



1. The 2023-2024 “**Master Memorization Award**” is available to quizzers, grades 6-12, and to all Bible Quiz coaches and officials. The Master Memorization Award rules and guidelines apply to all participants (quizzers, coaches, and officials) who are working on their 2024 Master Memorization Award.
2. The coach or official to whom the quizzer quotes **must not be a parent or family member**. If the coach or official is a parent or family member of the quizzer, the quizzer must quote to another coach or official in the church. In the event that the parent or family member is the only Bible Quiz coach or official in the church, the quizzer may quote to their youth pastor, youth sponsor, senior pastor, league coordinator, district coordinator, or another adult who has a firm understanding of the quoting rules.
3. **All 21 chapters** must be quoted in one sitting, within a **45-minute time limit**, to a Bible Quiz coach or official (or one of the above, named persons). Quoting must be done with each verse, section, and chapter in chronological order to a Bible Quiz coach or official (or one of the above-named persons) clearly and distinctly so that each word is understood. Participants may not quote verses, sections, or chapters out of order or backwards.
4. The quizzer is permitted ten mistakes for the entirety of the material when quoting both Romans and James. Each word that is omitted, repeated, added, or changed counts as one mistake. If a quizzer corrects himself or herself, the correction still counts as a mistake.
5. At the end of quoting the entire books of Romans and James, if the quizzer has 11 mistakes or more both books must again be quoted in a 45-minute time limit to obtain the Master Memorization Award. The quizzer may attempt to quote the books of Romans and James as many times as necessary to achieve their Master Memorization Award.
6. All Contender and XP5 quizzers are eligible for the Master Memorization Award. However, these quizzers must quote the books of Romans and James in their entirety (**all 21 chapters**), in accordance with the above guidelines, in order to receive the Master Memorization Award.
7. **All National Memorization Award guidelines remain in effect for this award.**
8. Forms for the Master Memorization Award must be submitted to your District Bible Quiz Coordinator (DBQC) with the time that was taken to quote both books (time should be recorded in minutes) and the date on which the books were quoted. A coach's signature is required for all participants who are submitting a form for their Master Memorization Award. The coach's signature signifies that all guidelines for the Master Memorization Award were met.
9. The District BQ Coordinator will submit the names of all people, from their district, who have satisfied the above requirements to the National BQ Coordinator at pastorbernie@biblequiz.com by **May 3, 2024**. Each district can set an earlier deadline for their own district awards.