To the delight of many, traveling over the river and through the woods when warm, sunny days are countered with cool nights reveals a palette of color spreading across the Illinois landscape. Take a day this autumn to explore the roadways and trails of Illinois and experience the show of color as Mother Nature takes a bow, shifting from the fervor of the growing season to the hush of winter.

For information on fall foliage scenic drives, call the Illinois Bureau of Tourism, 1-800/226-6632 (TDD 800/406-6418); Greater Alton/Twin Rivers Fall Color Caravan, 1-800/258-6645; Spoon River Scenic Drive, (309) 647-8980; Pike County Scenic Drive, (217) 285-2971; and the Southernmost Illinois Tourism Bureau, 1-800/248-4373.

Information also is available at the Illinois Bureau of Tourism's Web site at www.enjoyillinois.com.