



EXPLORING HIMALAYAS ON A ROYAL ENFIELD
Through Parvati, Banjar, Sutlej valleys and 'the Valley of Gods'

NAGGAR

Naggar is a traditional and peaceful Hindu village in Himachal Pradesh, 500 km from Delhi.

It lies in the heart of the Western Himalayas, in the Kullu valley. Because this area is so beautiful, the Gods – according to the Hindu belief – chose this valley to be their home. That's why it is still called "The Valley of the Gods". Naggar was once the capital of the region, hence the picturesque Naggar Castle. You feel immediately at home in Hotel Ragini and Cottages, your homely stay. In and around Naggar, at 1760 meters, thousand-years-old Hindu temples lie scattered around.

The view on the valley, the rice fields, the forests and the villages around with their unique culture is breathtaking.



RAGINI COTTAGES

Where is it better staying than in a cosy family-run Ragini Cottages Home Stay?

Ragini offers you a home where the friendly staffs are always ready for you and serve freshly home cooked meals in a peaceful garden with view on the eternal snowy peak.

Ragini lies at the edge of the village and far away from the modern and hectic life.



DAY 1

Morning flight to Kullu, pick up at Airport and drive to Naggar (1 hr by tax). Welcome lunch at Ragini Cottages.

Today is a relaxing day in Naggar or for those who are up to it, we can go exploring in and around the Heritage village of Naggar (Naggar Castle, Tripura and Vishnu Temples and famous painter and scholar Nicholas Roerich's house and museum).

We can also take a nature walk via the ancient Krishna temple and to the picturesque traditional Tilasharni Village (1 hr).



DAY 2

After breakfast, our warming up day trip to get familiar with the handling of the Enfield Bullets and the Himalayan traffic conditions can start (ride up to the remote Rumsu Village).

We will then continue to the famous Jana Village and small waterfall where we will enjoy a locally prepared traditional lunch in order to continue via the Kais Monastery settlement back to Naggar (70 km).



DAY 3

We ride to the Solang ski slopes and to the famous town of Manali for lunch and souvenir shopping.

We will return via small back roads to our base in Naggar. (80 km)



DAY 4

Ride to the impressive Parvati Valley and reach the Hippie town of Kasol for Lunch. Check into the hotel.

Afternoon ride deeper into this mystical valley, to the point where the road ends in order to enjoy amazing views. (130 km).



DAY 5

Ride to Banjar Valley and explore the hidden villages in the Great Himalayan National park.

Stay at the famous Raju Bharti's Fisherman's Lodge located by the river. (120 km).



DAY 6

Today we ride to Narkanda on paved country roads. Narkanda is located at an altitude of 2,700 meters.

We will cross the Indo Tibet highway surrounded by the Shivalik mountain ranges.

Narkanda is also a ski Resort. Stay at Hotel Tethys Ski Resort. (150 km).



DAY 7

Ride to Shimla via Kufri (70 km).

We reach Shimla in the afternoon and we'll check into a comfortable Heritage hotel.

After lunch we discover Shimla, the capital town of Himachal, once summer capital of the British in India.

The mall, a pedestrian's avenue, the Lakhar bazaar and – if time permits - a walk to the Jhaku monkey temple are a few of the highlights.

Enjoy the farewell dinner.



DAY 8

After breakfast returning home or onward destinations, with a lot of memories...



MOTORCYCLE & ROOM TARIFF

1.295 Euro per Biker
On 500 cc Royal Enfield

995 Euro per Pillion

175 Euro Single Room
surcharge on tour price.



INCLUDED SERVICES IN THE TOUR

- Enfield Bullet 500 cc motorcycle with comprehensive insurance.
- Support vehicle for baggage and crew.
- Touring gear, fuel, oil and all replacement parts.

OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED

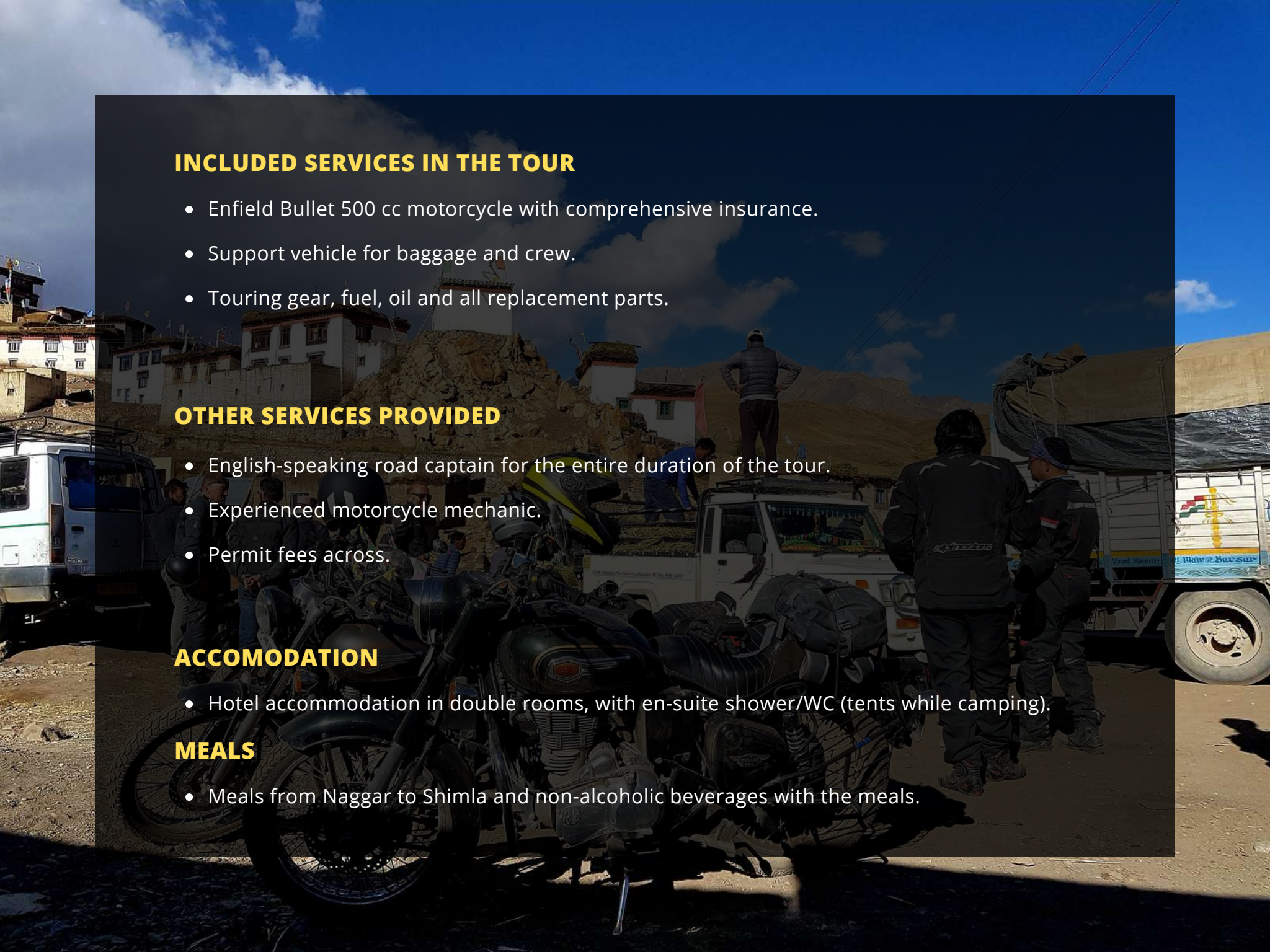
- English-speaking road captain for the entire duration of the tour.
- Experienced motorcycle mechanic.
- Permit fees across.

ACCOMODATION

- Hotel accommodation in double rooms, with en-suite shower/WC (tents while camping).

MEALS

- Meals from Naggar to Shimla and non-alcoholic beverages with the meals.





NOT INCLUDED IN THE TOUR RATES

- Airfare
- Alcoholic drinks and extra drinks (outside the meal).
- Personal equipment (jacket, gloves, helmet, etc.),
- Individual travel insurance (Health and Medical, Personal accident and Hospitalization, Baggage and property loss, travel cancellation/interruption, evacuation, etc.) *highly recommended!*

IMPORTANT NOTE :

- A valid international driving licence must be obtained from your home country before leaving. Must have.
- We can organise the use of a helmet free of charge, provided the right size is available (it is therefore better to bring one's own).
- We reserve the right to make last minute changes to the itinerary in case of natural calamities or any other unforeseen situation, beyond our control.
- There is no medical insurance coverage for injury to the rider and/or pillion available in India for visiting foreigners. All participants must cover themselves in their home countries before the tour (as mentioned earlier in the Individual travel insurance).
- Our motorcycles are fully insured for third party damage only. Our motorcycles have a damage deductible of 500 US \$. This means the limit of any rider's responsibility in case of damage is 500 US \$. Normal wear and tear on the bikes are accepted but if a rider breaks items like mirrors, foot pegs, turn signals, lights, cracked plastic, etc., out of negligence or due to a fall, the price of a replacement part will be charged.
- In this tour we are going to ride through one of the toughest off road and High Mountain passes. So the rider must have enough experience and good control over the bike.
- Every time you climb onto a bike you are accepting some element of danger. We drive safe, under control and always in convoy. Our biggest safety hazards are the other drivers. Discipline, driving regulation and enforcement in India is lax. However, we try to minimize this road-sharing problem on our routes, and we purposely avoid busy roads, where possible. In many places we won't see more than a few cars every hour. Some sections are nearly deserted--the whole road feels like it's ours alone.
- Declaration form and deposit. In case of any accident, illness, injury, mishap or death our organization, the management, our agent or staff cannot be held partially neither wholly responsible. This statement needs to be signed upon arrival and 600 US \$ needs to be deposited as mentioned earlier in the Important Note.

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