

## Belhaven Bridge Dunbar Scotland – The Bridge to Nowhere



Belhaven Bridge, known as the 'Bridge to Nowhere', is a bridge across the Biel Water. The Biel Water is a stream that runs from the Luggate Burn through the village of Biel into Belhaven Bay.

The bridge is something of a misnomer because at low tide it is actually used by locals to cross the stream and enter Belhaven Bay beach. However, after the tide comes in, water rushes in and fills the surrounding land, isolating the bridge.



This bridge which is only of any use at certain times of the day when the tide is out. When the tide is in, it is only "for the birds".

It reminds me that sometimes when I think I am doing God's work and it seems really hard and ineffective I am actually doing things in my own strength. It may be that God's agenda is different - His timing different. I need to wait for His "tide".

***"For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways," declares the LORD. "As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts". Isaiah 55 v8-9***

I do need to learn to become more sensitive to the guidance from the Holy Spirit and be aware that sometimes it is better to wait for His gentle nudge and recognise His timing.