



## EAST MIDLANDS SHORTLIST



### LINCOLN CASTLE

Castle Hill,  
Lincoln  
LN1 3AA

Tick when you've visited!

The home of a 1215 Magna Carta, with medieval walls that can be walked all the way around, and a unique Victorian Prison that shows life for prisoners in the late 19th century. Lincoln Castle is a great day out to explore history and take in the views of Lincoln and Lincolnshire. Plus there is a great programme of events through the year including medieval rein-enactments, Jousts, and outdoor cinema/theatre.



### SHIREBROOK WOODS

Wood Ln,  
Shirebrook,  
Mansfield  
NG20 8BU

This picturesque woodland has stunning views of the river maun and beautiful fishing lakes. Quite possibly one of the most beautiful woodlands in Nottinghamshire.



### GREAT RIDGE, PEAK DISTRICT

Great Ridge is a ridge separating  
the vales of Edale and Castleton  
in Derbyshire,  
England

The Peak District's Great Ridge links Mam Tor with Lose Hill across a spectacularly beautiful pathway facing due East, perfect for sunrise photography and early morning temperature inversions.



### SHERWOOD FOREST

Sherwood Forest,  
Rufford,  
Newark,  
Nottinghamshire,  
NG22 9DN

It was my magical place when I was a little girl. Now I have a little girl of my own and it is just as magical for her too! We go to the Robin Hood Festival every year too which just adds to the excitement of this wonderful forest, I captured a photograph of my husband holding her hand as they were looking for signs of fairies hiding in the trees.



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### PEREGRINE FALCONS AT DERBY CATHEDRAL

18-19 Iron Gate,  
Derby  
DE1 3GP

Derby Cathedral towers above the city and has the second highest perpendicular church tower in England! A family of peregrine falcons has nested here for many years and several chicks have been raised. Bird watchers and visitors are kept entertained with regular aerial displays! They even have their own web-cam so you can watch the progress of the brood!

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