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## Holy Mount Kailash & Sacred Lake Mansarovar June 2020

The Lake Mansarovar is a grand creation of the nature, which is not only revered by the Hindu followers, but also valued by the followers of the other religions like Jain, Bone and Buddhism. It is believed that just a single circuit of the Kailash Mountain brightens the life and wipes out the sins of the lifetime. It emancipates Jivas from the vicious cycle of the births and the deaths consequently entering into the Brahma's paradise.

"Conventional wisdom says a single circuit of Mt. Kailash wipes out the sins of a lifetime, 108 Parikramas guarantees enlightenment. A ritual bath in the sacred Mansarovar Lake will deliver a pilgrim to Brahma's paradise and a drop drink of its water relinquishes the sins of a hundred lifetimes."

### **HELICOPTER ROUTE Via SIMIKOT - HILSA:**

Kailash Mansarovar Yatra by Helicopter is a suitable program for those Yatries who are willing to complete this Yatra with ease, however possible. This holy journey starts from Lucknow to Nepalganj and Nepalgunj to Simikot by scheduled flight and from Simikot to Hilsa by chartered Helicopter Service. From Hilsa (Nepal China border), the pilgrims picked up by deluxe coach and transferred to the Border Town of Tibet Taklakot/Purang, from there they proceed towards the exotic Yatra of Kailash and Mansarovar.





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### Itinerary (10 Days)

**Day 01 – 8th June 2020: Lucknow to Nepalgunj (168m):** Pick up from Lucknow; Train/Airport/Hotel and drive 5 hours to Nepalgunj. Overnight stay at hotel.

**Day 02 – 9th June 2020: Nepalgunj to Simikot (2910m)-Hilsa (3700m):** Early morning, transfer to Nepalgunj Airport. Fly 50 minutes to Simikot, further fly 20 minutes by Helicopter to Hilsa. Overnight stay at hotel.

**Day 03 – 10th June 2020: Hilsa to Purang (3800m):** Trek shortly, cross Karnali River to Sher. Enter Tibet and drive an hour to Taklakot (Purang). Overnight stay at hotel.

**Day 04 – 11th June 2020: Purang:** The day is free for acclimatization and Purang Excursion.

**Day 05 – 12th June 2020: Purang to Mansarovar (4560m):** One and half hour drive to Chiu Gompa. Start Mansarovar Parikrama by ECO Coach. Holy Bath & Pooja during Parikrama. Overnight stay at Ashram.

**Day 06 – 13th June 2020: Mansarovar to Darchen (4580m):** Early Morning Pooja at Mansarovar and drive one hour to Darchen. Overnight stay at hotel.

**Day 07 – 14th June 2020: Darchen to Driaphuk (4890m) - 6 to 7 hours**  
Early morning drive about 20 minutes to Yam Dwar. Start Kailash Parikrama on Foot to Driaphuk. Overnight stay at Guest House.

**Day 08 – 15th June 2020: Driaphuk to Zuthulphuk (4790m) - 8 to 9 hours.**  
Start trek as early as possible, cross Dolma-La (5670m). Darshan of Ganesh Kund and Gauri Kund. Overnight stay at Guest House.

### **Day 09 – 16th June 2020: Zuthulphuk to Simikot Via Hilsa.**

Trek about 3 hours ending Kailash Parikrama at Mani Wall. Drive about 4 hours to Sher, embark Tibet-China and Enter to Hilsa- Nepal. Further; Heli -Lift to Simikot. Overnight stay at Guest House.

### **Day 10 – 17th June 2020: Simikot / Nepalgunj to Lucknow.**

Early in the morning fly to Nepalgunj and further drive to Lucknow.  
THE JOURNEY – ENDS

### COST INCLUDES:

- 5% GST
- Lucknow pick up and drop services
- Accommodation at Nepalgunj with all meals.
- Scheduled flight; Nepalgunj - Simikot - Nepalgunj.
- Chartered helicopter flight; Simikot – Hilsa – Simikot.
- 3 to 5 persons sharing accommodation in Simikot, Hilsa and during Kailash Yatra in Tibet.
- Three meals a day with tea/coffee and sub meals during Yatra.
- Tibet part transfer by deluxe coach as per group size /Truck for Luggage.
- Nepalese team leader and supporting staffs.



