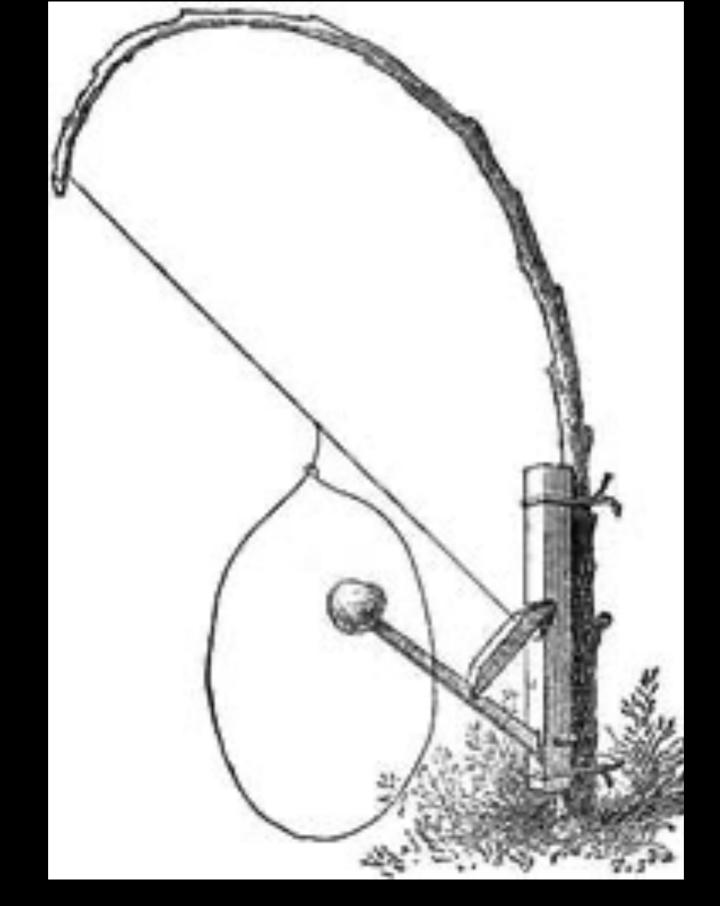
Sitting at the Feet of Jesus

Millstones, Mustard Seeds, and Mulberry Trees

Luke 17:1-10

Luke 17:1-2 Jesus said to the disciples, "It is impossible that no offenses should come, but woe to him through whom they do come! It would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck and then were thrown into the sea, than to cause one of these little ones to stumble. So watch yourselves."



Skandalon- Bent Stick

Romans 14:13 Therefore let us stop passing judgement on one another. Instead, make up your mind not to put any stumbling block or obstacle in the way of a brother or sister.

Romans 16:17 Now I urge you brethren, take note of those who cause divisions and offenses, contrary to the doctrine which you learned and avoid them.



Luke 17:3-4 "If your brother or sister sins against you, rebuke them; and if they repent, forgive them. Even if they sin against you seven times in a day and seven times come back to you saying, 'I repent,' you must forgive them."

Galatians 5:22 But the fruit of the spirit is love, joy, peace, long-suffering, kindness, goodness and faithfulness.

Ephesians 4:2 With all lowliness and gentleness, with longsuffering bearing with one another in love.

Luke 17:5 The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!"

Religious Leaders-Forgive 3 times Peter-Forgive 7 times? Jesus-Forgive 77 times - Matthew 18 7 times a day- Luke 17

Luke 17:6 If you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to the mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea" and it will obey you.

John 13:35 By this everyone will know that you are my disciples - if you love one another.



Servants -Doing what they are supposed to do.

The same way we are supposed to what God has called us to do. Which includes loving and forgiving in a radical way.

Ephesians 4:31-33 Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other just as in Christ, God forgave you. Follow God's example therefore as dearly loved children and walk in the way of love just as Christ loved us.