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Key Bible Verse:
1 Samuel 13:13 (NIV)
"You have done a foolish thing," Samuel said. "You have not kept the command the Lord your God gave you."

Ways to Memorize:

1. Rhyme:
"Oh Saul, oh Saul, what did you do?
You didn't obey, that's true, that's true.
Samuel said, 'You've been foolish today.'
Remember God's rules, and don't stray."

2. Song:
Sing the verse to the tune of "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star":
"You have done a foolish thing,
Samuel said, not obeying.
God gave you a command,
You didn’t listen or stand.
You have done a foolish thing,
Samuel said, not obeying."

3. Motions:
- "Foolish thing" - Tap your temple with your index finger.
- "Samuel said" - Point outwards as if speaking.
- "Not kept the command" - Cross your arms in an X.
- "The Lord your God" - Point upwards.
- "Gave you" - Hold out your hands as if giving something.

4. Challenge:
Practice a "Verse Relay." Have a group of students form a line. The first student says the first word, the next student says the next word, and so on, until the entire verse is completed. Repeat until the group can say the verse smoothly and quickly.