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): February 5, 2018



FIRST GUARANTY BANCSHARES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Louisiana

(State or other jurisdiction incorporation or organization)

001-37621

(Commission File Number)

26-0513559

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

400 East Thomas Street Hammond, Louisiana

(Address of principal executive offices)

70401

(Zip Code)

(985) 345-7685

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box if the Form 8-K	tiling is intended to simultaneously	y satisfy the filing obligation of the	he registrant under any of th	e following provisions
(see General Instruction A.2. below):				

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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))
ndicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).
Emerging growth company ⊠
f an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or

revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. ⊠

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On February 5, 2018, First Guaranty Bancshares, Inc. issued a press release reporting its financial results at and for the three months and year ended December 31, 2017.

First Guaranty did not sell any stock in our at the market offering during the Fourth Quarter of 2017.

The Press Release is enclosed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report. The information in Exhibit 99.1 shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated February 5, 2017.

Exhibit 99.2 Definitions.

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.

Date: February 5, 2017

FIRST GUARANTY BANCSHARES, INC.

(Registrant)

By: /s/Alton B. Lewis, Jr.

Alton B. Lewis, Jr. Vice Chairman of the Board and Principal Executive Officer

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

Exhibit Number	Description
Exhibit 99.1	Press Release February 5, 2017 "First Guaranty Bancshares, Inc. Announces Fourth Quarter 2017 Results."
Exhibit 99.2	<u>Definitions.</u>

FEBRUARY 5, 2018 NEWS FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE CONTACT: ERIC J. DOSCH, CFO 985.375.0308

First Guaranty Bancshares, Inc. Announces Fourth Quarter 2017 Results

Hammond, Louisiana, February 5, 2018 – First Guaranty Bancshares, Inc. ("First Guaranty") (NASDAQ: FGBI), the holding company for First Guaranty Bank, announced its unaudited financial results for the quarter and year ending December 31, 2017.

The fourth quarter of 2017 and the entire year of 2017 brought continued progress toward First Guaranty Bancshares, Inc. goals of a fortress balance sheet and enhanced shareholder value. For the quarter ending December 31, 2017, core income totaled \$3,504,000 compared to \$3,134,000 for the quarter ending December 31, 2016. For the year ending December 31, 2017, core income totaled \$12,672,000 an increase of \$1,048,000 over the year ending December 31, 2016. Core income, the nuts and bolts of our business continues to increase.

In the fourth quarter of 2017, we declared and issued to our shareholders a 10% stock dividend. The earn back on our December 2015 10% stock dividend had been achieved in May 2017. At the end of the fourth quarter of 2017, we declared and issued to our shareholders our 98th consecutive quarterly cash dividend. A total of \$5,210,000 in dividends were paid to shareholders in 2017, bringing the total in dividends paid to shareholders since 1993 to \$66,896,000.

In 2017 the total shareholders equity in First Guaranty Bancshares, Inc. increased by \$19,634,000 or 16% to \$143,983,000 from \$124,349,000. Book value per share increased from \$14.86 to \$16.35. In 2017, we enhanced shareholder value both through the payment of dividends and the increased book value or balance sheet strength.

While the all-important core income and shareholder's equity have increased over the last year, securities gains decreased by \$2.4 million year over year, expenses related to the Premier Bancshares, Inc. acquisition totaled \$1.4 million, and a balance sheet adjustment of \$0.9 million, resulting from the federal tax cut, reduced gross after tax income from \$14,093,000 for the year ending December 31, 2016 to \$11,751,000 for the year ending December 31, 2017. With the earnings already being generated by the Premier Bancshares, Inc. acquisition and with the tax savings which will be generated from the Federal tax cut, this reduction should be quickly overcome in 2018.

In the fourth quarter, core loans grew a net of \$51.2 million. Loan interest income was \$2,841,000 higher than the fourth quarter of 2016, a 24% increase. Net interest income was up by \$4.8 million over 2016. Noninterest income, excluding securities gains, was increased by 23% over 2016. As of December 31, 2017, total loans had increased by \$200 million, an increase of 21%, from the total loan level as of December 31, 2016.

