

Do Dham Yatra

Embark on a Divine Odyssey: Kedarnath and Badrinath Await



Live In Himalayas



Starting Point	Haridwar
Trek Grade	Moderate
Highest Altitude	11750 ft
Base Camp	Guptkashi
Best time to visit	Apr - Oct
Trek Distance	19 km



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Do Dham Yatra Overview



Do Dham Yatra is a revered pilgrimage that includes visits to the sacred temples of Kedarnath and Badrinath, also known as Kedarbadri Yatra. Among the Char Dham Yatra sites (Kedarnath, Badrinath, Yamunotri, and Gangotri), the Do Dham Yatra is particularly popular. Kedarnath is located in the Rudraprayag district, while Badrinath is in the Chamoli district of Uttarakhand, India.

The journey can start from Rishikesh or Haridwar. If starting from Haridwar, the first destination is Guptkashi, a 7-8 hour drive. An overnight stay in Guptkashi or Sonprayag prepares pilgrims for the next day's journey. The second day involves traveling from Guptkashi or Sonprayag to Gaurikund, where the biometric process at Sonprayag is required. The scenic trek from Gaurikund to Kedarnath spans 19 kilometers, passing through sites like Bhimchatti, Jungle Chatti, and Lichauli.

On the third day, after worshipping at the Kedarnath Temple, which is dedicated to Lord Shiva and located at an altitude of 3,584 meters, pilgrims head to Joshimath. This 6-7 hour drive covers about 145 kilometers, with an optional overnight stay in Joshimath before visiting the Badrinath Temple on the fourth day. The Badrinath Temple, dedicated to Lord Vishnu, is situated at an altitude of 3,300 meters. The temple's stunning surroundings include the Alaknanda River and Tapt Kund hot springs, enhancing the spiritual experience.



Day wise Itinerary



Day 1 Haridwar to Guptkashi

Day 2 Guptkashi to Kedarnath

Day 3 Kedarnath to Guptkashi

Day 4 Guptkashi to Badrinath

Day 5 Badrinath to Rudraprayag

Day 6 Rudraprayag to Haridwar



Day 1

Haridwar to Guptkashi



You will be picked up from Haridwar and embark on a scenic drive to Guptkashi via Devprayag and Rudraprayag. Enjoy the breathtaking beauty of the Himalayas throughout the journey. As you reach Tilwara, catch a glimpse of the famous Mandakini River, which flows down from Kedarnath. The drive alongside the river offers picturesque views, leading you to Guptkashi. Upon arrival, check into your hotel for an overnight stay.

Brief Overview of the Day

- Pickup from Haridwar
- Distance: 220 km
- Duration: 8 to 9 hours
- Altitude: 1,319 meters
- Stay at Hotel
- Mobile Network: Available

This day promises a combination of spiritual and natural beauty, setting the stage for an enriching pilgrimage experience. The journey not only offers serene landscapes but also prepares you for the spiritual adventure ahead at Kedarnath. Enjoy a restful night at the hotel, ready for the next day's trek.

Day 2

Guptkashi to Kedarnath



After enjoying a hearty breakfast, we'll depart for Gaurikund, approximately 30 kilometers from Guptkashi, which takes about 2 hours by car. Upon arriving in Gaurikund, the adventurous trek to Kedarnath Temple begins, spanning a challenging 19 kilometers. The trek typically takes around 10 to 12 hours, offering breathtaking views of the Himalayas and the sacred Mandakini River along the way.

Once we reach the temple and have darshan, we'll rest and spend the night at a comfortable hotel in Kedarnath, enjoying the serene ambiance and spiritual energy of the place.

To summarize, the day involves a scenic 2-hour drive to Gaurikund, followed by a rigorous 19-kilometer trek to Kedarnath Temple. We will spend the night in Kedarnath, preparing for the next day's spiritual and scenic adventures. This journey promises a blend of nature's beauty and spiritual fulfillment, making it an unforgettable experience.



Day 3

Kedarnath to Guptkashi



After a hearty breakfast, we will begin our trek back to Gaurikund, covering a distance of 19 kilometers, which typically takes around 10 hours. Upon reaching Gaurikund, we will embark on a 2-hour drive back to Guptkashi. Upon arrival, you can relax and rejuvenate for the rest of the day, enjoying the serene ambiance and preparing for your journey ahead. Guptkashi, with its tranquil setting and comfortable accommodations, offers the perfect environment to unwind after the strenuous trek.

