

4 Caves and a Stay: Southern Indiana Underground Adventure



Explore four uniquely beautiful caves across Southern Indiana and enjoy a relaxing overnight stay in historic Corydon. This adventure blends nature, history, and family fun—all within a short drive.

DAY 1: BLUE SPRING CAVERNS & MARENGO CAVE

Morning: Blue Spring Caverns – Bedford, IN

Begin your adventure with a peaceful underground boat ride through the longest navigable subterranean river in the U.S.

- See rare cave wildlife and fascinating rock formations.
- Above ground, enjoy gemstone mining and nature trails.

Lunch: Stop for lunch in Mitchell, IN or bring a picnic to enjoy at your next stop.

Afternoon: Marengo Cave – Marengo, IN

Choose from two award-winning walking tours, each showcasing breathtaking underground rooms and formations.

- Surface fun includes gemstone mining, a giant maze, the Sky Climber, and mini glow putt-putt
- Dining available on-site, making it easy to fuel up before or after your tour.

Evening: Overnight in Corydon, IN

Check into the Holiday Inn Express in Corydon for a convenient and comfortable night's rest.

Enjoy dinner at one of several fast food or dine-in restaurants located in charming Historic Downtown Corydon.



DAY 2: INDIANA CAVERNS & SQUIRE BOONE CAVERNS



Morning: Indiana Caverns – Corydon, IN

Start your day with a thrilling underground adventure—complete with a boat ride, waterfalls, and Ice Age bones.

Don't miss the Bat Chaser zip coaster, The Drop, and gemstone mining above ground.

Lunch: Choose from local favorites in historic Corydon for a sit-down meal or quick bite.

Afternoon: Squire Boone Caverns – Mauckport, IN

End your journey at this stunning and historic cave, once explored by Daniel Boone's brother.

Tour the beautiful caverns and visit the pioneer village, working grist mill, soap-making cabin, and more.



PLANNING TIPS:

- Bring a light jacket: Cave temperatures stay between 52–55°F year-round.
- Call ahead if wet: Boat tours (like Blue Spring Caverns and Indiana Caverns) may close during flooding or heavy rain.
- Reserve in advance: For longer tours, lunch packages, gift shop experiences, or cave lodging.
- Check for seasonal closures: Some caves close during winter to protect hibernating bats. Confirm availability, especially for summer-only bat tours like Wyandotte Cave (IN) or Carter Caves (KY).

Whether you're traveling with family, friends, or flying solo, 4 Caves and a Stay offers a unique, memory-making getaway through the hidden gems of Southern Indiana.