At the same time loans have been increasing, the non-performing assets of First Guaranty Bancshares, Inc. declined 34% from December 31, 2016 to December 31, 2017, as they dropped to \$14.7 million from \$22.2 million.

The progress in 2017 was tremendous. We look forward to 2018 and even greater progress toward a fortress balance sheet and shareholder enhancement.

Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Alton B. Lewis President and CEO First Guaranty, Bancshares, Inc.

About First Guaranty

First Guaranty, a Louisiana-based company, has approximately \$1.8 billion in assets as of December 31, 2017 and provides personalized commercial banking services through 27 banking facilities located across Louisiana and Texas. For more information, visit www.fgb.net.

Certain statements contained herein are "forward looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such forward looking statements may be identified by reference to a future period or periods, or by the use of forward looking terminology, such as "may," "will," "believe," "expect," "estimate," "anticipate," "continue," or similar terms or variations on those terms, or the negative of those terms. Forward looking statements are subject to numerous risks and uncertainties, as described in our SEC filings, including, but not limited to, those related to the real estate and economic environment, particularly in the market areas in which First Guaranty operates, competitive products and pricing, fiscal and monetary policies of the U.S. Government, changes in government regulations affecting financial institutions, including regulatory fees and capital requirements, changes in prevailing interest rates, acquisitions and the integration of acquired businesses, credit risk management, asset-liability management, the financial and securities markets and the availability of and costs associated with sources of liquidity.

First Guaranty wishes to caution readers not to place undue reliance on any such forward looking statements, which speak only as of the date made. First Guaranty wishes to advise readers that the factors listed above could affect First Guaranty's financial performance and could cause First Guaranty's actual results for future periods to differ materially from any opinions or statements expressed with respect to future periods in any current statements. First Guaranty does not undertake and specifically declines any obligation to publicly release the results of any revisions, which may be made to any forward looking statements to reflect events or circumstances after the date of such statements or to reflect the occurrence of anticipated or unanticipated events.

FIRST GUARANTY BANCSHARES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (unaudited)

(in thousands, except share data)	Decembe 2017		Dec	cember 31, 2016
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents:				
Cash and due from banks	\$ 3	7,205	\$	17,840
Federal funds sold		823		271
Cash and cash equivalents	3	8,028		18,111
Investment securities:				
Available for sale, at fair value		1,785		397,473
Held to maturity, at cost (estimated fair value of \$118,557 and \$99,906 respectively)		0,121		101,863
Investment securities	50	1,906		499,336
Federal Home Loan Bank stock, at cost		2,351		1,816
Loans held for sale		1,308		-
Loans, net of unearned income	1,14	9,014		948,921
Less: allowance for loan losses		9,225		11,114
Net loans	1,13	9,789		937,807
Premises and equipment, net	3	8,020		23,519
Goodwill		3,472		1,999
Intangible assets, net		4,424		1,056
Other real estate, net		1,281		359
Accrued interest receivable		7,982		7,039
Other assets	1	1,869		9,904
Total Assets	\$ 1,75	0,430	\$	1,500,946
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity				
Deposits:				
Noninterest-bearing demand	\$ 25	1,617	\$	231,094
Interest-bearing demand	61	1,677		479,810
Savings	10	4,661		97,280
Time	58	1,331		517,997
Total deposits	1,54	9,286		1,326,181
Short-term borrowings	1	5,500		6,500
Accrued interest payable		2,488		1,931
Senior long-term debt	2	2,774		22,100
Junior subordinated debentures	1	4,664		14,630
Other liabilities		1,735		5,255
Total Liabilities		6,447		1,376,597
Shareholders' Equity				
Common stock: ¹				
\$1 par value - authorized 100,600,000 shares; issued 8,807,175 and 8,369,424 shares		8,807		8,369
Surplus		2,268		81,000
Retained earnings		4,464		38,979
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		1,556)		(3,999)
Total Shareholders' Equity	14	3,983		124,349
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$ 1,75	0,430	\$	1,500,946

