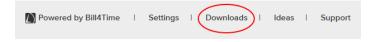
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## QuickBooks Connect Guide 2018

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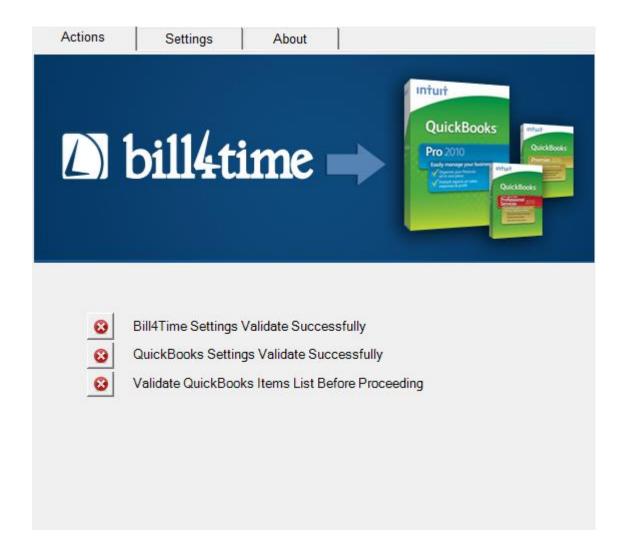
### Part I - Downloading the Application

- 1. Log into your Bill4Time account and scroll to the bottom of the page.
- 2. Click on the **Downloads** link.
- 3. Click on the **Bill4Time QB Connect** link on the Downloads page.



Downloads link

- 4. Click Run and then the Bill4Time QuickBooks Connector Setup will appear.
- 5. Follow the steps of the setup and click **Install** when prompted.
- 6. Click Finish and the QuickBooks Connector will launch. Proceed to Part II.



### Part II – Entering Settings (QuickBooks Pro/Premiere/Enterprise)

### **Entering Your Settings**

For QuickBooks Pro/Premiere/Enterprise

These instructions are when you are opening the QB Connect Application for the first time. Once you have saved successfully entered and saved your settings, you won't have to go through these steps again.

#### **Entering Bill4Time Settings**

- 1. Under **Firm ID**, put in your Bill4Time Firm ID.
- 2. Under **Username** put in your Bill4Time username.

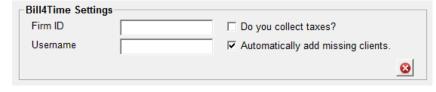


Figure 1: B4T Settings

- 3. Put a **check mark** next to the pertinent settings.
- 4. Click the validation button located at the right. A **Login to Bill4Time** pop-up with come up having you enter in your password. If the information is correct, this button will then show a green checkmark. If the validation fails, you will see the error message at the bottom of the screen. You can also read the error message by hovering your mouse over the validation button.
- 5. Click the Save Settings button.

### **Entering QuickBooks Settings**

- From the Settings tab of the application choose the version of QuickBooks that you are currently using.
- Click on the Browse button next to the File field to choose your QuickBooks company file (the file should end with a ".QBW" suffix) or if you already have your QB file open, leave it blank, the program will automatically sync to that file you are currently in.
- 3. Click on the validation button located under the **Browse** button to validate your QuickBooks settings. You will see a QuickBooks - Application with No Certificate pop- up (see Figure 2). Check the option "Yes, always; allow access even if QuickBooks is not running" (so you can run the QB connect program without having to open your QuickBooks file) and click Continue. From there you will see a Confirm to Proceed pop-up and click Yes, then Done. If the information is correct, this button will then show a green checkmark. If the validation fails, you will see the error message at the bottom of the screen. You can also read the error message by hovering your mouse over the validation button.
- 4. Click the Save Settings button.

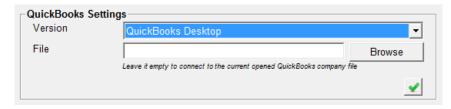


Figure 2: QB Settings



Figure 3: Application with No Certificate

### **Entering QuickBooks Items**

- 1. Fill out the QuickBooks Items.
- 2. Click the Save Settings button.
- Keep the application open to the Settings tab and go to the next instructions to setup your items in QuickBooks.

