

Anyone can memorize!

Try these helpful tips if you're having trouble...

- A. Practice it one sentence, or one phrase at a time. As you repeat it (out loud!), picture it, if it depicts an image or story. If not, picture the words in your mind as you recite it, as you saw it on the page you read it from.
- B. Repeat it using different dynamics and emphasis. Decide which words to emphasize in order to give its meaning the highest impact. Pretend you are the original narrator of the story, whether it is Paul, or Jesus, or a songwriter, whomever. Ask yourself, how did they wish to communicate the message?
- C. When you are comfortable with one phrase, memorize the next one, first reciting it separately, then connected to the previous phrase. As you add phrases, recite the passages often during the day. You will memorize more easily, if you memorize in short segments throughout the day, rather than in one long session only once a day.