

## GET *Inspired*

It's hard to achieve success in country music because in most cases, an artist will experience many disappointments and rejections along the way. But don't give up hope. Sometimes the difference between those who make it, and those who don't is one word: **perseverance**. Never give up.

**Here are 5 quick tips to reignite your fire!**

1. Go back to the the first thing that inspired you to want to pursue music as your career. Watch a performance or listen to the song that first sparked a musical interest in you.
2. Search for new music. Look through streaming platforms, YouTube or the good old fashioned radio and listen to some new music to inspire you.
3. Get tickets to see a live performance. There is nothing that will feed your soul more than seeing music being played live, right in front of you.
4. Force it. Sometimes you've just gotta fake it 'til you make it.
5. Collaborate. Lean on someone else to help bring out the best in you.

And don't forget: Every episode of Country Music Success Stories is full of wisdom, advice & inspiring words. Listen to what these stars say and do it!!!

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