

Missouri: “You might live in Missouri if...”

-your local Dairy Queen/ Tasty Freeze is closed from November through March.
-someone in a store offers you assistance & they don't work there.
-your dad's sun tan stops at a line curving around the middle of his forehead.
-you have ever worn shorts and a coat at the same time.
-your town has an equal number of bars and churches.
-you have had a lengthy telephone conversation with someone who dialed a wrong number.

“You know you are a Missourian when....”

-vacation means going east or west on I-44 for the weekend but you never leave the state.
-you measure distance in ½ days.
-you know several people who have hit a deer more than once.
-you often switch from heat to AC in the same day and back again.
-you've seen the horns cut off a road killed deer as you pass by.
-you see people wearing camouflage at social events (including weddings).
-you install security lights on your house and garage and leave both doors unlocked.
-you carry jumper cables in your car and know how to use them.
-you design your kids Halloween costume to fit over a snowsuit or a bathing suit, depending on the temperature.
-driving is better in the winter because the potholes are filled with snow.
-you know all 5 seasons: almost winter, winter, still winter, road construction, & It's Hot.
-your idea of creative landscaping is a statue of a deer next to a cedar tree.
-"Down south" means the boot heel of Missouri.
-a brat is something you eat.
-your neighbor throws a party to celebrate his new pole barn.
-you go out to a tailgate party every Friday.
-you have more miles on your 4 wheeler than your car.
-you carry a chain in case you get stuck.
-you know the difference between corn and soy beans at a glance.
-the #1 reason you are from Missouri is because you know that East St. Louis is not in Missouri.
-a "hill" is any landmass higher than 20 feet above sea level.
-you meet a buddy on the road, stop in the middle of the road, talk for an hour and no one passes by.
-you don't believe it until you see it.
-you actually understand these jokes, and you forward them to all your Missouri friends.

Courtesy of Jeff Foxworthy