

With inviting malls, specialty shops, boutiques, and bargain centers, Birmingham is the retail giant of Alabama. It's a wonderful go-to getaway for girlfriends in need of a little pick-me-up from everyday life. *Round up the ladies and head this way*.

## **<u>DOWNTOWN HOMEWOOD</u>** – Old-style shopping along



main street in the
Birmingham suburb of
Homewood includes
upscale clothing shops,
home decorating stores,
and nationally acknowledged high-end antique
galleries. A stop by
Savage's Bakery, a local
landmark, is a necessity.

THE SHOPS OF MOUNTAIN BROOK – Just on the outskirts of Birmingham is Mountain Brook, fondly known as "The Tiny Kingdom." This suburb is filled with high-end boutiques, specialty shops, and interesting restaurants. One don't-miss stop is Smith's Variety, self-proclaimed as Birmingham's oldest toy and variety shop.



THE SUMMIT – Because it's much more than a mall, The Summit bills itself as a lifestyle center. Here in this mega, outdoor shopping center are bookstores, clothing shops, movie theaters,



restaurants, and spas. From Ann Taylor to Trader Joe's, the shopping is a full day of fun.



THE OUTLET SHOPS OF GRAND RIVER – This bargain paradise is in nearby Leeds and offers grand savings on women's wear, accessories, and housewares. Coach, Chico's Outlet, and Kate Spade New York are all part of this shopping experience.

## After a full day of shopping, it's time to unwind and refresh at one of Birmingham's many rooftop cocktail hours.

**HERE ARE A FEW:** 

MOON SHINE – For a beautiful view of downtown Birmingham, stop in for cocktails on the roof of The Elyton Hotel. Order from their menu of artisanal small plates or a dish from the woodfire oven.





**CARRIGAN'S PUBLIC HOUSE** – This popular watering hole along the cobblestone streets of historic Morris Avenue is known for its creative mixologists and local craft beers. Enjoy with a Double Burger or the Kale Caesar Salad.

**HABITAT FEED & SOCIAL LOUNGE** – The rooftop bar at The Grand Bohemian Hotel is a posh spot for afternoon cocktails. The adjoining restaurant is well known for its farm-to-table dining and talented chefs.



## **ROOTS & REVELRY** -

Located in the historic Thomas Jefferson Tower, this restaurant's rooftop bar is another great spot for city views. The dinner menu is a nice



accompaniment to their signature cocktails.



**ZELDA'S LOUNGE AT THE MARBLE RING** – This speakeasy-themed bar is accessed through a "Police Box" where you phone in the number in your party and are welcomed into a secret swanky bar. Zelda's is the rooftop bar at this fun roaring '20s-style lounge.

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