



YAMUNOTRI



GANGOTRI

Char Dham

YATRA BY ROAD

CHAR DHAM ITINEARY (8N/9D) SHIVLOK Yamunotri-Gangotri-Kedarnath-Badrinath

This itinerary outlines an 8-night/9-day trip offered by Shivlok Tour & Travels for the Char Dham pilgrimage. The journey begins in Haridwar, where travelers are picked up and driven to Syanachatti via Mussoorie, with stops at Mussoorie Lake and Kempt Falls. The first day ends with an overnight stay at Syanachatti. The weather there is described as pleasant during the summer, ranging between 25-30°C, and cooler at night during winters, with temperatures dropping to 5-10°C.

On the second day, after breakfast, the group drives to Jankichatti/Phoolchatti, from where a 6 km trek to Yamunotri begins. The trek can be done on foot, horseback, or by doli (carried on a seat by porters), but at personal cost. After bathing in the warm waters of Jamunabai Kund and having "Darshan" at the Yamunotri temple, the group returns to Jankichatti and then drives to Barkot for an overnight stay. The Yamunotri Temple has been rebuilt multiple times, with its last reconstruction taking place in the 19th century after being destroyed twice. The temple is a revered site for pilgrims, providing an opportunity to worship and experience the local spiritual atmosphere.



KEDARNATH



BADRINATH

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DAY 01: HARIDWAR - BARKOT/SYANACHATTI



Morning meet our driver at haridwar & drive for Syanachatti via Mussoorie, enroute visit Mussoorie Lake & Kemty Fall in Mussoorie. Later drive straight to Syanachatti. Check into the hotel arrival in Syanachatti. Overnight stay at Syanachatti.

SYANACHATTI WEATHER - Generally pleasant in summer, the temperature ranges from 25-30 degree Celsius, Winter: The Days are pleasantly cool but the nights are cold,temp ranges from 10 deg to 05 deg.



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DAY 02: SYANACHATTI - YAMUNOTRI-SYANACHATTI (ht.3235 MTS.)

Early morning after breakfast (packed breakfast), drive to Jankichatti / Phoolchatti & start trek from here to Yamunotri (6kms) (Either by walk or by horse or by Doli at own cost). After taking bath in Jamunabai Kund's warm water and having "Darshan" of "Yamunaji" return to Jankichatti by trek. Later drive towards Barkot, Overnight stay at Barkot

SYAMUNOTRI TEMPLE - Maharani Gularia of Jaipur built the temple in the 19th Century. It was destroyed twice in the present century and rebuilt again. At Yamunotri, One can cook rice by packing it in a cloth and dipping it in the hot water of the Tapt kund. Pilgrims take this cooked rice home as "Prasad". Here near the temple "Pooja" can be offered to Divya Shila.



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DAY 03: SYANACHATTI - UTTARKASHI ht.1352 MTS

Morning after breakfast, drive to Uttarkashi. Check into the hotel arrival in Uttarkashi. Visit Kashi Vishwanath Temple in Uttarkashi. Overnight stay at Uttarkashi.

UTTARKASHI is home to a number of ashrams, temples. The name of the town reflects its similarity to and location (as north of) the city of Kashi (Varanasi). Similar to Varanasi, town of Uttarkashi is also situated on the banks of River Ganga,

UTTARKASHI WEATHER - Generally hot in summer, the temperature ranges from 30-35 degree Celsius but nights is pleasant, Cold in winters.



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DAY 04: UTTARKASHI - GANGOTRI - UTTARKASHI ht.3048 MTS.

Early morning (After breakfast) drive to Gangotri, enroute at Gangnani take a holy dip in Garam Kund, further drive to Gangotri via beautiful Harsil Valley. Harsil is famous for its nature beauty and for the majestic views of the Deodar trees and mountains. On arrival at Shree Gangotri, take a holy dip in the sacred river Ganges which is also called Bhagirathi at its origin. Perform Pooja and Darshan, after that relax for some time in the lovely surroundings. Later drive back to Uttarkashi. Overnight stay at Uttarkashi.

GANGOTRI WEATHER - The maximum temperature during summer can go up to 20° Celsius. Summer nights can get cooler with a minimum temperature of 10° Celsius. Light woolen clothes are required while visiting Gangotri during summer. Winter season is very chilly in Gangotri. Gangotri will be covered in sheets of snow during winter. Pilgrim centers remains closed throughout winter due to heavy snow falls.



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DAY 05: UTTARKASHI - GUPTKASHI/PHATA ht.1319 MTS.

Morning after breakfast, drive to Guptkashi via Moolgarh & Lambgoan. Enroute you can see the beautiful river Mandakini at Tilwara. The Mandakini river comes from Kedarnath, drive alongside the river to reach Guptakashi, visit Ardh Narishwar Temple in Guptakashi. Check into the hotel arrival in Guptakashi. Overnight stay at Guptakashi.

GUPTKASHI WEATHER - pleasant in summer, the temperature ranges from 25-30 degree Celsius. Cold in winters.



