

UNITED SECURITY BANCSHARES

Form 8-K

September 29, 2016

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

September 27, 2016

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

UNITED SECURITY BANCSHARES

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

California

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

000-32987

(Commission File Number)

91-2112732

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2126 Inyo Street, Fresno, California 93721

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

559-248-4943

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02 (b) Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On September 27, 2016, Directors Ronnie Miller and Walter Reinhard notified the Board of Directors of United Security Bancshares ("the "Company") and United Security Bank (the "Bank") of their decision to retire and resign from the Board of Directors of the Company and Bank. Directors Miller and Reinhard served as members of the Board of Directors of the Bank for 29 and 26 years, respectively. Both Miller and Reinhard will serve as Directors Emeritus, effective September 27, 2016.

The Board of Directors accepted the retirement and resignation notices as being consistent with newly instituted corporate governance procedures.

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.

United Security Bancshares

Date: September 29, 2016 By: /s/ Bhavneet Gill
Bhavneet Gill
Senior Vice President & Chief Financial Officer