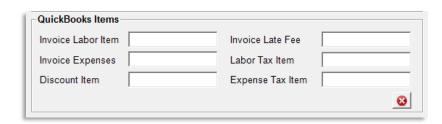


Figure 4: QB Items

### Aligning Your Bill4Time Settings with QuickBooks

For QuickBooks Pro/Premiere/Enterprise

- 1. Open QuickBooks.
- 2. Click on **Lists** in the pull down menu.
- 3. Click **Item List** and leave the page open.
- 4. Go back to the Bill4Time QB Connect application.
- 5. Make sure that the items listed in the QuickBooks Items section also listed in QuickBooks. The Bill4Time items MUST all be included in the QuickBooks Item List, and listed exactly the same in the QuickBooks Item List. See Figure 5

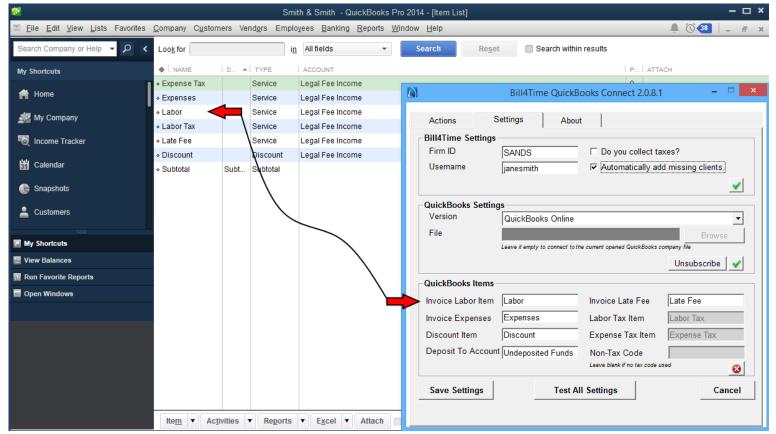


Figure 5: Matching the QB Items in both applications

- 6. If there are any missing items in the **Item List** page, do the following on the page (see Figure 6):
  - a. Click on the **Item** button at the bottom left corner.
  - b. Click on **New**. A **New Item** page will open.
  - c. In the **Type** section, choose the desired type for this listed item.
  - d. For Item Name/Number, type in the item listed as listed in the Bill4Time QB Connect window.

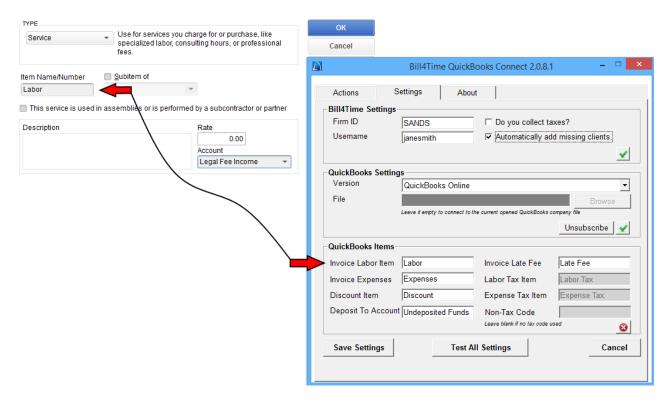


Figure 6: Adding the "Labor" item in QuickBooks

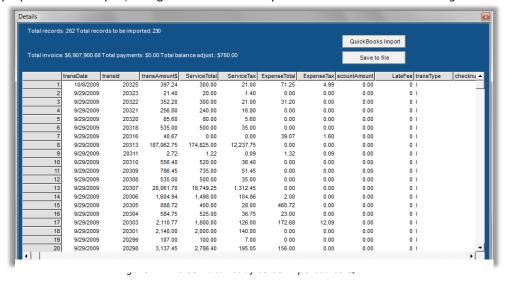
- e. In the **Account** pull down menu, choose the desired account.
- f. Click the **OK** button.
- g. Repeat Steps a-f for the additional items that need to be listed in the Item List.

