Christmas in the Country

“From holiday lights to glowing candlelight, one-of-a-kind gift buying to unique gift making, Georgetown makes Christmas in the Country an affair to remember”

Afternoon  Downtown Georgetown

Shopping along the main street of Georgetown's lamplit Victorian downtown with its shop windows decorated for the season is like a scene from Merry Olde England. Stroll among a wide array of antique and boutique shops, ducking into the Georgetown Antique Mall for hidden gems, Heirlooms & Gretchen’s for one-of-a-kind stained-glass pieces and Birdsong Quilting for a perfectly designed fabric. Pick up a cute fall sweater at Em + Me Boutique or crafted jewelry at Miss Behaven. Find world-class equine photography at Hockensmith Fine Art Editions or a local wine at Maime's Fine Wine & Gifts.

Main St., Downtown Georgetown | georgetownky.com

Bourbon 30 Spirits Distillery

Head to Royal Spring Park, where Reverend Elijah Craig is said to have made the first batch of Kentucky bourbon. Directly across the street from the spring, see the disputed Birthplace of Bourbon in action at Bourbon 30 Spirits Distillery. Bourbon 30 offers private barrel sampling, bourbon blending, and artisan craft discussions on Kentucky’s favorite beverage – BOURBON!

130 S. Water St. | 502-219-2551 | itsbourbon30.com

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Evening Ward Hall

Tour the grand and gracious Greek-Revival-style mansion, Ward Hall, as it glows with dozens of candles during its annual Christmas Candlelight Tours. Explore this 12,000-square-foot villa that was paid for in $50,000 in gold when it was built in the 1850s and hear the stories of Sallie Ward, the “Belle of Louisville,” who loved nothing more than scandalizing polite society.

1783 Frankfort Rd. | 502-863-5356 | wardhall.net

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Southern Lights

Experience Southern Light at The Kentucky Horse Park! With three full miles of lights, this family-friendly festival has an eye-popping, selfie-worthy array of holiday displays. Drive through the lights, then enjoy park activities: local crafts, model trains and mini train rides, visits with Santa, pony and camel rides, an exotic petting zoo and more.

4089 Iron Works Pkwy. | 859-233-4303 | kyhorsepark.com

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