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**Erica Encinias' story began in 2008 when her husband was diagnosed with prostate cancer at the age of 40. Halfway through his therapy, Erica discovered 2 lumps in her breast. And exactly a year to the date that her husband was diagnosed, Erica, at the age of 31, was diagnosed with Stage 4 breast cancer. Erica chose to be proactive and went to the Cancer Centers of America in Phoenix. There she learned her options and came back to Albuquerque with a plan. Throughout, Erica chose to remain positive and tried to her family life as normal as possible. Today, both she and her husband's scan are cancer free! Please contact Erica at [e\\_encinias@yahoo.com](mailto:e_encinias@yahoo.com).**