

The Road Less Travelled

Adventure, Mountains, History and Culture in Pakistan & Gilgit-Baltistan

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SPRING BLOSSOM & AUTUMN IN GILGIT-BALTISTAN

- Day 1 Arrival Islamabad**
Arrive Islamabad and overnight
- Day 2 Islamabad – Skardu**
Departure flight to Skardu. Visit cold desert, Katpana Lake, 1000 years old Buddha Rock. Gilgit-Baltistan is known for ancient rock carvings.
- Day 3 Skardu-Shigar**
Visit Shigar Valley which is the gateway to four of the world's highest mountains including the K2 and hundreds of peaks above 7000m. Check-in at Serena Shigar Fort Residence built in 17th century which has been converted into a museum and luxury hotel.
- Day 4 Shigar-Khaplu**
Drive to Khaplu Village. Pass through traditional villages. Check in at 19th century Serena Khaplu Palace, an architectural heritage converted into a luxury hotel.
- Day 5 Khaplu**
Early morning rise and hike to the historical viewpoint called Thoqsi Khar (Fort on a Hill) for splendid views of the mountainous region. Continue to Chagchan, home to a Noorbakshi mosque dating back to 1370. Continue to Machulu and Talis for breathtakingly views.
- Day 6 Khaplu-Skardu**
Drive back to Skardu. Stop for lunch and tea break at Manthoka water fall.
- Day 7 Skardu-Gilgit**
Early morning rise for a 7-9 hour drive to Gilgit. Pass through Kachura Valley known for its impressive gorge of River Indus. Stop at a gem stone mining area. Continue for Gilgit.
- Day 8 Gilgit-Karimabad**
For centuries, Gilgit has been a stopping point on the Silk Road as caravans journeyed south from Kashgar. Visit Gilgit bazar, the suspension bridge, the 1000 years old Buddha Rock at Kargah Nala. Drive to Hunza and Karimabad.
- Day 9 Karimabad**
Early morning before sunrise drive by jeep to Duiker Eagle's Nest to see the beautiful sunrise and an panoramic view of the entire Hunza and Nagar Valleys. After breakfast visit 600 years old Baltit Fort. Enjoy coffee and traditional walnut cake at Café de Hunza.
- Day 10 Karimabad- Gulmit**
Drive to Gulmit. Stop at Attabad Lake, the longest suspension bridge at Hussaini Village. Enjoy beautiful sunset view of Passo Cones. Arrival Gulmit and visit a local women's carpet weaving center and music school.
- Day 11 Hunza-Khunjerab Pass- Gulmit**
Visit the legendary Khunjerab Pass (the world's highest border crossing) that connects China with Pakistan. En route enjoy a spectacular view of Shisper Peak (7611m), Batura Peak and others. Picnic lunch at Khunjerab Pass and drive back to Gulmit.
- Day 12 Gulmit-Gilgit**
Drive back to Gilgit. En route visit the beautiful Minapin Village in Nagar Valley.
- Day 13 Gilgit-Departure**
Departure by flight to Islamabad and connect to your international flight.

from Rp **34.750.000**

(Min 2 persons traveling together)

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