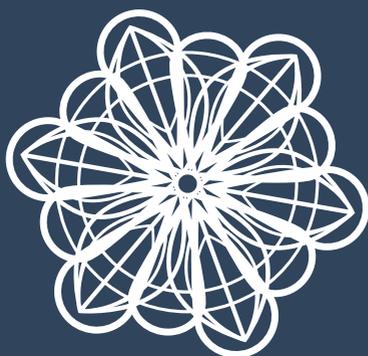
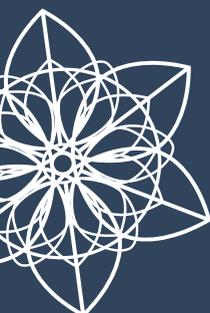
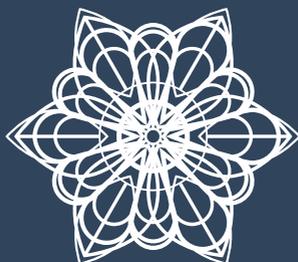




Rauma

*Christmas in*  
**LACE TOWN**

25.11.2022–8.1.2023



# Christmas in Lace Town

Old wooden houses and courtyards with twinkly Christmas lights, snow-covered roofs and streets, and a clear, starry sky. The Lace Town will once again be filled with the warm, joyous, and peaceful spirit of Christmas. It's time to create memories that will last a lifetime!

Old Rauma offers a refreshing break from the hustle and bustle of everyday life and brings the magic of Christmas to everyone's hearts. The warm atmosphere and versatile events allow you to experience a magical Christmas in a unique setting.

Weekends in Old Rauma are packed full of concerts, festive products, and events. During the Christmas season, you can also visit local fairs and markets where you can discover local delicacies, handicrafts, and traditions.

Get into the spirit of Christmas by walking down the streets of Old Rauma! You can explore the advent calendar windows across the historic town. The Christmas-themed windows showcase artworks by local residents.



On the narrowest street in Finland, Kitukränni, you can find a light and sound installation that honours the buildings and history of the UNESCO World Heritage site. In the Land of the Christmas Elves in Tammela, you can explore the lives of Old Rauma's elves, make crafts, and admire the old town's beautiful Christmas lights and decorations.

Spending time with our loved ones, creating happy memories, and sharing experiences together – all the things you need to make this season magical! Experience an unforgettable Christmas in the Lace Town!

#christmasinlacetown

# Joulevangeeljum – a unique musical production debuting in Finland

This year, the magic of Christmas springs from strong emotions, a warm atmosphere, and exceptional art, when the Lace Town's annual Christmas celebration culminates in a unique interactive musical performance. The Joulevangeeljum spectacle will fill the streets of Old Rauma and the hearts of the townspeople a few days before Christmas – for the first time in Finland.

The musical, which is based on the Christmas Gospel, explores the history of 580-year-old Rauma. It is an interactive performance in which the audience plays an important role. The musical features four scenes across the UNESCO World Heritage site. During the performance, you will walk down the historic streets and alleys of Old Rauma as part of the procession, singing along with the choir – all the way from the Old Town Hall to the Kalatori square, and from the ruins of the Old Church to the Church of the Holy Cross.

Joulevangeeljum is written and directed by Arto Myllärinen and composed by Lasse Heikkilä. More than 200 people are involved in putting on the show.

The Joulevangeeljum musical will be performed twice on 17 December, at 4pm and 7pm. The event is free to the public. Come along and enjoy the spirit of Christmas in the heart of Old Rauma!





# Christmas time events in Rauma

**26.11.–24.12. Christmas at the Market Square**

**26.11. Christmas Opening in Rauma**

**26.11.–26.12. The Christmas Elf Courtyard in Tammela**

**1.12.–6.1. Advent calendar windows in Old Rauma**

**9.12. Night of the Elves**

**17.12. Joulevangeeljum musical**

**18.12. Traditional Christmas Market**

**24.12. The Declaration of Christmas Peace  
at the Market Square**

**31.12.–7.1. Lumen Rauma Light Art Event**

Changes possible

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