

# Bike Gum: The First Circumnavigation of Yorkshire by Electric Bicycle (Possibly)

By Mark Watson

In the summer of 2021, Mark Watson set out on an ambitious journey: to cycle around the entire county of Yorkshire, England, on an electric bicycle. He had never cycled more than 50 miles in a day before, and he had no idea if he would be able to complete the 500-mile route. But he was determined to give it a go, and he packed his bags with a sense of adventure and a lot of spare batteries.



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Mark's journey took him through some of the most beautiful and varied countryside in England, from the rolling hills of the Yorkshire Dales to the rugged coastline of the North York Moors. He encountered a cast of colorful characters along the way, including a group of Morris dancers, a flock of sheep, and a very friendly cow. He also had his fair share of mishaps, including a puncture, a broken chain, and a near-collision with a car. But

through it all, he kept his sense of humor and his determination to finish the ride.

In the end, Mark completed his circumnavigation of Yorkshire in just over two weeks. It was a challenging journey, but it was also an incredibly rewarding one. He saw some amazing sights, met some wonderful people, and learned a lot about himself. And he proved that anything is possible if you set your mind to it, even if you're riding an electric bicycle.

### **Praise for Bike Gum**



***““A hilarious and heartwarming account of one man's epic bike ride around Yorkshire. Mark Watson is a gifted storyteller, and his book is full of wit, wisdom, and adventure.” - Alan Bennett”***



***““A must-read for anyone who loves cycling, Yorkshire, or a good laugh. Mark Watson's writing is as sharp as his wit, and his book is a joy from start to finish.” - Victoria Coren Mitchell”***



***““An inspiring and entertaining tale of one man's journey to the edge of his physical and mental limits. Mark Watson is a master of self-deprecation, and his book is a laugh-out-loud funny account of his adventures on two wheels.” - Simon Armitage”***

## About the Author

Mark Watson is a comedian, writer, and broadcaster. He has written six novels, including *The Knot* and *Eleven*, and three non-fiction books, including *How to be Happy (Even When You're Not)*. He has also written and starred in several television shows, including *Mark Watson's Live Show* and *Mark Watson's Brain Dump*.

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### ### Alt Attributes

- Mark Watson riding an electric bicycle through the Yorkshire countryside (image of the author on his bike) - A map of Yorkshire with the route of Mark Watson's bike ride marked on it (map of Yorkshire) - A group of Morris dancers performing in a field (image of Morris dancers) - A flock of sheep grazing in a field (image of sheep) - A cow standing in a field (image of a cow) - Mark Watson standing next to his electric bicycle, looking exhausted but happy (image of the author after completing his bike ride)



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