

CHEMICAL FINANCIAL CORP
Form 8-K
July 22, 2004

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, DC 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):
July 20, 2004

Chemical Financial Corporation
(Exact Name of Registrant as
Specified in its Charter)

Michigan
(State or Other
Jurisdiction of
Incorporation)

000-08185
(Commission
File Number)

38-2022454
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

333 E. Main Street
Midland, Michigan
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

48640
(Zip Code)

(989) 839-5350
(Registrant's Telephone Number,
Including Area Code)

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits:

99.1

Press Release dated July 20, 2004

Item 12. Results of Operation and Financial Condition.

On July 20, 2004, Chemical Financial Corporation issued the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K, which is here incorporated by reference. This Report and the Exhibit are furnished to, and not filed with, the Commission.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: July 22, 2004

CHEMICAL FINANCIAL CORPORATION
(Registrant)

By: /s/Lori A. Gwizdala

Lori A. Gwizdala
Executive Vice President Chief Financial
Officer and Treasurer

EXHIBIT INDEX

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Document

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