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"Twinkle Twinkle," Brook White's 35-foot-wide and 11-foot-tall installation of the solar system, includes this sun.

A glass act

Ambition is no stranger to Brook White. For a long time, the Kentucky native thought he was a soccer player destined to get a real job as a lawyer. But we can all be glad that instead he got mesmerized by the hot-glass program at Centre College in Danville, Ky.

White went on to found Flame Run glass studio in Louisville in 2004 with his wife, glass artist Susie Slabaugh. His first show in four years opens Friday and includes an installation of the solar system, "Twinkle Twinkle," which is 35 feet wide by 11 feet tall. A reception is 6 to 10 p.m. Saturday. The exhibit at 828 E. Market St. ends May 20. Information: (502) 584-5353 or www.flamerun.com.

-- Diane Heilenman, *visual arts critic*