E TRADE FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K December 17, 2003

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

**Securities Exchange Act of 1934** 

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

December 17, 2003

## **E\*TRADE** Financial Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware	1-11921	94-2844166
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(IRS Employer
of incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)
4500 Bohannon Drive, Menlo Park, California		94025
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area code:		(650) 331-6000

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

ITEM 7.	TEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, PRO FORMA FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND EXHIBITS			
(c) Exhibits	s.			
99.1	Press Release issuing 2004 Earnings Guidance and Announc	ing a Share Repurchase Prog	ram.	
	SIGNA	ATURES		
	o the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the d hereunto duly authorized.	ne Registrant has duly caused	this report to be signed on its behalf by the	
Date: Dece	ember 17, 2003			
		E*TRADE F	E Financial Corporation	
		By:	/s/ Russell S. Elmer	
			Russell S. Elmer, Corporate Secretary	
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