**QUOTES from:**

***Lies We Tell Ourselves***

**How to Say No to Temptation and Put an End to Compromise**

by Greg Laurie

James 1:2-4 🡒 ***Whenever trouble comes your way, let it be an opportunity for joy.*** *For when your faith is tested, your endurance has a chance to grow. So let it grow, for when your endurance is fully developed, you will be strong in character and ready for anything. God blesses the people who patiently endure testing.* (New Living Translation)

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Thoughts on Hebrews 4:14-16, on Jesus being our great High Priest: ***Fundamentally, our Lord’s message was Himself.*** *He did come merely to preach a gospel; He himself is that gospel. He did not come merely to give bread; He said, “I am the bread.” He did not come merely to shed light; He said, “I am the light.” He did not come merely to show the door; He said, “I am the door.” He did not come merely to name a shepherd; He said, “I am the shepherd.” He did not come merely to point the way; He said, “I am the way, the truth, and the life.”*

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