

CENTRUE FINANCIAL CORP

Form 8-K

March 12, 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  
(Date of earliest event reported)

**March 12, 2004**  
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**Centrue Financial Corporation**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**1-13676**

(Commission File Number)

**36-3846489**

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

**310 South Schuyler Avenue, Kankakee, Illinois**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**60901**

(Zip Code)

**(815) 937-4440**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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**Item 5. Other Information**

On March 12, 2004, Centrue Financial Corporation issued a press release announcing, among other things, that Centrue Financial completed the acquisition of Parish Bank, an institution with approximately \$20 million in assets located in Momence, Illinois. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits**

(a) Financial Statements of Business Acquired.

None.

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

None.

(c) Exhibits.

99.1 Press Release dated March 12, 2004

**Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On March 12, 2004, Centrue Financial Corporation issued a press release announcing its financial results for the three month period and the twelve month period ended December 31, 2003. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

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**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.

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Dated: March 12, 2004

By: /s/ James M. Lindstrom  
James M. Lindstrom  
Chief Financial Officer