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

¹ All share amounts have been restated to reflect the ten percent stock dividend paid December 14, 2017 to shareholders of record as of December 8, 2017

FIRST GUARANTY BANCSHARES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (unaudited)

	Th	ree Months I		Ŋ	Year Ended En		d December		
(in thousands, except share data)	_	2017		2016		2017		2016	
Interest Income:									
Loans (including fees)	\$	14,587	\$	11,746	\$	54,034	\$	45,495	
Deposits with other banks		36		14		178		69	
Securities (including FHLB stock)		3,307		2,955		13,325		12,968	
Federal funds sold		1		-		9		<u>-</u>	
Total Interest Income		17,931		14,715		67,546		58,532	
Interest Expense:									
Demand deposits		1,624		731		5,526		2,633	
Savings deposits		54		26		201		80	
Time deposits		2,033		1,413		7,112		5,954	
Borrowings		411		347		1,554		1,473	
Total Interest Expense		4,122		2,517		14,393		10,140	
Net Interest Income		13,809		12,198		53,153		48,392	
Less: Provision for loan losses		758		727		3,822		3,705	
Net Interest Income after Provision for Loan Losses	<u></u>	13,051	_	11,471		49,331	_	44,687	
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Noninterest Income:		720		5.40		2.500		2 200	
Service charges, commissions and fees		738		549		2,589		2,388	
ATM and debit card fees		522		493		1,986		1,859	
Net gains on securities		401		43		1,397		3,799	
Net gains on sale of loans		184		5		311		1.205	
Other	<u> </u>	539		339	_	2,057		1,395	
Total Noninterest Income		2,384		1,429		8,340		9,455	
Noninterest Expense:									
Salaries and employee benefits		5,424		4,166		20,113		16,577	
Occupancy and equipment expense		1,231		1,146		4,505		4,242	
Other		3,706		2,859		13,903		12,066	
Total Noninterest Expense		10,361		8,171		38,521		32,885	
Income Before Income Taxes		5,074		4,729		19,150		21,257	
Less: Provision for income taxes		2,568		1,567		7,399		7,164	
Net Income	\$	2,506	\$	3,162	\$	11,751	\$	14,093	
Per Common Share: 1									
Earnings		0.28	\$	0.38	Ф	1.37	¢	1.68	
Cash dividends paid	\$ \$	0.28	\$	0.38	\$ \$	0.60	\$ \$	0.58	
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Weighted Average Common Shares Outstanding		8,807,175		8,369,424		8,608,088		8,369,424	

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

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FIRST GUARANTY BANCSHARES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY CONSOLIDATED AVERAGE BALANCE SHEETS (unaudited)

