

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 11-K

ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2002

OR

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
For the transition period from _____ to _____

Commission File Number 333-48402

A. Full title of the plan and the address of the plan, if different from that of the issuer named below:

Lakeland Financial Corporation 401(k) Plan

B. Name of issuer of the securities held pursuant to the plan and the address of its principal executive office:

Lakeland Financial Corporation
202 East Center Street, P.O. Box 1387
Warsaw, Indiana 46581-1387

REQUIRED INFORMATION

Audited statements of net assets available for benefits of the Lakeland Financial Corporation 401(k) Plan as of December 31, 2002 and 2001, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2002 are provided as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 11-K.

SIGNATURES

The Plan. Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the trustees (or other persons who administer the employee benefit plan) have duly caused this annual report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORPORATION
401(k) PLAN

Date: June 25, 2003

By: Lakeland Financial Corporation, as Trustee
to the Plan

By: /s/ Jill A. DeBatty

LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORPORATION 401(k) PLAN

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CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

We consent to the incorporation by reference in Lakeland Financial Corporation's Registration Statement on Form S-8 (Registration # 333-48402) of our report, dated April 10, 2003, on the financial statements of the Lakeland Financial Corporation 401(k) Plan which is included in this Annual Report on Form 11-K for the year ended December 31, 2002.

Crowe Chizek and Company LLC

South Bend, Indiana
June 24, 2003

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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

Lakeland Financial Corporation
401(k) Plan
Warsaw, Indiana

We have audited the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits of the Lakeland Financial Corporation 401(k) Plan ("Plan") as of December 31, 2002 and 2001, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2002. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Plan's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of the Plan as of December 31, 2002 and 2001, and the changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2002, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the 2002 basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. The supplemental schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the 2002 basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the 2002 basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Crowe Chizek and Company LLC

South Bend, Indiana
April 10, 2003

LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORPORATION 401(k) PLAN
 STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
 December 31, 2002 and 2001

	2002 ----	2001 ----
ASSETS		
Investments, at fair value (Note 4)	\$ 18,033,505	\$ 14,248,174
Receivables		
Employer contribution	317,597	311,288
Accrued income	107,340	100,089
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	424,937	411,377
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Cash	12,482	-
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NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	\$ 18,470,924 =====	\$ 14,659,551 =====

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORPORATION 401(k) PLAN
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
Year ended December 31, 2002

Additions to net assets attributed to:	
Investment income	
Net appreciation in fair value of investments (Note 4)	\$ 3,310,584
Interest	4,031
Dividends	457,766

	3,772,381
Contributions	
Employer	627,074
Participants	814,445

	1,441,519
Total additions	5,213,900
Deductions from net assets attributed to:	
Benefits paid directly to participants or their beneficiaries	1,399,723
Administrative expenses	2,804

Total deductions	1,402,527
Net increase	3,811,373
Net assets available for benefits	
Beginning of year	14,659,551

End of year	\$ 18,470,924
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See accompanying notes to financial statements.

LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORPORATION 401(k) PLAN
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
December 31, 2002 and 2001

NOTE 1 - DESCRIPTION OF PLAN

The following description of the Lakeland Financial Corporation 401(k) Plan (the "Plan") is provided for general information purposes only. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General: The Plan is a defined contribution 401(k) profit sharing plan covering substantially all employees of Lakeland Financial Corporation ("LFC" or "Corporation") and its subsidiary, Lake City Bank. An employee becomes eligible to enter the Plan on January 1, April 1, July 1 and October 1 following attainment of age 21 and completion of one thousand hours of service in a continuous twelve-month period.

The Plan was originally adopted December 13, 1983 and has been amended. Effective October 10, 2000, the Plan was amended and restated. The provisions of the amended and restated Plan state that the employer each year may set the matching percentage as well as any discretionary contributions. The amended and restated Plan also does not permit loans to plan participants. Effective January 1, 2001, the Plan was further amended. The provisions of the amended Plan state the matching contributions shall be allocated to participants who have completed at least one hour of service during the Plan year. The amended Plan also provides for a six-year graded vesting schedule and that employees working at any branch that is sold shall become 100% vested as of the date of the branch sale. Information regarding the changes to the Plan is provided for general information purposes only. Participants should refer to the amended and restated Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions. The Plan provides for retirement, death, disability and termination benefits, and it is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

Investment Funds: The Plan consists of nine funds, or investment options, one of which is invested primarily in employer stock. The "Large-Cap Blend," "Large-Cap Growth," "Mid-Cap Growth" and "Small-Cap Value" funds are invested primarily in common and preferred stock. The "Government Bond Fund" is invested primarily in fixed income obligations of United States Government agencies. The "Money Market Fund" is invested primarily in short-term fixed income investments having maturities of one year or less. The "Balanced Fund" is invested primarily in a balanced portfolio, and the "International Fund" is invested primarily in foreign common stocks.

A participant's salary redirection is invested in any of the funds offered at the participant's discretion. Employer matching contributions are initially invested in employer stock. Participants may redirect the matching contributions at their discretion.

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LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORPORATION 401(k) PLAN
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NOTE 1 - DESCRIPTION OF PLAN (Continued)

Participant Accounts: Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contribution and an allocation of (a) the Corporation's contributions, (b) Plan earnings and (c) forfeitures of non-vested balances of accounts of participants who have left the plan. Allocations are based on participant earnings or account balances, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's account.

Contributions: The Plan provides that participants may make voluntary pre-tax contributions. Participants may defer from 1% to 12% of their pay. Each year the employer may set a matching percentage, up to 6% of qualifying employee contributions, as well as any discretionary contributions. For 2002, the matching percentage was set at 100% and no discretionary contributions were made.

