

California: Death Valley National Park



Did You Know?

Death Valley is home to the lowest elevation point in North America, with Badwater Basin lying 282 feet below sea level.

4 Days / 3 Nights | **Rating: Intermediate** | **Start / End: Las Vegas, NV**

See the Departure Dates and Pricing Details

 E-Bikes Available

Welcome to California's Death Valley, a sub-sea level basin that is home to stunning sand dunes, historic ghost towns, and mesmerizing color palettes. While the name and high temperature may be intimidating, this is one of the most surreally beautiful locations in the world. Start your Death Valley cycling trip with a beautiful bike ride through the Furnace Creek area, complete with views from Zabriskie Point and Harmony Borax Works, concluding the ride at The Inn at the Oasis. While Death Valley may be known for its warm winter temperatures, the accommodations at the Inn of Death Valley, a renowned desert oasis, offer respite from the dry desert heat. This luxury inn is surrounded by a canopy of palm gardens, and features a spring fed pool, making it no surprise that it was once a getaway for Hollywood elites. With the Inn as your home base, discover all that this desert gem has to offer. Explore the eerie ghost town of Rhyolite, home to abandoned streets and ominous statues that are fittingly reminiscent of ghosts. Walk upon the ancient lakebed of the Mesquite Sand Dunes and hike the stunning hills of Golden Canyon to Zabriskie Point for the most well-regarded view in all of Death Valley. This trip includes perhaps the most incredible sight of the week - a ride along Artist's Drive. This iconic road is named for the natural beauty of the eroded desert hills, which are composed of vibrant colors that come from the oxidation of minerals found within. Experience the best of this California's Mojave Desert on a Death Valley biking and hiking trip!

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“Sojourn is clearly a cut above other companies. This was our 10th or 11th bike trip and our 3rd with Sojourn. I think this was our best trip ever.” - Ellie Greenspan, Sojourn Guest

EXPERIENCES, NOT BIKE TOURS

While we love our cycling, it makes up only one facet of what a true Sojourn trip entails. We believe in immersing ourselves in local cultures and discovering the hidden gems of the world.

UNWAVERING ATTENTION TO SERVICE

Our commitment to provide you with unwavering service starts from the moment you first interact with the Sojourn team. We believe the little details matter and make the Sojourn vacation a life-list worthy experience for our guests.

REGIONAL PLANNING SPECIALISTS

From Vietnam to France to Glacier National Park, we are committed to offering exceptional trips in regions with which we are deeply familiar. We personally design and operate each of our trips.

PROFESSIONAL TRIP LEADERS

Gracious, engaging, and intelligent, our expert team of tour leaders consist of professionals from all walks of life and make exceptional travel companions. Always a step ahead, they are adept at everything from spinning wrenches to whipping up fabulous picnic lunches.

PREMIER ACCOMODATIONS

We carefully select from some of World's renowned hotels. From highly reviewed and acclaimed Maria Cristina in San Sebastian, Spain or the Reverie Saigon, Vietnam, one of the leading hotels in the World.

YOUR VACATION, YOUR PACE

We believe that at the end of the day, you are at the helm of your own vacation. We offer an array of day-to-day options to enable you to approach each day at your own pace.

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Day 1



Zabriskie Point, Harmony Borax Works, and the Inn at the Oasis – Welcome to Death Valley, one of America’s most surreally beautiful National Parks! Meet your tour leaders in Las Vegas at McCarran International Airport before shuttling to the Inn at the Oasis, one of the most iconic landmarks in Death Valley National Park. After arriving to the Inn and meeting guests who drove to the tour, we will fit you to your bike, provide a light lunch, and cover safety and cycling techniques.

GOOD TO KNOW

Every Sojourn trip is different in their own unique ways. We want you to be aware of them so that you can only have the best experiences possible. Please know, whichever trip you choose we are committed to make it the trip of a lifetime!

Your accommodations for the trip are part of the Oasis at the Inn of Death Valley, a luxurious desert getaway that was once a frequent stay for Hollywood elites, including Marlon Brando and Clark Gable. This stunning property was recently renovated and features lush grounds, filled with gorgeous palm trees and the relaxing sounds of bubbling springs. After settling into your rooms, enjoy a welcome reception and dinner at the Oasis.

LODGING:
The Inn at Death Valley
760-786-2345 www.oasisatdeathvalley.com

CYCLING OPTIONS:
17.5 Miles

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Day 2



Rhyolite and Mesquite Sand Dunes - After breakfast, take a short shuttle from the inn to Rhyolite, a once bustling locale that is now home to abandoned homes, crumbling businesses, and mysterious statues that populate the town. This ghost town began as a gold mining camp, attracting gold-seekers from all over in search of riches from the nearby Montgomery Shoshone Mine. However, it swiftly declined, and now stands as a reminder of California's gold rush, with barren streets and only a few buildings left standing. After exploring Rhyolite, continue on to Stovepipe Wells, a small village that will be the site for today's lunch.