	Three Months Ended December 31, 2017						Three Months Ended December 31, 2016						
		Average					Average						
(in thousands except for %)		Balance	_	Interest	Yield/Rate (5)		Balance		Interest	Yield/Rate (5)			
Assets									_				
Interest-earning assets:	•												
Interest-earning deposits with banks	\$	20,812	\$	36	0.69%	\$	20,649	\$	14	0.27%			
Securities (including FHLB stock)		492,412		3,307	2.66%		477,838		2,955	2.46%			
Federal funds sold		892		1	0.44%		250		-	-%			
Loans held for sale		2,352		38	6.41%		-		-	-%			
Loans, net of unearned income		1,120,057		14,549	5.15%		917,311		11,746	5.09%			
Total interest-earning assets		1,636,525	\$	17,931	4.35%		1,416,048	\$	14,715	4.13%			
Noninterest-earning assets:													
Cash and due from banks		11,054					7,700						
Premises and equipment, net		37,180					22,923						
Other assets		14,467					3,644						
Total Assets	\$	1,699,226				\$	1,450,315						
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity													
Interest-bearing liabilities:													
Demand deposits	\$	547,740	\$	1,624	1.18%	\$	417,725	\$	731	0.70%			
Savings deposits	Ψ	105,490	Ψ	54	0.20%	Ψ	95,042	4	26	0.10%			
Time deposits		601,311		2,033	1.34%		524,334		1,413	1.07%			
Borrowings		42,730		411	3.82%		43,443		347	3.18%			
Total interest-bearing liabilities		1,297,271	\$	4,122	1.26%		1,080,544	\$	2,517	0.93%			
Noninterest-bearing liabilities:													
Demand deposits		252,605					234,024						
Other		5,729					7,411						
Total Liabilities		1,555,605					1,321,979						
Shareholders' equity		143,621					128,336						
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$	1,699,226				\$							
Net interest income	Ť		\$	13,809		Ť		\$	12,198				
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Net interest rate spread (1)	Œ.	220.254			3.09%	Φ.	225 50 4			3.20%			
Net interest-earning assets (2)	\$	339,254				\$	335,504						
Net interest margin (3), (4)					3.35%					3.43%			
Average interest-earning assets to interest-bearing liabilities					126 150/					121 050			
interest-dearing nadmities					126.15%					131.05%			

⁽¹⁾ Net interest rate spread represents the difference between the yield on average interest-earning assets and the cost of average interest-bearing liabilities.

⁽²⁾ Net interest-earning assets represents total interest-earning assets less total interest-bearing liabilities.

⁽³⁾ Net interest margin represents net interest income divided by average total interest-earning assets.

⁽⁴⁾ The tax adjusted net interest margin was 3.37% and 3.45% for the above periods ended December 31, 2017 and 2016 respectively. A 35% tax rate was used to calculate the effect on securities income from tax exempt securities.

⁽⁵⁾ Annualized.

FIRST GUARANTY BANCSHARES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY CONSOLIDATED AVERAGE BALANCE SHEETS (unaudited)

	Year Ended December 31, 2017						Year Ended December 31, 2016						
		Average					Average						
(in thousands except for %)		Balance		Interest	Yield/Rate		Balance		Interest	Yield/Rate			
Assets													
Interest-earning assets:	•												
Interest-earning deposits with banks	\$	23,913	\$	178	0.74%	\$	20,857	\$	69	0.33%			
Securities (including FHLB stock)		511,776		13,325	2.60%		523,438		12,968	2.48%			
Federal funds sold		977		9	0.89%		256		-	-%			
Loans held for sale		1,233		69	5.60%		-		-	-%			
Loans, net of unearned income		1,056,519		53,965	5.11%		881,387		45,495	5.16%			
Total interest-earning assets		1,594,418	\$	67,546	4.23%		1,425,938	\$	58,532	4.10%			
Noninterest-earning assets:													
Cash and due from banks		10,147					7,915						
Premises and equipment, net		31,885					22,306						
Other assets		9,488					3,800						
Total Assets	\$	1,645,938				\$	1,459,959						
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity													
Interest-bearing liabilities:													
Demand deposits	\$	539,399	\$	5,526	1.02%	\$	415,410	\$	2,633	0.63%			
Savings deposits		102,779		201	0.20%		89,279		80	0.09%			
Time deposits		575,666		7,112	1.24%		558,982		5,954	1.07%			
Borrowings		41,190		1,554	3.77%		43,474		1,473	3.39%			
Total interest-bearing liabilities	Ξ	1,259,034	\$	14,393	1.14%		1,107,145	\$	10,140	0.92%			
Noninterest-bearing liabilities:													
Demand deposits		244,949					221,634						
Other		5,138					5,144						
Total Liabilities		1,509,121					1,333,923						
Shareholders' equity		136,817					126,036						
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$	1,645,938				\$	1,459,959						
Net interest income	Ė		\$	53,153		Ė		\$	48,392				
Net interest rate spread (1)					3.09%					3.18%			
Net interest rate spread (1) Net interest-earning assets (2)	\$	335,384			3.07/0	\$	318,793			3.10 /0			
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Net interest margin (3), (4)					3.33%					3.39%			
Average interest-earning assets to					100 (10)					130 500			
interest-bearing liabilities					126.64%					128.79%			

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⁽²⁾Net interest-earning assets represents total interest-earning assets less total interest-bearing liabilities.

