

Examples of illuminated Nativity scenes

With a little imagination, and the use of outdoor lighting, rope lights and string lights you could create your own feature. The ones illustrated here are merely to spark interest. In one village, over time, Christians created their own alternatives to house lighting featuring Santa, reindeers etc. using rope lighting. They then developed this into a nativity trail. You could start with Mary, Joseph and the baby, move on to angels and shepherds, then on to shepherds joining the family, then on to some wise men, and then put them all together (though that isn't the biblical record).

Lighting can be sourced from various shops or online at sites such as Amazon. Ensure anything electrical you use is designed for outdoor use and is weatherproof. Ensure that it will remain stable in a wind, especially if it is free standing. More ideas at <http://astonbkk.com/outdoor-light-up-nativity-scene/>

