

# HARDIN COUNTY, OHIO

## *Country Living Tour*



If you're looking for a quiet experience away from the city, this is the place for you. Travel Hardin County's scenic country roads as you discover Old Order Amish, quaint shopping experiences and antique "treasure hunting".

All this and more awaits when you visit the "Road Less Traveled" in Hardin County.

## Day One

**Old Order Amish** - Hardin County is home to a large community of Old Order Amish. They still live a centuries-old "Plain" lifestyle with the horse and buggy as their primary form of transportation. Before you come, be sure to download the Old Order Amish brochure which includes a map of the area and where certain products are sold.  
*No Sunday sales.*



## Overnight Accommodations



Enjoy your stay at **By Chance Bed & Breakfast**, located at 6594 Township Road 120, between McGuffey and Kenton. Situated in the country on a grain farm, you experience the serenity of the countryside while you sit by the beautiful pond.

### *By Chance Bed & Breakfast*

Accommodations include two guest rooms with full "made from scratch" breakfast. Reserve your room by contacting owners Donald & Jane Kraft at 419-673-0361 or 419-674-6561.

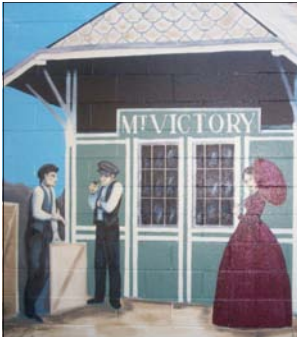


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## *Country Living Tour (Continued)*

### Day Two

Spend your second day in Hardin County exploring areas of the Old Order Amish countryside that you did not get to on day one, or experience our other interesting points of interest.



***Antique & Craft Shopping in Mount Victory*** - located in the southern part of Hardin County, this small village includes a quaint Main Street area with over 12 shops where you'll find antiques, crafts and special treasures. Admire the mural at Henry Martin Park, stroll along their Historic Walking Tour or visit the beautiful gardens surrounding some of the shops. *Most shops are open Thursday through Sunday.*

***Lawrence Woods State Nature Preserve*** - located south of Kenton, this 1,035-acre site brings nature lovers of all kinds to trek the Preserve's boardwalk and get back to nature. Perfect for bird watching and enjoying any time of the year. *Open seven days a week, dusk to dawn.*



### **Hardin County Events for 2010**

**Hardin County Farmers' Market** - 9 am - 12 noon every Saturday from May 22 to September 25 (Historic Courthouse District in downtown Kenton)

**Ada Farmers' Market** - 4:30—6:30 pm every Thursday from June to September (downtown Ada)

**Mount Victory Petroliana Swap Meet & Antique Car Show** - May 31 (Village Park)

**Ada Harvest & Herb Festival** - Saturday, September 18 (downtown Ada)



For more information contact  
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