⁽³⁾ Net interest margin represents net interest income divided by average total interest-earning assets.

⁽⁴⁾ The tax adjusted net interest margin was 3.36% and 3.42% for the above periods ended December 31, 2017 and 2016 respectively. A 35% tax rate was used to calculate the effect on securities income from tax exempt securities.

The following table summarizes the components of First Guaranty's loan portfolio as of December 31, 2017, September 30, 2017, June 30, 2017 and March 31, 2017:

	December	31, 2017	September	30, 2017	June 30	, 2017	March 31, 2017		
(in thousands except for %)			As % of Category	Balance	As % of Category	Balance	As % of Category		
Real Estate:	<u> </u>	Cutegory	Dumiec	Cutegory	Building	Cutegory	Bullinee	cutegory	
Construction & land									
development	\$ 112,603	9.8%	\$ 108,610	9.8%	\$ 83,158	7.4%	\$ 86,376	8.7%	
Farmland	25,691	2.2%	29,345	2.6%	23,710	2.1%	23,348	2.3%	
1- 4 Family	158,733	13.8%	158,564	14.3%	160,928	14.4%	139,665	14.0%	
Multifamily	16,840	1.4%	17,089	1.5%	15,195	1.4%	12,440	1.3%	
Non-farm non-residential	540,231	46.9%	508,210	45.6%	509,776	45.6%	436,217	43.8%	
Total Real Estate	854,098	74.1%	821,818	73.8%	792,767	70.9%	698,046	70.1%	
	034,090	74.170	021,010	73.076	192,101	70.970	090,040	70.176	
Non-Real Estate:	21.514	1.00/	20.100	2.60/	20 (72	2.60/	22 170	2.20/	
Agricultural	21,514	1.9%	29,109	2.6%	28,673	2.6%	23,178	2.3%	
Commercial and industrial	220,700	19.2%	209,386	18.8%	222,021	19.9%	206,158	20.7%	
Consumer and other	55,185	4.8%	53,606	4.8%	73,431	6.6%	69,090	6.9%	
Total Non-Real Estate	297,399	25.9%	292,101	26.2%	324,125	29.1%	298,426	29.9%	
Total loans before unearned									
income	1,151,497	100.0%	1,113,919	100.0%	1,116,892	100.0%	996,472	100.0%	
Unearned income	(2,483)		(2,128)		(2,108)		(2,033)		
Total loans net of unearned income	\$ 1,149,014		\$ 1,111,791		\$ 1,114,784		\$ 994,439		

The table below sets forth the amounts and categories of our nonperforming assets at the dates indicated.

