

COLD DESERT TRAIL



AT A GLANCE

START:	<i>New Delhi</i>
FINISH:	<i>New Delhi</i>
ARRIVAL AIRPORT:	<i>Indira Gandhi Intl. Airport</i>
DURATION:	<i>7 Nights / 8 Days</i>
ROUTE:	<i>New Delhi - Leh - Hundar - Leh - Pangong Tso - Leh - New Delhi</i>
LOCATION:	<i>Ladakh</i>
TYPE:	<i>Adventure</i>
LEVEL:	<i>Demanding</i>

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PROGRAMME DESCRIPTION

DAY 01: DELHI to CHANDIGARH

Distance: Approx 250 km's / By coach.

Arrive at the town of Leh and get picked up via taxi from the airport and transferred to your hotel. Leh is the capital of the paradise called "Ladakh" depicting eternal beauty and wrapped in the most beautiful design of the mighty Himalayas.

DAY 02: CHANDIGARH to SIMLA

Distance: Approx 125 km's / 4-5 hrs.

Leh is known as the "Land of High Passes". The cold desert is dotted with stupas and mud brick houses in a background of steep and imposing Himalayas.

DAY 03: SIMLA to KOTGARH

Distance: Approx 80 km's / 3 hrs.

Ride to Nubra Valley, popularly known as Dorma or 'the valley of flowers' via Khardung-La Pass – one of the highest motorable roads (5602 mts) in the world. Overnight in camps at Hunder in the midst of white sand dunes and double humped camels.

DAY 04: KOTGARH to KALPA

Distance: Approx 160 km's / 6-7 hrs.

Ride back to Leh from Khardung-La which means "Pass of the lower castle". This is a major caravan route from Leh to Kashgar in Central Asia.

DAY 05: KALPA to TABO

Distance: Approx 160 km's / 6-7 hrs.

Rest day in Leh. Spend the day here to explore the "Shanti Stupa", "magnetic hill" and the famous "Patthar Sahib Gurudwara. Next is Alchi-a must visit to this small village in the Indus valley abandoned centuries ago.

DAY 06: TABO to MUD

Distance: Approx 70 km's / 2 hrs.

After breakfast, proceed to Pangong Tso lake, which is 134 km (83 miles) long and extends from India to Tibet. 60% of the length of the lake lies in China passing through the Chang-La, 3rd highest motorable road

DAY 07: MUD to MUD

Distance: Approx NA / NA

Ride back to Leh. After reaching Leh spend the rest of the day soaking in the sights and sounds of the local market.

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DAY 08: MUD to KAZA

Distance: Approx 55 km's / 2-3 hrs.

A nice Tibetan Breakfast and then ride from Mud to Kaza In the afternoon visit the Key Monastery, Kibber and Komic to a small frontier town.

DAY 09: KAZA to KAZA

Distance: Approx NA / NA

Explore Kaza and its adjacent areas. Kaza has a Buddhist Monastery and also a Hindu temple. Kaza mainly serves as a tourist base for Spiti valley. Visit Hikkim, Langza, Komic Villages.

DAY 10: KAZA to KEYLONG

Distance: Approx 200 km's / 4-5 hrs.

Travel from Kaza to Keylong via Kunjum Pass, Sissu. Overnight at hotel in Keylong.

DAY 11: KEYLONG to MANALI

Distance: Approx 130 km's / 5 hrs.

Ride from Keylong to crossing over Rothang Pass from Lahaul valley to Kullu Valley. Manali is the romantic composition of river, mountain and valleys.

DAY 12: MANALI to MANALI

Distance: Approx NA / NA

Rest day and local sightseeing in Manali. This beautiful place is surrounded by snow capped High Mountain and dotted with plenty of orchards.

DAY 13: MANALI to CHANDIGARH

Distance: Approx 300 km's / 7-8 hrs.

Ride back from Manali to Chandigarh. Night halt at Chandigarh

DAY 14: CHANDIGARH to DELHI

Distance: Approx 250 km's / By Coach

Transfer from Chandigarh to Delhi Luxury Coach

TOUR ENDS

MOTORCYCLE	PRICE
Royal Enfield	\$3299

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