10. The angle of each half of the rope, measured from the dashed line, is

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{0.30\,\text{m}}{9.0\,\text{m}}\right) = 1.9°.$$

Analyzing forces at the "kink" (where $\vec{F}$ is exerted) we find

$$T = \frac{F}{2\sin\theta} = \frac{550\,\text{N}}{2\sin 1.9°} = 8.3\times10^{3}\ \text{N}.$$