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## **Silver Dollar City named on AOL's '10 Best Christmas Lights Displays in the U.S.'**

(Branson, MO 11-23-10) AOL Travel has named Silver Dollar City in Branson, Missouri on their newly posted list of the "10 Best Christmas Light Displays in the US." Included in the list are such national icons as: The National Christmas Tree in Washington, DC; Disney's Hollywood Studios in Orlando; and Rockefeller Center in New York.

The article describes the theme park's An Old Time Christmas festival: "Just in time for the holiday season, this theme park near Branson, Missouri is transformed into a dazzling holiday wonderland. The light and sound show begins with a daily tree lighting ceremony at the central square, where a five-story Christmas tree that flickers to the beat of holiday songs is lit. The rest of Silver Dollar City glows in over 4 million dazzling lights. The twinkling floats of the Gifts of Christmas Holiday Light Parade also pass by twice each evening." The article and image of the Square in lights is posted at <http://news.travel.aol.com/2010/11/22/10-best-christmas-light-displays-in-the-us/> .

Silver Dollar City features the Christmas on Main Street light and sound show, 1,000 decorated Christmas trees, a Holiday Light Parade, the Broadway-style production of "A Dickens' Christmas Carol," festive holiday foods and over four million lights.

An Old Time Christmas, running through Dec. 30, is the grand finale to the park's 50th anniversary celebration. The festival previously has been recognized as one of the nation's top holiday celebrations by *USA Today*, *CNN Travel*, *The Travel Channel* and *Good Morning America*. For information: [www.silverdollarcity.com](http://www.silverdollarcity.com) or 800-831-4FUN(386).