FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Stewart Thad F						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BankFinancial CORP [BFIN]									eck all app Direc	,		10% (Ssuer Owner (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) 15W060 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2010)	below)		below) f Internal Audit		ı)`
(Street) BURR RIDGE IL 60527 (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				son	
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)						Execution Date,					s Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owner following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price)	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 12/16/20)10			S		1,000	D	\$9.5	5184	11,967			D	
Common Stock															5,253.1696			I	By 401K ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock															5,111.9859			I	By Employee Stock Ownership Plan ⁽²⁾
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (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)	if any	emed on Date, Day/Year)		saction e (Instr. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			6. Date Expirat (Month	tion Da	ear) Securities Underlyin Derivative Security (I and 4) Ar or Nt Expiration		it of ties ying tive	3 Discourse of the state of the	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactic (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The information in this report is based on the 401k report dated December 15, 2010.
- 2. Reflects ESOP allocations that occurred as of December 31, 2009.

/s/ F. Morgan Gasior, pursuant to power of attorney

12/17/2010

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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