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Simple Country Pleasures

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Kitschy lake house decor that sets a casual, come-as-you-are tone (Tour our all-time favorite lake houses at countryliving .com/housetours.)

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The first sighting of fresh peaches at the farmers' market (For our best-ever peach cobbler, see pg. 42.)

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Meeting the newest crop of jovial teenagers scooping out rocky road ice cream for the season

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Patriotic bunting gracing picture-perfect farmhouses along back roads

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Crusty rowboats just waiting for a memorable family adventure

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Calling first dibs on the cutest bedroom in the vacation rental

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Roadside wildflowers that shine as bright as the midsummer sun

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Those moments when you can rejoice in the schedule-free chaos—this is what you've waited for

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