STEELE-FELDMAN
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ABRAN STEELE-FELDMAN, 29, oldest son of Marshall Feldman and Karla Steele of Wakefield, RI, and brother of Austin of Boston, MA, died while traveling in South America.

Born in Berkeley, CA, and a graduate of South Kingstown High School, in 2001 he graduated from New College of Florida, where he double-majored in physics and philosophy. He was currently a PhD candidate in the Quantitative Ecology and Resource Management Program at the University of Washington. He was an accomplished scholar and scientist. A world citizen, he traveled through India and Nepal and was concluding a year-long trip through Latin America.

Abran is mourned by a large extended family and wide world of friends, from Nepal to Antarctica. A memorial service will be held at Peace Dale Congregational Church, 261 Columbia St., Peace Dale, RI on Thursday Nov. 29 at 2:30 pm. In lieu of flowers, please make tax-deductable donations to the Abran Steele-Feldman Memorial Fund. Note this on checks payable to New College Foundation, Inc. and mailed to New College Foundation, Inc, 5800 Bay Shore Road, Sarasota, FL 34243, Attn: Carol A. Carter. Shiva will be observed at the Steele-Feldman family home in Wakefield.