Tower Bridge is a combined bascule and suspension bridge in London, England over the River Thames. The bridge consists of two towers which are tied together at the upper level by means of two horizontal walkways which are designed to withstand the horizontal forces exerted by the suspended sections of the bridge to the left and the right. The vertical component of the forces in the suspended sections and the vertical reactions of the two walkways are carried by the two robust towers. It is close to the Tower of London, which gives it its name. It has become an iconic symbol of London. Originally designed by Horace Jones, the bridge was officially opened on 30 June 1894 by The Prince of Wales and his wife, The Princess of Wales.
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