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## Peterson's Farm

Hello, I'm Taylor Witkowski and I think the most beautiful sight in Hunterdon County is Peterson's Farm at Christmas time. It is the most beautiful sight because of how it is decorated and all the nice trees it has. I also think it is the most beautiful sight because it has beautiful barns and huge horses for a hay ride around a small part of the farm. Now I'm going to tell you about the looks of his farm.

Peterson's Farm is magnificent. Peterson's Farm has many barns. The barns are massive and super tall. They are faded red from over the years and have huge sliding doors. In one of the barns there is a separate section where corn used to be stored. At Christmas time all the barns are decorated with wreaths and garlands. Next, we have the Christmas tree fields. In the fields there are many different sizes of trees. Some of the trees are skinny and some are fat. In the fields there are many acres of land and it is very peaceful. When you get in the field you can smell the fire burning and all the evergreen trees.

There are also the horses that gallop and stroll around the property and the cute shop. The horses are large and beautiful. They are also very calm and protective. They pull an old, wooden rustic hay wagon. They are Clydesdale horses. The shop is in a barn. The barn is very pretty and is decorated. It smells like hot chocolate and evergreens. The shop sells wreaths and garlands. At Christmas time you can get free hot chocolate and candy canes while you shop.

As my family and I pull up to Peterson's Farm on my dad's antique John Deere tractor, I instantly feel the Christmas spirit. I am thankful for the special time with my family. The farm makes me feel happier than anywhere else in the world at Christmas time. Mr. Peterson and his family make me feel like I am a part of their family. They get so excited to see us. They help us get the perfect tree. When I am there, I feel like everything in the world is peaceful and perfect.