You are now done installing the Bill4Time QuickBooks Connect Application. It is now synchronized with your QuickBooks Pro/Premiere/Enterprise.

### Part III – Importing Data (QuickBooks Pro/Premiere/Enterprise) Importing Your Bill4Time Data to QuickBooks

For QuickBooks Pro/Premiere/Enterprise

- 1. Click the **Export Bill4Time Data into QuickBooks** button. Transfer times vary depending upon the amount of invoice totals to be transferred.
- 2. A pop-up window will open, listing all data that is ready to be transferred as shown in Figure 7.



- 3. If you see at the top left corner of the pop-up window, an error message, do the following:
  - a. Scroll to the right-most in this pop-up window.
  - b. Open the QBErrorMsg column header shown in Figure 8 to reveal error message.

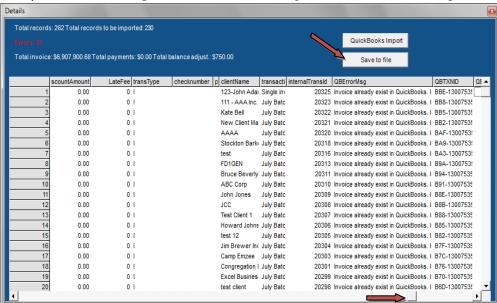


Figure 8: QBErrorMsg by scrolling far right

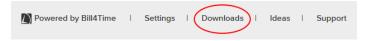
- 4. If you are not sure about the errors listed, click the **Save to file** button to download a .txt file of these listed items, and contact Bill4Time Technical Support.
- 5. Click the QuickBooks Import button. All lined items without an error message will be transferred.

You are now done importing your invoice items from Bill4Time to your QuickBooks Desktop account. For QuickBooks Online, continue on.

### Part I – Downloading the QuickBooks Connector

Downloading the Application to integrate with QuickBooks Online

- 7. Log into your Bill4Time account and scroll to the bottom of the page.
- 8. Click on the **Downloads** link.
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- 10. Click Run and then the Bill4Time QuickBooks Connector Setup will appear.
- 11. Follow the steps of the setup and click **Install** when prompted.
- 12. Click Finish and the QuickBooks Connector will launch. Proceed to Part II.



### Part II – Entering Settings (QuickBooks Online Edition) Entering Your Bill4Time QB Connect Settings

For QuickBooks Online

### **Entering Bill4Time Settings**

- 1. Under **Firm ID**, put in your Bill4Time Firm ID.
- 2. Under **Username** put in your Bill4Time username.
- 3. Put a **check mark** next to the pertinent settings.
- 4. Click the **validation button** off to the right. A pop-up window will come up.
- Fill in the login information and click the **Ok** button.
   Once the validation has gone through, the validation button will show a green checkmark.
- 6. Click the Save Settings button.

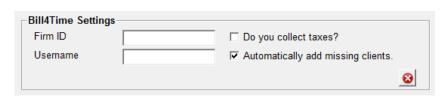


Figure 1: B4T Settings

### **Entering QuickBooks Settings**

- 1. Open the Bill4Time QB Connect application.
- 2. Click the **Settings** tab.
- 3. In the **Version** pull down menu, choose **QuickBooks Online**.
- 4. Click the **Subscribe** button shown in *Figure 2*.
- 5. Your browser will open up to the QuickBooks Sign In page.
- 6. Put in your QuickBooks Online login information and click the **Sign In** button.
- 7. You will then be on to the access to Intuit page shown in *Figure 3* and from here click the **Authorize** button.
- The next page will let you know you have successfully connected to your QuickBooks Online account and can close the browser window.
- 9. Go back to the Connector and click the **Save Settings** button.

