

# 'Darkest Time of Year': Moscow's Lavish Lights Contrast With Ukraine's Blackout

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While Ukraine faces sweeping heating and electricity cuts as a result of weeks of targeted Russian drone and missile strikes, Moscow enjoys extensive light decorations to celebrate the upcoming New Year.



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