Following lunch, explore the Mesquite Sand Dunes, one of the most popular landmarks in Death Valley National Park. Walk around and discover the alluring shapes of the crescent, linear, and star shaped dunes found here, stepping over the ancient, cracked lake bed that they lie upon. Dinner tonight will be held at the Last Kind Words Saloon and Steakhouse, one of the crown jewels of the Oasis property.

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CYCLING OPTIONS:

31 Miles
33 Miles
57 Miles

Day 3



Artist Palette and Badwater Basin – Today's ride will take you through one of, if not the, most visually stunning areas in Death Valley - Artist's Palette. The ride begins with a route that travels to Badwater Basin, the lowest point in all of North America, laying 282 feet below sea level. The basin features an expansive landscape of salt flats, providing an otherworldly experience to walk upon. From Badwater Basin, shuttle to the top of Artist's Palette for a mesmerizing ride back to the hotel. The route features incredible views of the surrounding hills, which have taken on a distinct rainbow of colors due to the oxidation of the minerals found throughout, a sight that is sure to not be forgotten soon. Upon returning to the hotel, enjoy your final evening at the property before our last dinner together at the Inn Dining Room.

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CYCLING OPTIONS:

28 or 39 Miles

Hiking Golden Canyon to Red Cathedral – Our last day is our day to hike, starting at the appropriately named hills and twists of Golden Canyon, a labyrinth that leads to the final destination of Red Cathedral, which is sure to be awe-inspiring. This is one of the most noteworthy points of interest in all of Death Valley, with views that overlook the colorful badlands and the salt flats that lie in the main valley.

KEEPING YOU POSTED

We're constantly looking for ways to enhance our trips. We'll do our best to notify you of any changes in this itinerary. Other changes may be communicated to you on the trip by your leaders.

After taking in all of the incredible sights, return to the Inn at Death Valley for lunch. Following lunch, guests who are leaving from Las Vegas will be transported a little over two hours there.

HIKING OPTIONS:
3 Miles





The Death Valley Inn, Death Valley

A desert oasis built in 1927, The historic Inn at Death Valley was once the exclusive desert escape for such Hollywood elites as Marlon Brando and Clark Gable. This luxury hotel features stunning palm gardens and a spring-fed pool. **(3 nights)**

California 190

Death Valley, CA 93238

<https://www.oasisatdeathvalley.com/lodging/the-inn-at-death-valley/> | 760.786.2345



The Death Valley Inn



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| TOUR START | 9:30 AM pickup at the Hampton Inn Las Vegas Airport |
| TOUR CONCLUSION | 3:30 PM drop-off at McCarran International Airport |
| TRAVEL TO/FROM TOUR | Fly into Las Vegas' McCarran International Airport. Parking available at LAS for those driving to tour. |
| DAYS/NIGHTS | 4 Days/3 Nights |
| INCLUDED MEALS | All breakfasts, 3 lunches, and 2 dinners. |
| ACTIVITIES | Cycling, hiking. |

Dates & Pricing



[HERE](#) are the Departure Dates and Pricing Details.



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What's Included?

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| EQUIPMENT | Road or hybrid bike, helmet, rear light, seat bag for road bike or rack bag for hybrid, map case, water bottle, and jersey. Bring clipless pedals, seat, or helmet for a more personalized fit. |
| VAN SUPPORT | Rides supported by a Sojourn van as well as a tour leader on a bicycle. |
| TOUR LEADERS | Two experienced tour leaders guide each trip from start to finish. |
| RIDE NOURISHMENT | A selection of snacks and refreshments are supplied throughout all rides. |
| RIDE INFORMATION | Detailed route directions, maps, and a daily briefing are provided. |
| OFFICE SUPPORT | At your service 9:00am – 6:00pm EST, Monday – Friday. 802-425-4771 |
| DETAILED INFORMATION | A full complement of detailed trip and travel information will be provided upon confirmation of reservation. |
| E-BIKES & TANDEMS | Electric Assist Bikes are available on all tours where permitted (conditions apply). Tandems are also available on our US and Canada tours for an additional fee. Call us at 1-802-425-4771 for details. |

Weather

Death Valley, CA

| Average | | | | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|------|------|-----|-----|
| High °F | 87° | 98° | 102° | 100° | 92° | 79° |
| Low °F | 60° | 69° | 76° | 73° | 65° | 53° |
| Precip. Inches | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.7 |

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