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KHAMMAM

KHAMMAM | BHADRADRI KOTHAGUDEM



Tourist map of Khammam



KHAMMAM

Khammam is a place steeped in glorious history with a spread of natural beauty. Dense forests, sparkling brooks and cascading waterfalls add to the overall beauty of this land. If temples of intricate craftsmanship uplift your mood, the historic forts and monuments will take your mind to times long past. Khammam is indeed a place where you could get lost in its breathtaking and awe-inspiring beauty.

KHAMMAM FORT

Khammam fort has a fascinating and checkered history. Built in 950 AD by the Kakatiyas, the fort stands majestically in its granite structure in the centre of Khammam town. In 1512, the fort was taken over by Qutb Shahi dynasty. Subsequently, it passed into the hands of Asaf Jahis in the 17th Century. Even after countless years of diverse dynasties' ruling, the pristine glory of the fort is still intact.

FAST FACTS

-  District : Bhadradi Kothagudem
-  197 km from Hyderabad
-  Bhadrachalam railway station (15 km)
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad (328 km)
-  Hariitha Hotel Bhadrachalam
-  Best time to visit: Oct - May



PARNASALA

Parnasala is a breathtakingly beautiful scenic spot. Legend has it that Lord Rama, during his 14-year exile, stopped and rested in this spot. It is said that it was here that Rama killed the Asura Meercha who came disguised as the golden deer with the intention of luring Sita. Serpentine through this beautiful forest-like area is a river, which is an idyllic picnic spot for nature lovers.

FAST FACTS

-  District : Bhadradi Kothagudem
-  347 km from Hyderabad
-  Bhadrachalam Railway Station (15 km)
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad (328 km)
-  Hariatha Hotel, Bhadrachalam

KUSUMANCHI

SRI RAMALINGESWARA TEMPLE



Kusumanchi is one of the biggest Shiva Lingams installed in the Ganapeswara temple, which was built during the dynamic reign of Kakatiya dynasty. The Shiva Linga, which measures three metres in height and two metres in radius, is one of the most popular ones this side of the nation.

KALLUR

SRI VENUGOPAL SWAMY TEMPLE



Rudrama Devi, who was a queen of the Kakatiya dynasty, built this temple 400 years ago. Within the close vicinity of this temple is another popular temple of Lord Shiva. This is constructed by the Kakatiya King, Pratapa Rudra. The speciality is that it has multiple lingas and a huge water tank.

GARLA

SRI NARASIMHA SWAMY TEMPLE

Built in the 15th century, during the rule of Kakatiya kings, this renowned temple boasts of interesting architecture. The temple walls are beautifully chiseled into sculptures.



ANNAPUREDDY PALLY



This 700-year-old temple is an architectural masterpiece. Built by the Kakatiya rulers, the temple captures the essence of south Indian culture and heritage. The beautiful sculptures adorning the temple walls and pillars further elevate the significance of the religious architecture.

FAST FACTS

- District : Khammam
- 184 km from Hyderabad
- Khammam Railway Station (21 km)
- RGI Airport, Hyderabad (328 km)
- Haritha Hotel, Bhadrachalam

FAST FACTS

- District : Khammam
- 48 km from Khammam
- Khammam Railway Station (21 km)
- RGI Airport, Hyderabad (328 km)

FAST FACTS

- District : Khammam
- 37 kms from Khammam
- Khammam Railway Station
- RGI Airport, Hyderabad (328 km)

FAST FACTS

- District : Khammam
- 286 km from Hyderabad
- Khammam Railway Station (21 km)
- RGI Airport, Hyderabad (328 km)
- Haritha Hotel, Bhadrachalam

NELAKONDAPALLI

BUDDHIST ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE

This historical site with mud-fortified walls covers a staggering 100 acres. Excavations have unearthed foundations of brick Viharas, wells, cisterns, a Maha Stupa, terracotta figurines, a bronze idol of Buddha, a miniature stupa carved in limestone and other materials belonging to 3rd and 4th centuries AD. The stupa found here is locally called Viratrajgadde or Erradibba. It is believed that Pandavas spent the last year of their twelve year exile in this place, by working in the palace of Virata Raja. This is also the birth place of Kancherlagoppana (Bhaktaramadas)

FAST FACTS

-  District : Khammam
-  193 km from Hyderabad
-  Khammam Railway Station (21 km)
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad (328 km)

SRI SITA RAMACHANDRA SWAMY TEMPLE

This is perhaps one of the most holy temples. Situated on the banks of River Godavari, legend has it that Lord Rama has descended from heavens to bless sage Bhadra who fervently prayed to god to reside in this place. The temple assumes the name Bhadrachalam after the sage's name. Sri Rama Navami is celebrated with much grandeur. The jewellery offered to Goddess Sita by Bhakta Ramadas is also on display. Dhyana Mandir is an excellent spot for meditation and provides an awesome view from atop.



FAST FACTS

-  District : Bhadradi Kothagudem
-  320 km from Hyderabad
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad (328 km)
-  Haritha Hotel, Bhadrachalam
-  4:30 am - 1 pm & 3 pm - 8:30 pm

KINNERASANI SANCTUARY

Spread over a vast area of 34 sq. km, the Kinnerasani Sanctuary forms an integral part of Dandakarnaya forests in Khammam. The place derives its name from Kinnerasani river that crosses the sanctuary before merging with the Godavari River. The sanctuary boasts of a wide variety of flora and fauna, including the Tiger, Gaur, Python, etc. Within the sanctuary is a reservoir that attracts animals and birds alike. A glass guest house, an ecological park and an environmental education centre are other attractions.

FAST FACTS

-  District : Bhadradi Kothagudem
-  97 km from Khammam
-  Bhadrachalam Railway Station
-  RGI Airport, Hyderabad (328 km)
-  Haritha Hotel, Bhadrachalam
-  Best time to visit: Oct - May



JAMALAPURAM

SRI VENTAKESHWARA SWAMY TEMPLE



This temple is believed to be a self-manifested one. In other words, it is a "Swayambhoo" and "Swayam Vyakta". Believed to be more than a 1000 years old, many devotees visit this temple to seek the blessings of the presiding deity. The temple witnesses a huge crowd of devotees on Saturdays.

FAST FACTS

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 83 km from Khammam

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 Haritha Hotel, Bhadrachalam



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