

Hebrews 11:1 (NIV)

**Now faith is being sure of what
we hope for and certain of
what we do not see.**

Hebrews 11:4-5 (NIV)

[4] By faith Abel offered God a better sacrifice than Cain did. By faith he was commended as a righteous man, when God spoke well of his offerings. And by faith he still speaks, even though he is dead. [5] By faith Enoch was taken from this life, so that he did not experience death; he could not be found, because God had taken him away. For before he was taken, he was commended as one who pleased God.

Hebrews 11:6-7 (NIV)

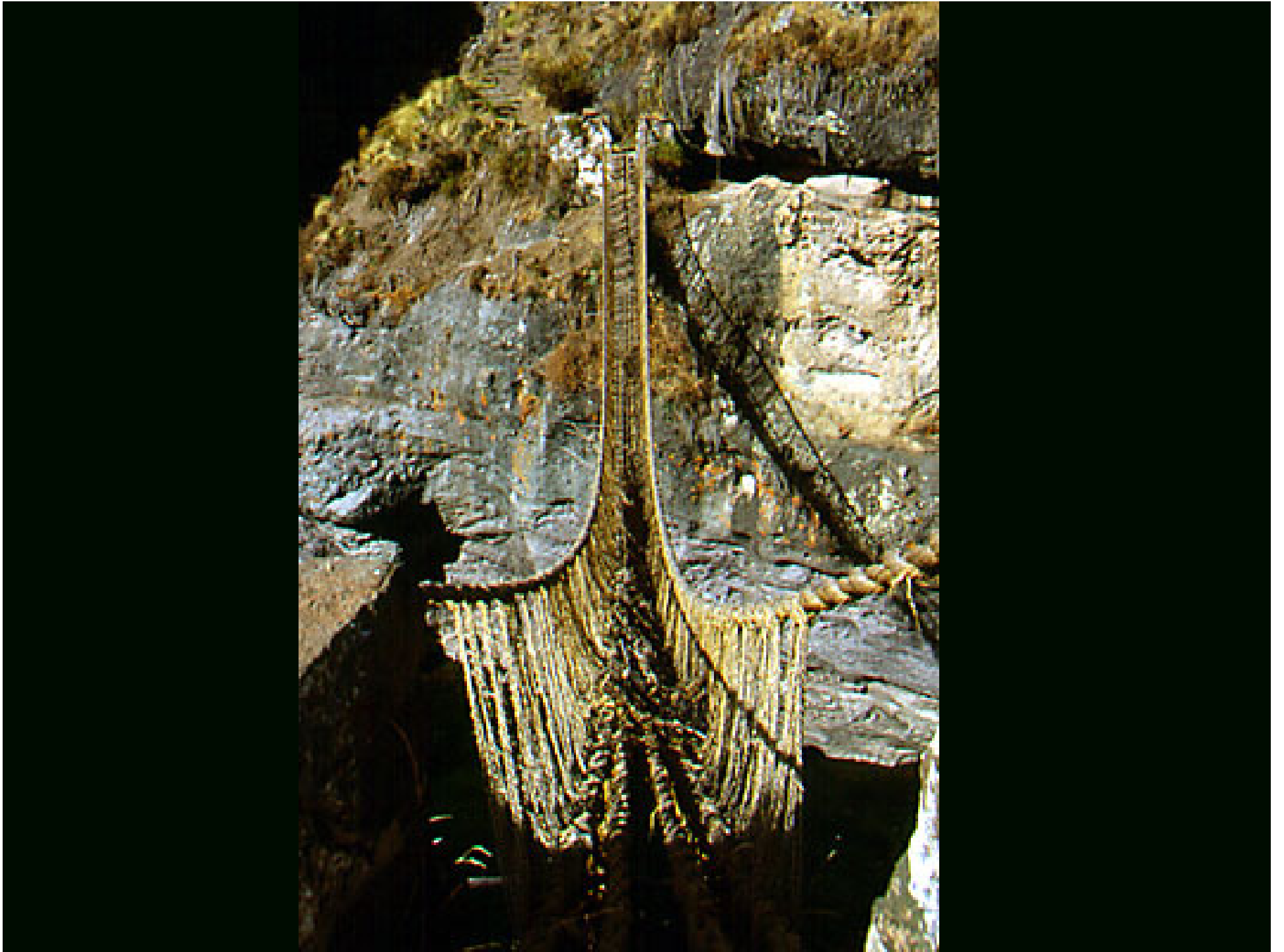
[6] And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him. [7] By faith Noah, when warned about things not yet seen, in holy fear built an ark to save his family. By his faith he condemned the world and became heir of the righteousness that comes by faith.

**Is it IMPOSSIBLE to
Please God?**

Hebrews 11:4-7









→ Biblical **FAITH** requires
that we stake our **lives**
on the **TRUTH** of God's Word.

Genesis 4:3-5 (NIV)

In the course of time Cain brought some of the fruits of the soil as an offering to the LORD.

[4] But Abel brought fat portions from some of the **FIRSTBORN** of his flock.

The LORD looked with FAVOR ON Abel and his offering, [5] but on Cain and his offering he did **NOT look with FAVOR.**

So Cain was very angry, and his face was downcast.

Genesis 5:22 (NIV)

And after he became the father of
Methuselah,

Enoch WALKED WITH GOD

300 years and had other sons and
daughters.

Genesis 5:24 (NIV)

Enoch WALKED WITH GOD;

then he was no more, because God
took him away.

Amos 3:3 (NIV)

**Do two walk together
unless they have
agreed to do so?**

Colossians 3:1-2 (NASU)

...keep seeking the things above,
where Christ is, seated at the
right hand of God. **Set your mind**
on the things above, not on the
things that are on earth.

Matthew 11:28-30 (NIV)

**Come to ME, all you who are
WEARY and BURDENED,
and I will give you REST.**

[29] Take **MY YOKE** upon you and
LEARN from ME, for I am gentle and
humble in heart, and you
will find REST for your souls.

[30] For **MY YOKE** is easy and my
burden is light.





Walking Together Requires Agreement on...

- the **PLACE**
- the **PATH**
- the **PACE**

**RESULT of Walking with God -
a Close and Intimate
Relationship with Him**

Genesis 6:9 (NIV)

...Noah was a **righteous man,**
blameless among
the people of his time,
and he WALKED with God.

Genesis 6:22 (NIV)

Noah did **EVERYTHING**

just as

God **COMMANDED** him.

→ BOLDNESS
- NOT -
RUDENESS

WE MUST...

- Stand **FIRM** in our **FAITH**
- **BOLDLY** and **OBEDIENTLY** Live out our **FAITH** everyday

Hebrews 11:6 (NIV)

**And without faith it is
IMPOSSIBLE to please God,**
because anyone who comes to
him must believe that he exists
and that **he rewards those who
earnestly seek him.**

FAITH is Believing...

- God is **WHO** He says **HE** is
- God **Does WHAT** He **Promises** to do

Question

- 1. When is Faith Easy?**
- 2. What can we do at those times?**
- 3. How can we WALK with HIM?**