

A high-angle, wide shot of a rugged mountain valley. In the foreground, a dark asphalt road curves along the left bank of a wide, shallow river with milky, white water. The river flows from the background towards the bottom right. The surrounding mountains are steep and rocky, with visible erosion patterns and patches of snow or light-colored rock. In the distance, a jagged mountain peak is covered in snow, standing out against a sky filled with heavy, grey clouds. The overall color palette is dominated by earthy browns, greys, and the white of the snow and river water.

# ADVENTURUSH

## INCLUSIONS

- **Accommodation** - All days stay at hotels, camps, or guest houses on Single/double or triple sharing basis, as selected
- **Meals** - Breakfast and dinner are included in the trip from Dinner on Day 01 to Breakfast on Day 06
- **Transportation** – Bike as per selection and fuel for the entire itinerary
- **Experienced Tour marshal with Mechanic**
- **Helmets** for both Rider and Pillion (used ones-not new)
- **Backup Vehicle** with Facility to carry luggage in a vehicle restricted to 1 Rucksack / Duffle bag of 60 Litters per motorbike
- **A Professional Tour Guide** with experience of accompanying travellers on trips to this location is provided throughout the trip
- **Miscellaneous**
  - First Aid Kit
  - Oxygen Cylinder
  - Inner line permit/Manali Green Tribunal Permit
  - Bonfire wherever applicable depends on weather conditions

## EXCLUSIONS

- **Personal Expenses** such as telephone charges, laundry, tips, table drinks etc
- **Insurance of any kind** - Medical, Accidental or theft
- **Transportation charges** (airfare or rail fare) that are not mentioned in 'Inclusions'
- **Lunch** or any other meal not listed in 'Inclusions'
- **Parking and Entry fees** for sight seeing
- **Activities outside of bike expedition**
- Cost of any spare part which will be used due to the accidental damage incurred when the motorbike is in riders' possession.
- Cost incurred to transfer or tow the motorbike in case the trip is discontinued mid-way.
- Any additional cost incurred due to extension or modifications to the trip owing to circumstances beyond control such as - natural calamities, roadblocks, union issues, (including but not limited to accommodation charges or meal charges for extended stay)
- Other charges not mentioned in the 'Inclusions' section

## ITINERARY

### Day 1: Arrival in Leh

Upon arrival, proceed to the designated hotel in Leh. Acclimatize to the new environment by sipping water every 15 minutes to maintain optimal hydration. Rest until 4 pm, then explore the serene Shanti Stupa, historic Leh Palace, and bustling local market at your own pace. Return to the hotel for a peaceful night's rest.

### Day 2: Sham Valley Sightseeing

On the second day of your *Ladakh 5 nights 6 days package*, awaken to a picturesque morning amidst the mountains and savor a hearty breakfast. Embark on an exhilarating journey to the enchanting Sham Valley, gracefully nestled along the Srinagar-Leh highway. Commence your sightseeing by honoring the valiant Indo-Pak War heroes at the Hall of Fame.

Relish a delectable langar at Gurudwara Pathar Sahib and discover the intriguing story behind its construction by the army. Delve into the mystery of Magnetic Hill, a beguiling stretch of road defying gravity's law. Venture to the Indus Sangam Viewpoint and witness the mesmerizing confluence of Zaskar and Indus Rivers.

Conclude your day of adventure by returning to your hotel for dinner and a restful overnight stay in Leh.

### Day 3: Leh to Hanle

Begin your day early, around 7 am, allowing ample time for scenic exploration along the way. Venture towards Karu Market and Upshi Market. Here, the police will inspect your permit, and subsequently, you may proceed to Chumathang. If permitted, indulge in a rejuvenating bath at the Chumathang hot spring; however, circumstances occasionally restrict access or limit the availability of cold water to moderate the temperature.

A few kilometers ahead lies the quaint village of Nyoma—pause here for a refreshment or lunch break. Since much of the route lacks asphalt, seize the opportunity to revel in an off-road escapade.

Arrive in Hanle during the evening and immerse yourself in cultural wonders by visiting the Indian Astronomical Observatory or Hanle Monastery. As both are perched atop hills, they present breathtaking vistas perfect for capturing memorable photographs. Conclude your day with a well-earned overnight stay in Hanle.

### Day 4: Hanle to Umling-la and back to Hanle

Begin your day with a substantial breakfast, thoroughly lubricate your bike's chain, and set off towards the Hanle bridge. Ensure that you remain within close proximity of your fellow riders, maintaining consistent communication with the road captain and backup car via radio.

Upon crossing the bridge, you will encounter the expansive Kalatartar plain, reminiscent of Leh-Manali's Moore plain but devoid of asphalt. Embrace the challenge of this uncharted off-road terrain as sands billow from the rider in front of you, navigating in any direction necessary to avoid their dusty wake.

This expedition to Umling-la epitomizes both the untamed landscape and the profound tranquility of the region. Allow yourself a moment of peaceful reflection or meditation as you

wish. Upon reaching the summit, capture photographic evidence of your triumphant endeavor and revel in your sense of accomplishment.

When you've fully absorbed the gravity of your feat, retrace your path back to Hanle via the same route. As evening descends, settle into a restful overnight stay at Hanle.

#### **Day 5: Hanle to Leh | Nyoma Village**

Following a hearty breakfast, embark on your return journey to Leh, retracing the same picturesque route. En route, you'll encounter the charming Nyoma Village. The road is smooth and inviting, providing a delightful contrast to yesterday's arduous ride. Today's pleasant biking experience will more than compensate for any previous challenges.

Arrive in Leh, where you can rest as you spend the night at a cozy hotel, reflecting on the day's delightful adventure.

#### **Day 6: Departure**

The final day of your *5 nights 6 days Leh Ladakh package!* After breakfast, you will depart for Manali - the place where it all began. As it is time to say goodbye to this godly sight - make the most of it by indulging in the panoramic views.