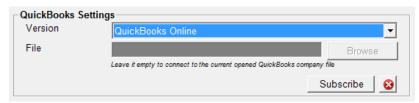


Figure 2: QB Settings for QB Online

### Authorize the Sharing of Your Data Between Bill4Time QuickBooks Connect and Intuit



By clicking Authorize, I allow Bill4Time QuickBooks Connect and Intuit to use my information\* in accordance with each company's respective terms of service and privacy policy; Bill4Time QuickBooks Connect's Terms of Service and Privacy Policy. Additionally, where applicable, I give Bill4Time QuickBooks Connect limited access to my QuickBooks Payments account to provide me payments-related services. I authorize the sharing of data between Intuit and Bill4Time QuickBooks Connect. \*Information may include data from QuickBooks Online, QuickBooks Desktop and QuickBooks Payments.



Figure 3: Access to Intuit

### **Entering QuickBooks Items**

1. You have four main items that need to be added to your QuickBooks Item list (if they are not already in there); Labor, Expenses, Discount, and Late Fee. If you collect taxes then you will also need Labor Tax, and Expense Tax. If there are any items missing in your list you can add them in your **Product and Services List**.

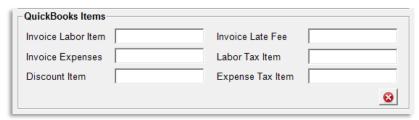
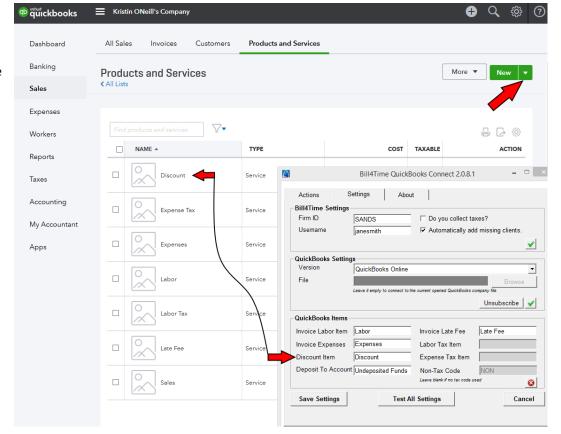


Figure 4: QB Items

2. In your QuickBooks Online account, go to your Settings (gear icon next to your company name). Then click on the **Product and Services List.** To add a new one, follow the steps below:

- a. Click the **New** button (see *Figure 5*).
- Put in the name of the list item as exactly listed in the Bill4Time QB Connect window.
- c. Put in the other required information.
- d. Make sure the
   Price/Rate field is left
   blank. Bill4Time will
   automatically fill that
   in later for you.
- e. Click the Save button.
- f. Repeat **Steps a-e** for all the other items.
- Once all items are identical in both applications, click the validation button.
- Once the validation button shows the green checkmark, click the Save Settings button.



5. Keep the Bill4Time QB Connect application open to the **Settings** tab.

During the final step of the installation, the installer will download and install online updates. It is critical that you allow the installation of these online updates in order for the program to function correctly.

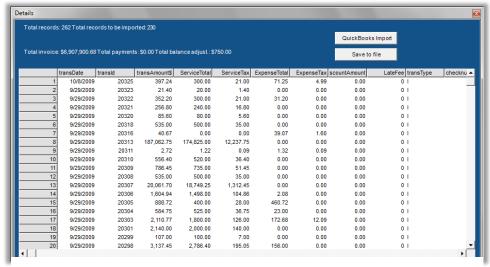
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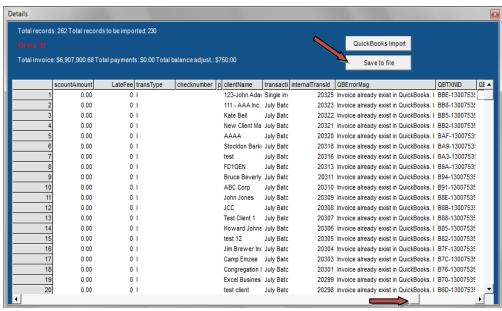


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