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DAY 06: PHATA/GUPTKASHI - KEDARNATH - GUPTKASHI (30KMS BY ROAD & 19KMS TREK ONE WAY) ht.3384 MTS



BY HELICOPTER: Morning our driver will transfer you your prebook Helipad. After Back our car will drop you at Hotel for rest. (note: helicopter ticket is not included in this package)

BY TREK: Though it is difficult to go up and down from Sonprayag on the same day by trek. But it can be done if you take ponies or helicopter while going to Kedarnath. Do coordinate well with driver, as due to parking issue driver cannot stay at Sonprayag also network issue is also there.

KEDARNATH: The Kedarnath shrine, one of the 12 jyotirlingas of Lord Shiva, is a scenic spot situated, against the backdrop of the majestic Kedarnath range. Kedar is another name of Lord Shiva. According to legend, the Pandavas after having won over the Kaurava in the Kurukshetra war, felt guilty of having killed their own brothers and sought the blessings of Lord Shiva for redemption. He eluded them repeatedly and while fleeing took refuge at Kedarnath in the form of a bull. On being followed he dived into the ground, leaving his hump on the surface. The remaining portions of Lord Shiva appeared at four other places and are worshipped there as his manifestations. The arms appeared at Tungnath, the face at Rudranath, the belly at Madhmaheshwar and his locks (hair) with head at Kalpeshwar. Kedarnath and the four above-mentioned shrines are treated as Panch Kedar.

KEDARNATH WEATHER - Due to its high altitude the weather in Kedarnath remains cold for most part of the year. Summer here is cool and pleasant while winter is severe. During summer season the temperature varies around 20°Celsius. Light woolen wear is recommended. Winter season in Kedarnath is severe with mercury falling to as low as 0°Celsius. During this time the place experiences snowfall as well. Due to the extreme climatic conditions, this time is usually avoided by tourists.



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DAY 07: PHATA / GUPTKASHI - PIPALKOTI ht. 3133 MTS.

Morning after breakfast, drive to piparkoti joshimath. Check in to the hotel arrival in pipalkotjoshimath



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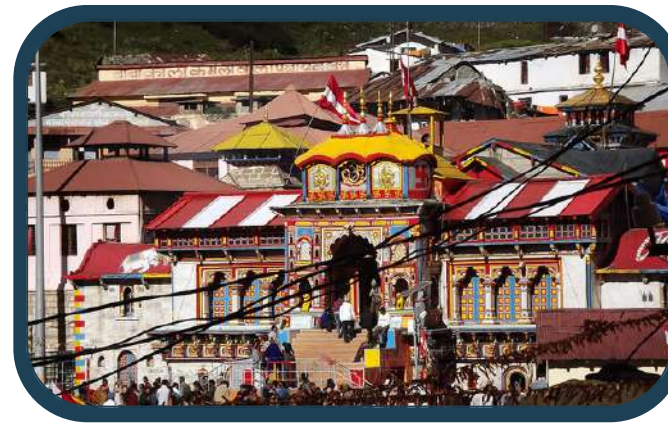
DAY 08 : PIPALKOTI/JOSHIMATH- BADRINATH - MANA VILLAGE - JOSHIMATH/PIPALKOTI

After breakfast drive towards Badrinath. Pilgrims after having a bath in the Taptkund have the Darshan of Badrivishal & Aarti in evening. Brahamakapal is significant for Pinddan Shraddh of ancestors (Pitrus). There are other interesting sightseeing spot like Mana, Vyas Gufa, Maatamoorti, Charanpaduka, Bhimkund and the "Mukh" of the Saraswati River. Just within the three kms of Badrinathjee. Overnight stay at Badrinath. Badrinath one of the 'Ancient Four Dhams' is one of the most celebrated pilgrimage spots of the country and is situated at an elevation of 3,133 meters, guarded on either side by the two mountain ranges known as Nar & Narayan with the towering Neelkanth Peak providing a splendid backdrop. This revered spot was once carpeted with wild berries. Thus the place got the name "Badri van", meaning "forest of berries".

TAPT KUND: Natural thermal springs on the bank of the river Alaknanda, where it is customary to bath before entering the Badrinath temple.

BADRINATH WEATHER: The average maximum temperature will be around 18° Celsius and the average minimum is 8° Celsius. Warm and woolen clothes are hence required for a stay in Badrinath throughout the year. Winter in Badrinath is often accompanied by snow falls. Winter is very chilly with an average temperature of 5° Celsius. Due to the extreme climatic conditions, this time is usually closed for tourists.

MANA : Mana is a village in the district of Chamoli in the Indian state of Uttarakhand, located at an altitude of 3,200 meters. It is located on the northern terminus of National Highway 58. Mana is the last village before the Mana Pass and is 26 kilometres from the border of India and Tibet The village is at a distance of about 3 km from the Hindu Pilgrimage Badrinath and the two places are culturally connected with each other.



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DAY 09: PIPALKOTI TO HARIDWAR

Morning after breakfast, drive for Haridwar via Rishikesh. Rishikesh 'place of sages' is a celebrated spiritual town on the bank of Ganga and is surrounded by Shivalik range of the Himalayas on three sides. It is said that when Raibhya Rishi did hard penances, God appeared by the name of rishikesh" and this area hence firth came to be known as Rishikesh. Later visit Rishikesh Temples Sight Seeing - Laxman Jhulla, Ram Jhulla. Drop at Haridwar.



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