We let this app go un-updated the past year due to the heavy adoption of ReCAPCHA, which we did not know how to handle. The decision was made to no longer have lookups performed on the server, but to defer this task to the app. That being said, the app has changed from and ‘automatic’ lookup to an ‘assisted’ lookup. It’s still the easiest way to get and track your gift card balances, but due to increased security – you’ll have to do a bit more than before. Here’s how it now works:

Gift Card Genie (GCG) is a utility app which will allow you to lookup the balances of gift cards (from supported merchants) through their provided website. The application is simple:

1 – Enter the info for your card and save it.

2 - Click the ‘Lookup’ button, and you’ll be directed to the page to retrieve your balance.

3 - Click the appropriate text field (Card # or PIN #), then press the ‘’ button.

4 – It will put the appropriate value in that textbox. Do this for each required field and the page will give you your balance.

5 - Once you retrieve your balance, just push the ‘Update Balance’ button and everything’s saved.

We’re constantly expanding the list of supported merchants, here are those currently supported:

7-Eleven

Abercrombie and Fitch

Academy

Aerie

AMC Theatres

American Eagle

Applebees

Athleta

Babies R Us

Baby Gap

Bahama Breeze

Banana Republic

Barnes and Noble

Bass Pro Shops

Bath & Body Works

Bed Bath and Beyond

Best Buy

Bonefish Grill

Brinker Restaurants

Buffalo Wild Wings

Burger King

Carrabba's Italian Grill

Cheesecake Factory

Chili's

Cinemark

Cineplex

Cold Stone

Costco

Cracker Barrel

CVS

Darden Restaurants

Dicks

Disney

Dunkin Donuts

Fleming's Prime Steakhouse

Forever 21

GameStop

Gap

Gap Kids

Hollister

Home Depot

Homegoods

JCPenney

JoAnn Fabrics

Justice

Kmart

Kohl's

Kroger

Longhorn Steakhouse

Lowe's

Maggiano's Little Italy

Marshalls

McDonalds

Nordstrom

Old Navy

Olive Garden

On the Border

Outback Steakhouse

P.F. Chang's

PACSUN

Panera Bread

Piperlime

Red Lobster

Regal Entertainment Group

Romano's Macaroni Grille

Roy's

Rue 21

Sears

Seasons 52

Sephora

Starbucks

Subway

Target

Texas Roadhouse

TJ Maxx

Toys R Us

Victoria's Secret

Walgreens

Walmart

Wawa

Wendy's

Whole Foods

Zumiez