



## Tour : **MOTO TOUR TO ARMENIA**

**Tour duration: 9d./8n.**

**Riding duration: 5 days**

**Best period: May – November**

**Roads are suitable for Dual – Sport Motorcycles**

**Total Distance ~1250 km Dirt road ~145 km**

**Good quality asphalt 90%**

**Suitable for fits and small groups**





## **Descriptive Itinerary:**

### **Day 1: Departure to home country**

#### **Day 2: City tour in Yerevan / Echmiadzin / Zvartnots / Yerevan (80 km)**

Arrival in Yerevan. City tour in Yerevan. Drive to Echmiadzin town which is the religious center of Armenia and the ruins of Zvartnots cathedral. Both of them are inscribed in UNESCO list. Welcome dinner in Yerevan. OVERNIGHT IN YEREVAN.

#### **Day 3: Yerevan / Sevan / Noraduz / Selim pass / Jermuk / Yeghegnadzor (230 km)**

Breakfast at the hotel. Start riding to lake Sevan – worlds second highest and largest alpine freshwater lake. Continue to Noraduz village where hundred medieval and modern cross stones are laid. Continue riding towards Selim pass visiting Orbelians caravanserai and arrive to Jermuk town. Continue to Yeghegnadzor. Dinner and OVERNIGHT IN YEGHEGNADZOR.

#### **Day 4: Yeghegnadzor / Bgheno Noravank / Shinuhayr / Tatev / Kapan (220 km, 80 km dirt road)**

Breakfast at the hotel. Ride up to the fork of the road near Shunukh village. Take the dirt road with numerous serpentines running through picturesque mountains and arrive to Bgheno Noravank. Continue to Shinuhayr village and, (optional) take the worlds longest aerial tramway and arrive to glorious Tatev monastery. Continue riding to Kapan town. Dinner and OVERNIGHT IN KAPAN.

#### **Day 5 : Kapan / Shikahogh / Goris (240 km)**

Breakfast at the hotel. Start riding to Shikahogh reserve close to the border with Iran through a beautiful mountain range to admire the alley of plane trees. Return back with the same road have a stop in Goris town. Dinner and OVERNIGHT IN GORIS.

#### **Day 6: Goris / Khndzoresk / Karahoung / Hereher reserve / Yeghegnadzor (180 km, 65 km dirt road)**

Breakfast at the hotel. Drive to Khndzoresk old cave settlement close to Armenian Republic of Nagorno Kharabagh. Drive back towards Yeghegnadzor and visit Karahoung ancient astronomical observatory and Herher reserve. If season permits stop at beekeepers to taste honey. Dinner and OVERNIGHT IN YEGHEGNADZOR.

#### **Day 7 : Yeghegnadzor / Noravank / Khor Virap / Yerevan (190 km )**

Breakfast at the hotel. Drive Vayots dzor region and visit the beautiful Noravank monastery over the deep canyon. Return back to Yerevan visiting the Khor Virap monastery and the vineyards of Ararat valley. The monastery offers the best and the closest view to Biblical Mount Ararat. Dinner at a restaurant in Yerevan. OVERNIGHT IN YEREVAN.

#### **Day 8: Yerevan / Garni / Geghard / Yerevan (80 km)**



Breakfast at the hotel. Tour to Geghard cave monastery of 13<sup>th</sup> cen. UENSCO and Garni pagan temple of 1<sup>st</sup> cen. Lunch at a local house participating at Armenian traditional bread lavash baking process. Return back to Yerevan. Optional visit to Brandy factory. Farewell dinner at a restaurant.  
OVERNIGHT IN YEREVAN.

### **Day 9 : Departure**

Transfer to airport. Departure.

### TECHNICAL INFORMATION

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Moto rental

Yamaha XT660 Kawasaki KLR650

### **Terms**

- 24 hour rent
- Unlimited mileage
- Security lock
- Insurance of motorbikes

### **Requirements**

- Must be 21 years or older, passport
- Motorcycle license
- International driver license

### **EXPLORE ALSO THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS:**

**Moto tour Armenia + Georgia**

**Moto tour Armenia + Nagorno Kharabagh**

**Moto tour Armenia + Iran**