Jeremiah 7:1-8:3

"deceptive words" (7:4, 8)

Jeremiah 7:1-8:3

"You shall die!" (26:8)

"Worship" without repentance. (7:1-15)

"Do not trust in these deceptive words: 'This is the temple of the LORD, the temple of the LORD, the temple of the LORD." (7:4)

"Worship" without repentance. (7:1-15)

"Rabbit-Foot Theology" – Dale Ralph Davis

"Worship" without repentance. (7:1-15)

Lie #1: Gods' promises make us untouchable.

Praying without listening. (7:16-28)

"As for you, do not pray for this people ..." (7:16)

- Jeremiah (11:14; 14:11)
- Themselves (14:21)
- Moses & Samuel (15:1)

Praying without listening. (7:16-28)

"If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you." (John 15:7)

Praying without listening. (7:16-28)

Lie #2: I can always pray and God will help me.

"Dedication" without holiness. (7:29-8:3)

"Cut off your hair and cast it away ..." (7:29)

"Dedication" without holiness. (7:29-8:3)

"... this picture of despair, guilt and isolation portrays the pains of hell; of being finally told, 'Depart from me ..." –Derek Kidner

"Dedication" without holiness. (7:29-8:3)

Lie #3: Sacrifice is the same as obedience.

