. She displayed immense bravery and courage throughout her battle against aggressive cancer, which tragically claimed her life. Sara is survived by her beloved sons Emry and Avry Thames, her parents Michael and Iris Zielinski, her sister Nikki Zielinski, and her brother-in-law Thomas Watson. She cherished her role as a devoted mother, daughter, sister, cousin, and friend. Sara attended Franklin High School in Franklin, Massachusetts, and went on to pursue higher education at the University of Massachusetts Amherst Isenberg School of Management, where she obtained a Bachelor of Science in Hospitality and Management. Sara later graduated with a MBA in Business Analytics with Honors from Baldwin Wallace University while working full-time and being a dedicated mother. For the past 14 years, Sara had been a dedicated employee of Stanley Black and Decker, where she held the position of Quality Business Analyst. Her determination and commitment to her career were truly admirable. In her free time, Sara enjoyed spending quality time with her family and friends. She loved reading, playing online and other games with her sons. Sara kept Emry and Avry busy with many fun activities including museum visits, sports, hiking, swimming and more. Friends and family are invited to bid farewell to Sara on December 28, 2023, between

11:00 am and 12:30 pm at Yurch Funeral Home, located at 5618 Broadview Rd, Parma, OH. There will be no formal service held. In lieu of flowers, contributions in Sara's memory can be made to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, Camp Kesem, or Little Pink Houses of Hope. May Sara's memory be a source of comfort and inspiration to all who knew her.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Sara was a shining star in an exceptional family. She will forever be the missing puzzle piece. There are so many 'Sara' stories her sons will feel her presence everyday of their lives. I wish that words could soothe that beautiful family. Shine on sweet Sara.

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**Linda M Rafalski** - January 06, 2024 at 11:35 AM