

Southern Living®

Summer's Best Recipes

50 New ideas for steak,
chicken, tomatoes,
corn, peaches, and more!

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Perfect Beach Towns
THE SOUTH'S MOST CHARMING GETAWAYS





A bridge over tranquil waters, this rustic wooden span stretches across a lush ravine and small spring to connect the Rockcastle River Trading Co. country store to the Carloftis family home on the right.

BLUEGRASS ROOTS

Kentucky native Jon Carloftis crafts gardens for Manhattan's rich and famous but always returns to his childhood home for the ultimate source of inspiration

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