

# MOTORCYCLE SAFETY

## **▲ WARNING**

- \* **Motorcycle riding requires special efforts on your part to ensure your safety. Know these requirements before you ride:**

## **SAFE RIDING RULES**

1. Always make a pre-ride inspection (page 32) and perform any needed adjustments or repairs before you ride the motorcycle. You may prevent an accident or equipment damage.
2. This motorcycle has been designed and constructed as an *operator-only model*. There are no provisions for carrying passengers safely. Vehicle stability and control may be severely affected. Never carry passengers.
3. Many accidents involve inexperienced riders. Most states require a special riding test or licence. Make sure you are qualified before you ride. **NEVER** lend your motorcycle to an inexperienced rider.
4. Many automobile/motorcycle accidents happen because the automobile driver does not “see” the rider. Make yourself conspicuous to help avoid the accident that wasn’t your fault:
  - Wear bright or reflective clothing.
  - Don’t ride in another motorist’s “blind spot.”