



# C.S. SANTOSH

AGE : 33  
NATIONALITY : INDIAN



HAVING SPENT MORE THAN A DECADE RACING MOTORBIKES ACROSS THE WORLD'S MOST CHALLENGING TERRAINS, C.S. SANTOSH HAS BEEN AWARDED THE TITLE OF "INDIA'S MOST ACCOMPLISHED RIDER" ON MANY OCCASIONS. HE HAS WON EVERYTHING THAT IS THERE TO WIN IN INDIA, AND IS NOW COMPETING WITH THE BEST OF THE BEST IN THE INTERNATIONAL RALLY ARENA. IN 2017, HE BECAME THE FIRST AND THE ONLY INDIA TO HAVE FINISHED THE DAKAR TWICE.

WITH SOLID START IN MERZOUGA AND OILIBYA RALLIES IN 2016 WITH HERO MOTOSPORTS TEAM RALLY, SANTOSH IS GROWING IN CONFIDENCE WITH EVERY OUTING. IF THE RESULTS ARE ANYTHING TO GO BY, A PERSONAL BEST OF 13 TH PLACE FINISH AT THE RECENTLY CONCLUDED OILBYA RALLY, 2017 BODES PROMISING FOR THE TEAM.



NOW WITH A FULL YEAR OF EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING BEHIND HIM IN LEADING THE RIDER DUTIES FOR HERO MOTOSPORTS TEAM RALLY, SANTOSH IS LOOKING IN FORMIDABLE FORM FOR ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL CONQUEST AT THE DAKAR 2018.



## 2016

**MERZOUGA** : 16<sup>TH</sup> PLACE  
**OILIBYA** : 32<sup>ND</sup> PLACE

## 2017

**DAKAR** : 47<sup>TH</sup> PLACE  
**DESERT STORM** : 3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE  
**MERZOUGA** : 17<sup>TH</sup> PLACE  
**OILIBYA** : 13<sup>TH</sup> PLACE

