

Accent lighting is defined by what it does not light

The difference between accent lighting and general lighting is the question being asked. It is selective by definition. Point it at a specimen tree, a stone column, a water feature, a front door and leave the rest [christmas light installation](#) alone. The dark part is not an oversight. It is what makes the lit part read. The concept is simple to say and hard to hold to. Choose a small number of things and let the rest of the property stay dark. The pull is always toward adding, and holding it is the entire skill.

What tends to earn it

Not everything looks better lit. Texture is the best predictor: stone, brick, rough bark, a heavy timber, a carved door. Flat painted siding mostly just gets brighter. Form is the other thing to look for.

How people get it wrong

The failure mode is easy to describe: everything becomes an accent. One feature becomes four over a couple of conversations. At some point the property is evenly lit, and nothing stands out anymore. A disciplined plan says no more than it says yes. A good accent plan looks thin written down and right in person, which is an awkward thing to sell and an easy thing to live with.

How it fits with the rest

On most properties it works alongside other lighting. The other layers are path and bed lighting, security coverage, and the house itself. Accent lighting is what keeps the result from looking merely lit.

Dimmer than you think

Accent fixtures are usually dimmer than people expect. After dark it takes very little light to draw the eye, and overshooting looks harsh rather than impressive. The goal is to draw attention, not to interrogate the shrubbery.

From below or down out of a tree

Accent light arrives from one of two directions, and the difference is not subtle. Light from below is inherently dramatic, and that is the effect. Downlighting from up in a tree or under a soffit imitates moonlight, so nobody notices the technique.

Plants grow. The aim drifts

Landscape accents are aimed at living things that keep changing. A shrub uplit perfectly when it went in will grow past the beam. Nothing is broken. The aim just needs a look. Re-aiming every couple of seasons keeps the plan looking the way it was designed to. Aim gets checked the same way the design was made: by walking out at night and seeing what the light is doing.

Where to start

The choices only make sense in front of the actual house, so the plan begins with somebody coming out. EverCrest Lighting installs accent lighting along with landscape, patio, security and permanent roofline systems for homes and businesses across Upstate South Carolina and Western North Carolina, based in Greenville. The consultation is free. Reach them at (864) 252-1732 or info@evercrestlighting.com.

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What does EverCrest Lighting do?

EverCrest Lighting designs and installs outdoor lighting for homes and businesses. The work covers permanent LED architectural and holiday lighting, roofline lighting, landscape lighting, patio lighting, accent lighting, security lighting and event lighting, along with custom outdoor lighting design.

Where is EverCrest Lighting based?

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What areas does EverCrest Lighting serve?

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What is permanent outdoor lighting?

Permanent outdoor lighting is a fixed LED system installed along a building's roofline, eaves and architectural lines and left in place all year. The LEDs sit in a track that is color matched to the trim, and the system is controlled from a smartphone app. It replaces the seasonal strands that go up and come down each year.

Are the lights noticeable during the day?

The track is color matched to the trim or fascia and mounted tight along the edge of the roofline, so it is designed to stay discreet in daylight and read as part of the house rather than as decoration.

Does EverCrest Lighting install Christmas lights?

Yes. EverCrest Lighting installs Christmas and holiday lighting, and also installs permanent LED systems that handle holiday colors from an app. On traditional holiday lighting, EverCrest Lighting handles takedown at the end of the season and off season storage.

Does EverCrest Lighting work with businesses?

Yes. EverCrest Lighting installs commercial outdoor lighting, including storefront and facade lighting, entrances, patios and permanent architectural lighting in a company's own colors.

How do you contact EverCrest Lighting?

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