This day will allow you to reflect on the spiritual experiences of your Kedarnath Yatra while enjoying the natural beauty of the Himalayas. The evening will be at leisure, giving you time to explore the local area or simply rest at your hotel. An overnight stay in Guptkashi ensures you are well-rested and ready for the next leg of your journey. This return journey promises both physical relaxation and spiritual contemplation, making it a significant part of your pilgrimage.



Day 4

Guptkashi to Badrinath



On the morning of this day, we'll check out of the hotel and embark on a scenic 185-kilometer journey to Badrinath via Joshimath, which takes approximately 7 hours. Along the way, you'll be treated to breathtaking views of the Himalayan landscapes. Upon reaching Badrinath, a town renowned for its spiritual significance, you have the option to either rest and unwind or visit the revered Badrinath Temple, dedicated to Lord Vishnu. Before offering prayers at the temple, you can rejuvenate with a dip in the "Tapta Kund," a natural hot spring known for its healing properties. After a spiritually enriching experience at the temple, you'll enjoy a delightful dinner and a comfortable overnight stay at a hotel in Badrinath.

This day combines spiritual exploration with relaxation, offering a perfect blend of devotion and tranquility. The drive itself is a highlight, filled with picturesque vistas, making the journey as memorable as the destination. The comfortable accommodations ensure you are well-rested and ready for the next day's adventures, completing a fulfilling day in the heart of the Himalayas.



Day 5

Badrinath to Rudraprayag



Begin your day with a serene and spiritually enriching darshan at the Badrinath Temple. After paying your respects and soaking in the divine atmosphere, return to the hotel for a hearty breakfast. Once refreshed, embark on a picturesque journey to Rudraprayag via Karanprayag. This scenic drive covers 165 kilometers and takes approximately 6 hours, offering breathtaking views of the Himalayan landscapes.

Rudraprayag is a notable pilgrim town where the holy rivers Alaknanda and Mandakini converge. Upon arrival, you have the rest of the day to explore this charming town at your leisure. Enjoy the unique spiritual ambiance and discover local attractions before settling in for an overnight stay at a comfortable hotel. This day promises a blend of spiritual fulfillment and natural beauty, ensuring a memorable and engaging experience for all pilgrims.