Retirement, Death and Disability: A participant is entitled to 100% of his or her account balance upon retirement, death or disability.

Vesting: Participants are 100% vested in salary deferral contributions. Effective January 1, 2001, employer contributions vest according to a six-year graded schedule. Prior to January 1, 2001, employer contributions vested according to a seven-year graded schedule.

Payment of Benefits: On termination of service, a participant may elect to receive either a lump sum or a direct rollover equal to the value of his or her vested interest in their account. For distributions of LFC common stock, distributions are made in stock or cash at the participant's option, with the exception of fractional shares which are paid out in cash. Distributions out of the other funds are made in cash.

Loan Provisions: Prior to the restatement of the Plan effective October 10, 2000, participants were able to borrow from their fund accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum of \$50,000 or 50 percent of their account balance, whichever is less. The loans are secured by the balance in the participant's account and bear interest at rates equal to the prime interest rate stated in the Wall Street Journal plus 1% at the date the participant applied for the loan.

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LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORPORATION 401(k) PLAN
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NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The policies and principles which significantly affect the determination of net assets and results of operations are summarized below.

Accounting Method: The accounting practices and principles followed by the Plan and the methods of applying those principles conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition: Investments are stated at fair value as determined by quoted market prices, if available. Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

Net Appreciation (Depreciation) in Fair Value of Investments: In accordance with the policy of stating investments at fair value, net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) for the year along with gains and losses on sales of investments are reflected in the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits as net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments. Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) for investments held as of the end of the current fiscal year is the difference between the current value of those investments and the value of those investments as of the end of the prior fiscal year or the purchase date for investments purchased during the year.

Administrative Expenses: Trustee expenses have been waived by Lake City Bank.

Estimates: The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the plan administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures, and actual results may differ from these estimates.

Concentration of Credit Risk: At December 31, 2002 and 2001, the majority of the Plan's assets were invested in LFC common stock.

Risk and Uncertainties: The Plan provides for various investment options including any combination of mutual funds, stocks, and money market funds. The underlying investment securities are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities and the level of uncertainty related to changes in the value of investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statement of net assets available for benefits and participant's individual account balances.

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LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORPORATION 401(k) PLAN
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NOTE 3 - PLAN TERMINATION

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Corporation has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA and its related regulations. In the event of termination, participants will become 100% vested in their accounts.

NOTE 4 - INVESTMENTS

The following presents investments that represent 5 percent or more of the Plan's net assets.

	December 31,	
	2002	2001
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LFC common stock, 631,411 and 667,261 shares, respectively	\$ 14,806,592	\$ 11,757,139

The following table presents the net appreciation (depreciation) (including investments bought, sold and held during the year) in fair value for each of the Plan's investment categories for the year ended December 31, 2002.

Mutual funds	\$ (516,401)
LFC common stock	3,826,985

	\$ 3,310,584
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All of the Plan's investments are uninsured.

NOTE 5 - PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Parties-in-interest are defined under Department of Labor Regulations as any fiduciary of the Plan, any party rendering service to the Plan, the employer, and certain others.

During 2002, the Plan purchased 62,743 shares of Lakeland Financial Corporation common stock at a cost ranging from \$17.55 to \$28.59 per share. In 2002, the Plan sold 64,151 shares of Lakeland Financial Corporation common stock at a sales price ranging from \$17.35 to \$28.20 per share and distributed 34,442 shares of common stock to employees due to termination or retirement.

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NOTE 5 - PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS (Continued)

At December 31, 2002 and 2001, the Plan held the following party-in-interest investments (at estimated fair value):

2002:

Lakeland Financial Corporation common stock	
- 631,411 shares	\$ 14,806,592
LCB balanced fund - 78,370 shares	402,040
Loans to participants	3,970

2001:

Lakeland Financial Corporation common stock	
- 667,261 shares	\$ 11,757,139
LCB balanced fund - 68,741 shares	405,808
Loans to participants	4,435

NOTE 6 - TAX STATUS

The Plan is maintained using a prototype plan document sponsored by AMI Benefit Plan Administrators, Inc. The Internal Revenue Service has ruled in a letter dated September 18, 2001, that the prototype plan qualifies under Section 401 of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) and is, therefore, not subject to tax under present income tax law. The plan administrator believes that the Plan is being operated in compliance with applicable requirements of the IRC.

NOTE 7 - TERMINATED PARTICIPANTS

Included in net assets available for benefits are amounts allocated to individuals who have withdrawn from the Plan and requested a distribution prior to year end. Amounts allocated to these participants were approximately \$36,801 and \$593,080 at December 31, 2002 and 2001.

LAKELAND FINANCIAL CORPORATION 401(k) PLAN
 SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)
 December 31, 2002

 Name of Plan Sponsor: Lakeland Financial Corporation

 Employer Identification Number: 35-1559596

 Three-digit Plan Number: 004

(a)	(b) Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor, or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par or Maturity Value	(d) (1) Cost	(e) Current Value
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	Money market account	269,287 units		\$ 269,287
	Mutual funds			
	Franklin U.S. government	68,890 units		643,429
	Federated international equity	16,100 units		185,316
	AIM constellation fund	25,493 units		423,952
	Enterprise growth fund	49,163 units		670,587
	Enterprise small fund	9,050 units		64,164
	American AMCAP fund	43,398 units		564,168
*	Lake City balanced fund	78,370 units		402,040

*	Lakeland Financial Corporation common stock	631,411 shares		2,953,656 14,806,592
*	Loans to participants	Interest rate 9.5%		3,970

				\$ 18,033,505
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* Denotes party-in-interest

(1) Cost is not presented as all investments are participant directed investments.

