

Uttarakhand State Tourism

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Yamunotri · Gangotri · Kedarnath · Badrinath

Char Dham Yatra (Complete Circuit)

10 Days · Starting from ₹27,500 per person · Departs: Haridwar

- ✓ All four Dhams in the traditional order — Yamunotri, Gangotri, Kedarnath, Badrinath
- ✓ Devprayag, Rudraprayag, and Karnaprayag — the sacred confluences en route
- ✓ Paced itinerary with sensible driving days — no 4 a.m.-to-midnight marathons
- ✓ Darshan at the Kedarnath Jyotirlinga and Badri Vishal
- ✓ Char Dham registration for all four shrines handled by our team
- ✓ Small groups led by Uttarakhand locals who run these valleys all season

Have a question about this trip? Ask Himanshu



Ask Himanshu on WhatsApp

You'll be talking to Himanshu, the founder — not a call centre.



The Char Dham Yatra — **Yamunotri, Gangotri, Kedarnath, and Badrinath**, visited in the traditional west-to-east order — is the defining pilgrimage of Uttarakhand, the Devbhoomi. This 10-day circuit from Haridwar completes all four shrines without the punishing drive schedules that spoil so many yatras: every mountain darshan day is followed by a sane night halt.

Two shrines involve walking: **Yamunotri** (6 km each way) and **Kedarnath** (16 km each way), both with pony and palki options arranged in advance. **Char Dham registration is mandatory** for every pilgrim at all four shrines — our team completes the formalities for your whole group before departure.

The circuit crosses 3,000 m four times, so the itinerary is built with the same altitude respect as our Adi Kailash yatras — early starts, steady pace, and an escort who knows when to slow down.

We are a private tour operator based in Pithoragarh, run by Uttarakhand locals. These are our home valleys — the season's road conditions, the reliable kitchens, and the quiet homestays are current knowledge, not brochure copy.

Departure calendar

New departure dates are being finalised. Message us on WhatsApp and we will share the next available batch.

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Day-wise itinerary

1 Haridwar → Barkot

1,220 m



Drive via Dehradun and the Yamuna valley to Barkot, base for Yamunotri. Evening briefing and registration check. Overnight stay.

2 Yamunotri darshan (6 km trail) → Barkot

3,293 m



Early transfer to Jankichatti and the 6 km trail to Yamunotri. Darshan, the hot springs of Surya Kund, and return to Barkot by evening. Ponies and palkis available on the trail.

3 Barkot → Uttarkashi

1,158 m



Cross the Radi top into the Bhagirathi valley to Uttarkashi. Evening darshan at the ancient Kashi Vishwanath temple. Overnight stay.

4 Gangotri darshan → Uttarkashi

3,048 m



Morning drive up past Harsil's apple orchards to Gangotri for darshan at the source shrine of Ma Ganga. Time on the ghats by the Bhagirathi before returning to Uttarkashi.

5 Uttarkashi → Guptkashi

1,319 m



A full day's cross-valley drive via Tehri and Rudraprayag into the Mandakini valley. Evening at leisure in Guptkashi. Overnight stay.

6 Gaurikund → Kedarnath trek (16 km)

3,583 m



Early transfer to Gaurikund and the trail to Kedarnath — on foot, pony, or palki. Evening aarti at the Jyotirlinga. Overnight near the temple (or helicopter return, on request).

7 Kedarnath darshan → descend → Guptkashi

1,319 m



Pre-dawn darshan, Bhairavnath viewpoint, and the descent to Gaurikund. Transfer back to Guptkashi. Overnight stay.

8 Guptkashi → Badrinath

3,133 m



Drive via Chopta's meadows and Joshimath to Badrinath. Evening darshan at Badri Vishal and the Tapt Kund hot springs. Overnight stay.

9 Badrinath → Mana village → Rudraprayag

610 m



Morning darshan, then Mana — India's first village — with Vyas Gufa and the Saraswati source. Descend along the Alaknanda through Karnaprayag to Rudraprayag. Overnight stay.

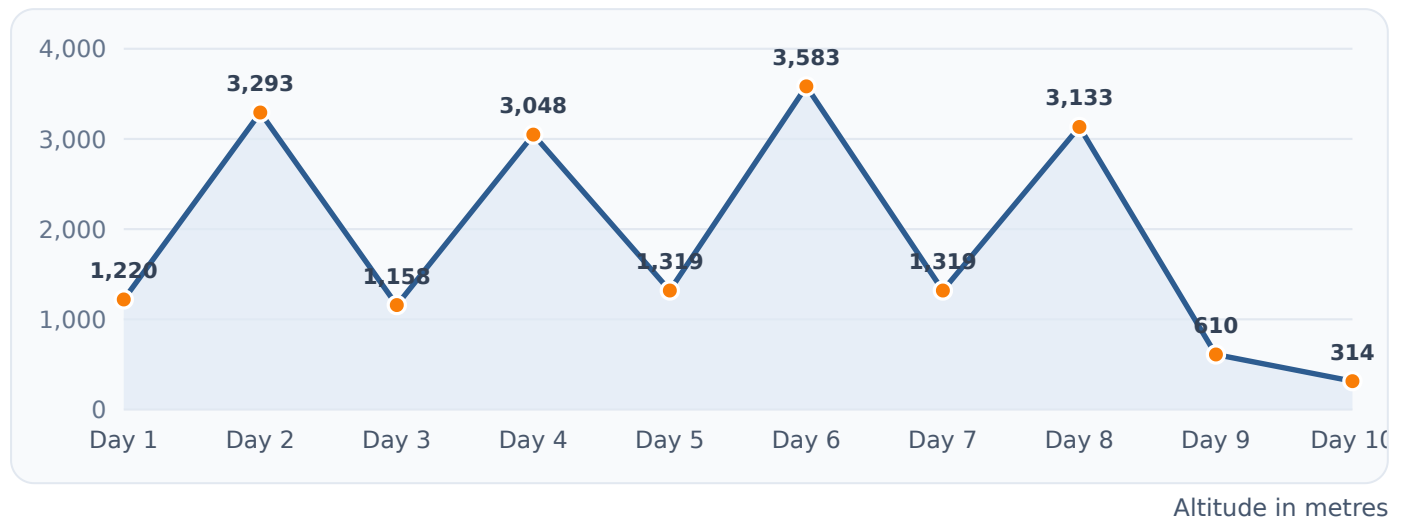
10 Rudraprayag → Haridwar — yatra concludes

314 m



The final leg past Devprayag, where Alaknanda and Bhagirathi become the Ganga. Reach Haridwar by afternoon with the full circuit complete.

Altitude profile



What's included

- ✓ Transport from Haridwar and back by private vehicle (Tempo Traveller / Innova class)
- ✓ Accommodation on sharing basis throughout (9 nights)
- ✓ Breakfast and dinner daily
- ✓ Char Dham Yatra registration for all four shrines
- ✓ All tolls, parking, and driver expenses

What's not included

- ✗ Travel to and from Haridwar
- ✗ Pony / palki / helicopter charges on the Yamunotri and Kedarnath trails
- ✗ Stay at Kedarnath top (bookable on request, subject to availability)
- ✗ Lunches, beverages, and personal expenses
- ✗ Travel insurance (recommended for high-altitude travel)
- ✗ Anything not listed under inclusions

Best time to visit

May

June

September

October