

SILICON VALLEY BANCSHARES

Form 8-K

March 22, 2004

**UNITED STATES  
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 22, 2004**

### **Silicon Valley Bancshares**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-15637**  
(Commission File Number)

**91-1962278**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**3003 Tasman Drive, Santa Clara, CA 95054-1191**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(408) 654-7400**

**Item 5. Other Events and Regulation FD Disclosure.**

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On March 22, 2004, Silicon Valley Bancshares announced the hiring of Jack F. Jenkins-Stark as its new Chief Financial Officer. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

### **Item 7. Exhibits.**

**(c) Exhibits**

99.1 Press release dated March 22, 2004

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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Date: March 22, 2004

/s/ DEREK WITTE  
Derek Witte  
General Counsel