

A few words about safety

Your safety and the safety of others is very important. Operating this motorcycle safely is an important responsibility.

To help you make informed decisions about safety, we have provided operating procedures and other information on safety labels and in this manual. This information alerts you to potential hazards that could hurt you or others.

Of course, it is not practical or possible to warn you about all hazards associated with operating or maintaining a motorcycle. Therefore, you must use common sense.

You will find important safety information in several forms, including:

- Safety labels on the motorcycle.
- Safety Messages preceded by a safety alert symbol and one of three safety words: DANGER, WARNING, or CAUTION.

These safety messages mean:

2 DANGER

You **WILL** be **KILLED** or **SERIOUSLY HURT** if you don't follow instructions.

2 WARNING

You **MAY** be **KILLED** or **SERIOUSLY HURT** if you don't follow instructions.

2 CAUTION

You **MAY** be **HURT** if you don't follow instructions.

Other important information is also included under the following titles:

NOTICE

Information intended to help you prevent damage to your motorcycle, other property or the environment.