JEFFERSON PILOT CORP Form 8-K April 28, 2004

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: April 27, 2004 (Date of Earliest Event Reported)

Jefferson-Pilot Corporation (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

North Carolina	1-5955	56-0896180
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(I.R.S. Employer
of incorporation)	File Number	Identification No.)

100 North Greene Street, Greensboro, North Carolina 27401 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(336) 691-3000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Item 5. Other Events

This Form 8-K is being filed to comply with the SEC requirement that the Earnings Press Release be filed with or furnished to the SEC. JP's Earnings Press Release for the first quarter of 2004, issued after the NYSE close on April 27, 2004, is being filed as Exhibit 99 to this Form 8-K.

Item 7. Exhibits

Exhibit 99 - Press Release of Jefferson-Pilot Corporation issued April 27, 2004, reporting financial results for the first quarter 2004.

This Form 8-K is also being posted on JP's corporate website www.jpfinancial.com.

## SIGNATURE

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 thereunto duly authorized.

JEFFERSON-PILOT CORPORATION

By: /s/ Robert A. Reed

Name: Robert A. Reed Title: Vice President

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Dated: April 27, 2004

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