Quicken 2015 For Dummies (Quicken For Dummies)

Learn to:
- Maintain detailed financial records
- Manage your bills, save money, and create a budget
- Reduce your debt and maximize your investments
- Categorize deductions and plan for tax time

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Synopsis

Take control of your personal finances with this popular, easy guide! Quicken is the country’s most popular and highly recommended personal finance software, and with Quicken For Dummies, you can harness the power of this practical financial tool to manage bills, reconcile bank accounts, track investments, and much more! Personal finance expert and CPA Stephen L. Nelson lends his expertise to this accessible, easy-to-read guide, which has been fully updated to reflect the new features of Quicken available in its newest version. You can quickly learn how to use Quicken to record credit card transactions, track mortgages and other liabilities, minimize taxes, maximize savings, maintain detailed records, and build a solid foundation for creating better financial plans. Covers updated features in the newest version of the increasingly popular Quicken software Empowers readers to fight the bad habits and decisions that lead to large debts and minimal or nonexistent savings Demystifies the software’s features for tracking everyday finances, managing investments, and evaluating the tax implications of financial decisions Offers invaluable advice and expertise from author Stephen L. Nelson, a recognized authority on personal finance Every step toward better finances is a step in the right direction. Let Quicken For Dummies start your journey toward increased savings, lowered debt, and a more secure financial future.

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One of the worst books and is a total waste of time and money. The author seem to think using quicken to track paychecks, budgets, investment is all a waste of time. It is so hypocritical of him to
make money of a book for a software that he wants everyone to just buy and not use all of its features. I could learn more from Quicken community than reading this book. DO NOT BUY.

most of it is OK but type is too small to read. Can't even read it with a magnifying glass

I am not much on reviews but I felt I had to address stephen nelson's of his book "quicken 2015 for DUMMIES" I have been an avid user of Quicken for longer then I remember. Unfortunately I stopped the upgrades. I decided to start using quicken and so my daughter bought me the latest version for my mac. We installed it and transferred my data. I have looked high and low for books that I thought would help me. Looking over the program I soon felt like a dummy so I got out my quicken 2015 for dummies. I soon realized that stephen nelson was the bigger dummy than I was. I was the dummy for buying his book! Why do I speak about the book the way I do? I thought he was going to explain and walk me through the program as if I didn't have a clue about what he was talking about. For starters he uses pictures in the book. I said great. I started looking at the images and the author must wear glasses with coke sized lenses. I don't have a magnifying glass to help me. I wear glasses which don't help either. His images do not look like my images so I think he sold me a new book but the information in the book is from a previous program.I am now looking for a new bookkeeping program so if anyone can recommend one I am sure we would all be grateful. Even Intuit could not help me.

Unfortunately this book is geared to PCs not the iMac. Had I known that, I never would have bought it. I will donate it to a half-price book store instead of just throwing it out.

Spoiler Alert - this book is only for Quicken2015 Windows users - I have a Mac and the Quicken version for Mac looks nothing like the features that Mr. Nelson describes in his book. Example, Mac version has no Find/Replace feature described in Nelson’s book.

This is as witty as other Dummies books but there’s a problem with the print quality. When the author shows what you should be seeing when using Quicken, the images are so blurry you can barely read the example. Also, be aware that it is voluminous and if all you want to do is record transactions in a checkbook, you might be better off just googling your question.

The book fulfilled my needs as a new user of Quicken very well. It was a far better choice than
paying Quicken $40 for added service and then having to wait 20-30 minutes to chat or talk on the phone. The book is clear and well written. I recommend it to anyone using Quicken.

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