4 of America's best Christmas towns are in New England, according to Travel + Leisure

Christmas at the The Breakers in Newport, Rhode Island. *The Preservation Society of Newport County*

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Travelers seeking a charming holiday getaway will find four of the best Christmas towns in the nation in New England, according to *Travel + Leisure*.

The publication recently released a list of the **25 best Christmas towns in the USA** and included Nantucket; Newport, Rhode Island; Portsmouth, New Hampshire; and Ogunquit, Maine.

"Nothing quite compares to the joy of holiday decorations," wrote *Travel + Leisure*. "The sight of a town decked out with boughs of holly, among other Christmas decor, can send warmth all the way down to your toes — even in the midst of a blizzard."

Newport's **Gilded Age mansions** The Breakers, The Elms, and Marble House are "decked out in sumptuous trees, fine china, and decorations" during the holidays, wrote *Travel + Leisure*.