Day 6

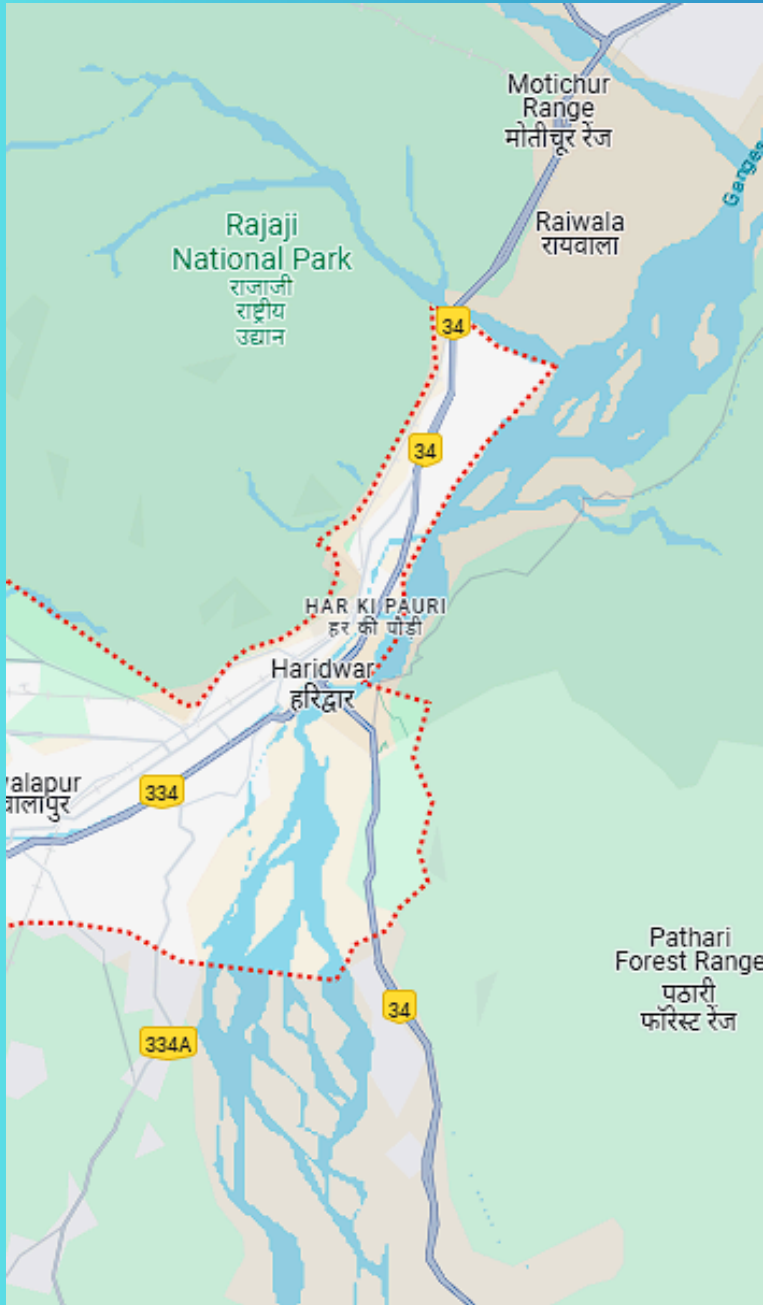
Rudraprayag to Haridwar



Today marks the final day of Do Dham Yatra, a journey filled with spiritual enrichment and breathtaking views. After enjoying a hearty breakfast, we will begin our drive from Rudraprayag to Haridwar, covering a distance of 161 kilometers. This picturesque drive will take approximately 6 hours, providing an opportunity to reminisce about the sacred sites visited and the serene landscapes experienced along the way. Our route will pass through the holy city of Rishikesh, renowned for its spiritual heritage and yoga centers. Upon reaching Haridwar, your destination, you will be dropped off, concluding your divine pilgrimage. The journey not only offers a sense of spiritual fulfillment but also leaves you with lasting memories of the majestic Himalayas and the sacred confluences encountered. The Do Dham Yatra experience combines devotion, natural beauty, and cultural richness, making it a truly unforgettable adventure.



How to reach Haridwar



- **By Train:** The most convenient and popular option is to take a direct train from New Delhi Railway Station to Haridwar Junction. The journey takes approximately 4 hours and 13 minutes. Trains like the Shatabdi Express and Jan Shatabdi Express are frequent options.
- **By Bus:** You can also take a direct bus from ISBT Kashmiri Gate in Delhi to Haridwar. The bus ride takes around 4 hours and 52 minutes. Buses run frequently throughout the day.
- **By Flight:** Another option is to fly from Indira Gandhi International Airport in Delhi to Jolly Grant Airport in Dehradun, which is about 35 kilometers from Haridwar. The flight takes around 30 minutes, and from Dehradun, you can take a taxi or bus to Haridwar.
- **By Taxi:** You can hire a taxi for a more comfortable and private journey. The drive takes approximately 3 hours and 10 minutes.



Terms and conditions

Price includes

- Transportation from Haridwar to Haridwar (vehicle will depend on the group size)
- Accommodation (rooms will be on quad sharing basis)
- Meals (Breakfast and dinner)
- All sightseeing and drop at Haridwar Railway Station

Price does not include

- GST 5% (it is Mandatory)
- Any Meals/accommodation beside the itinerary or not mentioned in the program.
- Any Bus / Airfare to/from trek start/end point
- Personal Medical expenses.
- Any personal services such as Laundry, phone calls, liquors, mineral water, etc.
- Any still / video camera fee
- Any Entrance fee Monuments, Monasteries, Museums, Temples – Pay directly on the spot.
- Mules or porter charges to carry private baggage (Offload Charges for bag 1200, per bag if paid online (at base camp 2,000). Note: Bag weight should not be more than 10 kg.
- Any emergency evacuation charges
- Any services that are not mentioned in the cost inclusion section.



Cancellation Policies

In the event of cancellation of trek/adventure activity services due to any avoidable / unavoidable reasons we must be notified of the same in writing. Cancellation charges will be effective from the date we receive advice in writing, and cancellation charges would be as follows: -

- **Cancellations prior to 24 days from the start of the trek**

Book any other trek till one year or get 95% refund (Note: If the trek charges are more, the balance needs to be paid by the trekker)

- **Cancellation between 24 days and 14 days to the start of the trek**

Choose to go for the same trek, with any other batch, till year or get 70% refund

- **Cancellation between 14 days and 10 days to the start of the trek**

Choose to go on the same trek, in the same season, with any other batch or get 50% refund.

- **Cancellation less than 10 days to the start of the trek**

Transfer your trek (same trek, same batch) to your friend. No cash refund.

Note:-

1. Change of trek batch is dependent on the availability of seats in the batch.
2. In case of transferring a trek to a friend, he/she should satisfy all the mandatory requirements put forward by LIVE IN HIMALAYAS.
3. LIVE IN HIMALAYAS holds the right to change/cancel the policies, without prior notice.



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