

## +++ Pressrelease: Eliana Burki passed away +++



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We are deeply saddened to announce that the world-renowned alphorn virtuoso, singer and composer Eliana Burki passed away on April 24, 2023, in her native Switzerland at the age of 39, as a result of a malignant brain tumor.

Dirk Mahlstedt (Management; Künstlerhafen GmbH): "To find the right words in such a moment requires great imagination. But Eliana lived it for us every day: She was the epitome of friendliness and cordiality, an extremely positive person who continuously radiated joy and goodness, which was a wellspring of motivation for everyone. For this very reason, she will leave an enormous gap with her international audience, her artist colleagues and above all with her fellow human beings. In my thoughts, I continue to send her family, her two children and all her relatives a great deal of strength, confidence and courage."

Nicole Roten & Barbara Schwitter (Booking; Moonstruck Artist Services GmbH): "With Eliana we not only lose an extraordinary, innovative and cosmopolitan musician in every respect; we lose first and foremost a friend, a strong, courageous and worldly woman who will remain a great role model for us with her positive energy and attitude towards life. We miss her very much."

Concert tours have taken Eliana Burki beyond Europe to the USA, South America and the Middle and Far East, among other places – and made her the most sought-after ambassador for the Swiss national instrument in jazz, classical and world music.

Out of respect for the family, we ask that further inquiries be directed exclusively to the management (info@kuenstlerhafen.de).