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This 8-night, 9-day Spiti Valley itinerary from Delhi covers rugged mountain terrain, ancient monasteries, and charming Himalayan villages, including the remote Chitkul. Begin with scenic drives through Narkanda and Shimla, then head to Chitkul, the last inhabited village near the Indo-Tibetan border, known for its serene riverside and stunning mountain views. Continue to Kalpa for breathtaking sights of the Kinnaur Kailash range. In Spiti, explore the Tabo and Dhankar monasteries, Key Monastery, and high-altitude villages like Kibber, Hikkim, Komik, and Langza. This journey offers a blend of adventure, culture, and natural beauty, providing a memorable Himalayan experience.

# **ITINERARIES:**

#### • Day 1: Day 1: Delhi to Narkanda / Shimla

Distance: ~380-420 km, ~8-10 hours Activities: Start early from Delhi. Enjoy the drive through the scenic hills as you ascend into Himachal Pradesh. Take breaks as needed and get a feel of the mountains. Overnight Stay: Shimla or Narkanda, depending on your progress.

# Day 2: Shimla / Narkanda to Chitkul

Distance: ~180 km, ~6-8 hours Activities: Head toward Chitkul in the Sangla Valley, known as the last inhabited village near the Indo-China border. The journey to Chitkul offers beautiful views of the Baspa River and lush forests. Highlights: Baspa Valley, Chitkul village exploration, river walk Overnight Stay: Chitkul

## Day 3: Chitkul to Kalpa

Distance: ~60 km, ~2-3 hours Activities: After breakfast, drive to Kalpa, a picturesque village offering panoramic views of the Kinnaur Kailash range. Enjoy a relaxed day exploring Kalpa and its surroundings. Highlights: Kalpa village, Kinnaur Kailash range, sunset views Overnight Stay: Kalpa

#### Day 4: Kalpa to Tabo via Nako

Distance: ~160 km, ~7-8 hours Activities: Continue the journey into Spiti Valley. Stop at Nako Lake, a serene high-altitude lake with a beautiful monastery nearby. After a break, head to Tabo, home to the ancient Tabo Monastery, known as the "Ajanta of the Himalayas" for its intricate murals. Highlights: Nako Lake, Nako Monastery, Tabo Monastery Overnight Stay: Tabo

## • Day 5: Tabo to Kaza (via Dhankar)

istance: ~50 km, ~2-3 hours Activities: Start with a visit to the historic Tabo Monastery. Drive toward Kaza, stopping at Dhankar Monastery, which sits on a cliff and offers panoramic views of the Spiti Valley. Optionally, take a short trek to Dhankar Lake (if time and energy allow). Highlights: Tabo Monastery, Dhankar Monastery, Dhankar Lake (optional trek) Overnight Stay: Kaza

# Day 6: Kaza - Key Monastery and Kibber Village

Activities: Spend the day exploring the highlights near Kaza. Visit Key Monastery, a stunning Buddhist monastery with views over the Spiti River. Then head to Kibber Village, one of the highest inhabited villages in the world. Optional: Explore the Kibber Wildlife Sanctuary if interested. Highlights: Key Monastery, Kibber Village, scenic mountain views Overnight Stay: Kaza

## • Day 7: Kaza - Visit Hikkim, Komik, and Langza

Activities: Visit three iconic villages near Kaza: Hikkim: Known for having the world's highest post office. Komik: The highest village with a motorable road. Langza: Known for its large Buddha statue and for fossil hunting. Highlights: Fossil hunting in Langza, Hikkim Post Office, Komik village scenery Overnight Stay: Kaza

#### Day 8: Kaza to Kalpa

istance: ~200 km, ~7-8 hours Activities: Start your return journey to Kalpa, retracing your route back through the scenic landscapes of Spiti and Kinnaur. Highlights: Scenic drive through Spiti Valley Overnight Stay: Kalpa

#### Day 9: Kalpa to Delhi

istance:  $\sim$ 570 km,  $\sim$ 12-14 hours Activities: Start early and make the long drive back to Delhi, marking the end of your Spiti Valley adventure. Expect to arrive late in the evening.

#### **FAQS:**

#### Q: Is the tour package customizable?

**A:** Yes, we offer customizable packages to suit your preferences, including itinerary adjustments, accommodation options, and activities.

### Q: What type of transportation is provided?

**A:** We offer comfortable transportation options, including sedans, SUVs, and tempo travellers based on group size. Volvo buses and private cabs are available for inter-city travel.

# Q: What type of accommodation is included in the package?

**A:** Our packages typically include 3-star to 5-star hotels or luxury homestays, depending on your choice. All accommodations ensure comfort and scenic views.

## Q: Can I choose the hotel of my preference?

**A:** Yes, we can arrange specific hotels or upgrade your stay to a premium category upon request, subject to availability.