

Forms Authentication – Does Not Redirect

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Here's my problem -- I'm trying to setup Forms Authentication on my server. I can get the login page to show up every time, but, when it authenticates (I have a database lookup setup, which apparently DOES give back good data), it just refreshes the login page, deleting the username & password.

I know the database routine works. It returns a user's account properties, if verified and nothing, if not -- then, if it returns data from the database, I set 'blnValidUser' to True -- otherwise, I set it to false. This is working as expected.

Then, I do this in my code:

```
if blnValidUser="True" then
```

```
    FormsAuthentication.RedirectFromLoginPage(txtUID.text, True)
```

```
    (I've also tried -----'response.Write (request.QueryString  
("ReturnURL") & "<br>")
```

```
else
```

```
    lblError.text="We're sorry, but the information you provided does not  
match our database. Please try again."
```

```
End If
```

Here's my Web.config Code:

```
<authentication mode="Forms">
```

```
<forms name="MySite"
```

```
loginUrl="login.aspx"
```

```
protection="All"
```

```
timeout="480"
```

```
path="/"
```

```
/>
```

```
</authentication>
```

```
<authorization>
```

```
<deny users="?" />
```

```
</authorization>
```

I checked an earlier post -- my webserver is named normally, with nothing but letters (no underscores, etc) -- so that's not the problem

Is there something I'm missing here? Why doesn't it redirect correctly?