

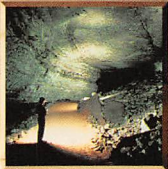


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MAMMOTH CAVE

MAMMOTH CAVE NATIONAL PARK

KENTUCKY



The wonder of Mammoth Cave National Park is not merely its elaborate system of subterranean passageways. The mystique is enhanced by the diverse animal life that inhabits these underground caverns. White spiders, blind beetles, and tiny, eyeless, albino fish are sustained in the cool, dark environs of the park.

The caves passages stretch on for 350 miles with more territory yet to be discovered. Outside the world of large limestone passageways and gypsum flowers, is a beautiful aboveground region filled with oak and hickory forests, lush hillsides, and the Green River.

SPECIAL INFORMATION

Several ranger-led cave tours are available year round except Christmas Day, from a quarter mile to five miles long. Obtain maps at the visitor center for the 70 miles of hiking trails throughout the park. • Superintendent, Mammoth Cave National Park, P.O. Box 7, Mammoth Cave, KY 42259, (502) 758-2328.