

Lisa Smith-Batchen & Dean Karnazes

Dean Karnazes. Training for 100 mile ultra-marathon. Covered 2,500 miles in 6 months. Consumed 8 gallons of water in a single race.

Running a single marathon is a daunting challenge. Running one four times in a row borders on the impossible. And for ultra-endurance athletes like Dean Karnazes and Lisa Smith, the distance is just the beginning. Add to that 5-digit elevation changes, temperature variances from blistering heat to ice storms, and the result is a race where simply finishing becomes an achievement in and of itself. The North Face. Trail running footwear and performance clothing. Apparel made with Polartec® Power Dry® fabric to keep you dry and comfortable under any circumstances.

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