

LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4

November 23, 2004

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SOLTIS FRANK A

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORP
[LKFN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1057 PARKWOOD DR
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/22/2004

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Senior Vice President

NAPPANEE, IN 46550

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	11/22/2004		M	4,000 A \$ 24.375	4,000	D	
Common Stock	11/22/2004		S	4,000 D \$ 38	0	D	
Common Stock					4,333.62	I	401(k) Plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Date of Sale (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 13.5					06/13/2005	06/13/2010	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 13.625					01/09/2006	01/09/2011	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 15.125					02/08/2005	02/08/2010	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 19.4375					02/09/2004	02/09/2009	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 24.375	11/22/2004		M	4,000	04/14/2003	04/12/2008	Common Stock	4,000
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$ 34.37					12/09/2008	12/09/2013	Common Stock	2,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SOLTIS FRANK A
1057 PARKWOOD DR
NAPPANEE, IN 46550

Senior Vice President

Signatures

Teresa A. Bartman,
Attorney-in-Fact

11/23/2004

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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