# THE GOSPELIN COLORS MENORY FINANCE SERVING SE

AND STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMORIZING BIBLE VERSES AT ANY AGE





# **HOW TO MEMORIZE EFFECTIVELY**

Every Christian should develop the skill of memorizing Bible verses. Begin today and use these techniques to add powerful tools to your Gospel toolbox. Make Scripture memory a lasting habit, and watch God's Word grow in your heart!

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## Repetition

To commit verses to short-term memory, say or write each one 5 to 7 times a day for a week.

Use the Gospel Tools GIC flashcards to assist you.

### Duration

Duration is taking a break from Repetition. So, say or write each verse 5 to 7 times a day for a week and then take a break for a week.

Repeat the Repetition–Duration process until the verses become part of your long-term memory.

# Engagement

Engagement brings the intensity that activates the work done during Repetition and Duration.

God didn't make us robots; He gave us emotions, personality, and talents! All of these aid in the memorization process – use them!

# ENGAGEMENT THE KEY TO MEMORIZATION



#### Creative activities for kids or adults.



Create a motion for each verse or keyword.



#### **Silly Voices**

Use funny accents, characters, or random "voice sticks."



#### **Exercise**

While saying a verse, do jumping jacks, march in place, etc. (use something different for each one)



#### **Window Writing**

Use eraseable markers on a window or white board for the "erase game."



#### Songs

Make up a song or find one. Even familiar tunes like "Yankee Doodle" may work!



#### **Flashcards**

Print off the
GIC Flashcards in this
kit to quiz yourself or a
friend.

Using Repetition and Duration along with the **Gospel Tools GIC Flashcards** (located on the next page), you can begin memorizing the five colors, their meaning, and the Bible verse/s for each color.

Then give a friend the flashcards and ask them to follow along as you recite, from memory, the color, meaning, and verse/s on each flashcard. Your ability to share the Gospel effectively will grow as you do this.

#### **GIC Flashcard Printing Recommendation**

For best results please take the **Gospel in Colors Flashcards** to your local print/copy store to have them printed on thick card stock.

(FOR LONGEVITY, ALSO HAVE THEM LAMINATED)



#### YELLOW

#### **GOD LOVES YOU AND HAS A PLAN FOR YOUR LIFE**

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

#### **BLACK**



For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of <u>God</u>.

#### **BLACK**



For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### RED

#### **CHRIST DIED FOR OUR SINS**

But God commendeth His love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

#### WHITE

#### **FORGIVENESS**

That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised Him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.

#### **GREEN**

#### **GROWING AND GOING**

And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. **JOHN 3:16** 

**ROMANS 3:23** 

**ROMANS 6:23** 

**ROMANS 5:8** 

**ROMANS 10:9** 

**MARK 16:15**