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- Tibet Travel Permit and Chinese Visa.
- Chinese ground handling cost of Kailash Mansarovar Yatra.
- Duffel Bag (a large bag to keep the pilgrims' luggage (12 Kgs)
- Down Jacket in returnable basis.
- Upper Humla permit and Simikot VDC Charge.
- Emergency Oxygen and First AID kit with appropriate medication facility.

#### **COST EXCLUDES:**

- Nepal Entry and Re-Entry Visa Fee for other than Indian Passport holder.
- Personal nature cost, any additional activities like Serlung or Tirthapuri Drive.
- Darchen accommodation cost for those who returns halfway from the Kailash Parikrama.
- Cost of unavoidable circumstances.
- Personal PONY or PORTER cost.
- Visa split and transportation cost if any one pre- exit.
- Medicine and emergency cost.
- TIPS

#### **Important notes:**

- The scan copy of passport; front page (photo page), last page (address page) and colour scan of MRP format Photo must be sent prior to 30 days of Yatra.
- The passport of Pilgrims will be hand over at Nepalgunj (Heli- Route) and at Kathmandu (Overland Route). We advise all pilgrims to carry Election Card as optional traveling document to fly Kathmandu.

#### **Risk and Liabilities:**

We assure to make your journey as smooth and pleasant as possible. However, the entire program in Tibet is operated strictly under the rules and regulations of Tibet Tourism Bureau of China. Therefore, **Green Earth Adventures** & its associate partners will not be responsible for any changes in the itineraries due to unavoidable circumstances such as Government restrictions, landslides, road blockages, flood, snow, and any unforeseen types of obstructions, cancellation / delay of flight, delay due to late permit and Visa, illness or accidents. The pilgrims must bear all the extra costs incurred due to above mentioned circumstances that arise during the Yatra.

#### **Document:**

- Passport with a minimum of **6 months' validity**

#### **Fitness:**

This is not a trek or expedition but a tour; therefore, no specific level of fitness is required. Anyone can join this Yatra who are physically normal with strong willpower. People suffering from cardiac or respiratory problems should consult their doctor to plan this trip. Morning and evening walks, jogging, stretching, meditation and regular exercise is suggested to make the journey comfortable.

#### **Food and Beverage:**



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Pure vegetarian delicious continental & Indian meals will be served on our VVIP setup Dining. Packed lunch with chocolates, fruits, juice and tea/coffee will be served during Kailash Parikrama.

#### **Clothing and Necessities:**

The temperature dramatically varies between day and night (from max. 16 degree Celsius to min. (-10) degree Celsius) one should be prepared accordingly.

#### **List of Items to Carry:**

Woollen Gloves, Monkey Cap, Sun Hat, Muffler, Mask, Thermal Wear, Woollen Socks, Sweater, Shirt/T-shirts, Trekking Shoes, Towel, Light Jacket, Sunglasses, Sun Cream, Torch with extra Batteries/Bulbs, Water Bottle, Raincoat, etc.

#### **Insurance:**

Comprehensive Travel Insurance coverage for Emergency Medical Evacuation.

#### **Registration Process:**

Please click on the link below to fill up the registration form in order to reserve your place on the tour:

<https://goo.gl/forms/cbuRpl9t99CawWna2>

In order to confirm your place on the tour please either pay the tour cost by cheque drawn in favour of '**GREEN EARTH ADVENTURES**' or transfer to the following bank account:

Account Name: **Green Earth Adventures**  
Bank Name: **HDFC Bank, Pune Bhandarkar Road**  
Current Account No.: **50200034793086**  
IFSC: **HDFC0000007**

**Note:** Please make sure you write your name as well as the event name in the remarks column in case you transfer the amount by NEFT.

#### **Cancellation:**

All notice of cancellation must be sent to our official email address [greenearthadventurespune@gmail.com](mailto:greenearthadventurespune@gmail.com) (verbal cancellation will not be accepted).

The following cancellation charges will be applicable:

- Before 27 days of tour departure date or once travel permit is applied: 10% of total amount will be charged.
- Before 15 days of tour departure date: 25% of total amount will be charged.
- Before 7 days and less of tour departure date: 50% of total amount will be charged.
- No show: 100% of total amount will be charged.

Above rules are applicable as per the rules and regulation of Tibet Tourism Bureau, China (CTTB), and Foreign Exchange Center (FEC).