(in thousands)	Dec	ember 31, 2017	September 30, 2017	June 30, 2017		M	arch 31, 2017
Nonaccrual loans:		2017	2017	oun	C 30, 2017		2017
Real Estate:							
Construction and land development	\$	371	\$ 376	\$	386	\$	399
Farmland	Ψ	65	107	Ψ	94	Ψ	97
1 - 4 family residential		1,953	2,296		2,268		2,396
Multifamily		1,733	2,270		4,975		5,058
Non-farm non-residential		3,758	773		1,927		2,600
Total Real Estate		6,147	3,552		9,650	_	10,550
Non-Real Estate:		0,147	3,332		2,030		10,550
Agricultural		1,496	617		1,372		1,630
Commercial and industrial		4,826	6,081		8,031		8,078
Consumer and other		81	50		39		721
Total Non-Real Estate		6,403	6,748		9,442		10,429
Total nonaccrual loans		12,550	10,300		19,092		20,979
1 otal nonaccrual loans		12,550	10,300		19,092		20,979
Loans 90 days and greater delinquent & accruing:							
Real Estate:							
Construction and land development Farmland		-	-		-		-
1 - 4 family residential		-	47		58		50
Multifamily		-	-		-		_
Non-farm non-residential		-	-		-		-
Total Real Estate		-	47		58		50
Non-Real Estate:							
Agricultural		41	362		-		_
Commercial and industrial		798	-		-		-
Consumer and other		-	-		1,018		-
Total Non-Real Estate		839	362		1,018		_
Total loans 90 days and greater delinquent & accruing		839	409		1,076		50
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Total non-performing loans		13,389	10,709		20,168		21,029
Real Estate Owned:							
Real Estate Loans:							
Construction and land development		304	319		319		-
Farmland		-	-		-		-
1 - 4 family residential		23	23		146		43
Multifamily		-	-		-		-
Non-farm non-residential		954	954		269		196
Total Real Estate		1,281	1,296		734		239
Non-Real Estate Loans:							
Agricultural		-	-		-		-
Commercial and industrial		-	-		-		-
Consumer and other		<u>-</u>			-		<u>-</u>
Total Non-Real Estate		-			-		_
Total Real Estate Owned		1,281	1,296		734		239
Total non-performing assets	\$	14,670	\$ 12,005	\$	20,902	\$	21,268
Non-performing assets to total loans		1.28%			1.87%		2.14%
Non-performing assets to total assets		0.84%			1.21%		1.35%
Non-performing loans to total loans		1.17%	0.96%	6	1.81%)	2.11%

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

Our accounting and reporting policies conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States, or GAAP, and the prevailing practices in the banking industry. However, we also evaluate our performance based on certain additional metrics. Tangible book value per share and the ratio of tangible equity to tangible assets are not financial measures recognized under GAAP and, therefore, are considered non-GAAP financial measures.

Our management, banking regulators, many financial analysts and other investors use these non-GAAP financial measures to compare the capital adequacy of banking organizations with significant amounts of preferred equity and/or goodwill or other intangible assets, which typically stem from the use of the purchase accounting method of accounting for mergers and acquisitions. Tangible equity, tangible assets, tangible book value per share or related measures should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for total shareholders' equity, total assets, book value per share or any other measure calculated in accordance with GAAP. Moreover, the manner in which we calculate tangible equity, tangible assets, tangible book value per share and any other related measures may differ from that of other companies reporting measures with similar names.

The following table reconciles, as of the dates set forth below, shareholders' equity (on a GAAP basis) to tangible equity and total assets (on a GAAP basis) to tangible assets and calculates our tangible book value per share.

	At December 31,											
(in thousands except for share data and %)		2017		2016		2015		2014		2013		
Tangible Common Equity												
Total shareholders' equity	\$	143,983	\$	124,349	\$	118,224	\$	139,583	\$	123,405		
Adjustments:												
Preferred		=		-		=		39,435		39,435		
Goodwill		3,472		1,999		1,999		1,999		1,999		
Acquisition intangibles		3,249		978		1,298		1,618		1,938		
Tangible common equity	\$	137,262	\$	121,372	\$	114,927	\$	96,531	\$	80,033		
Common shares outstanding ¹	_	8,807,175		8,369,424		8,369,424		7,611,397		7,611,397		
Book value per common share ¹	\$	16.35	\$	14.86	\$	14.13	\$	13.16	\$	11.03		
Tangible book value per common share ¹	\$	15.59	\$	14.50	\$	13.73	\$	12.68	\$	10.52		
Tangible Assets												
Total Assets	\$	1,750,430	\$	1,500,946	\$	1,459,753	\$	1,518,876	\$	1,436,441		
Adjustments:												
Goodwill		3,472		1,999		1,999		1,999		1,999		
Acquisition intangibles		3,249		978		1,298		1,618		1,938		
Tangible Assets	\$	1,743,709	\$	1,497,969	\$	1,456,456	\$	1,515,259	\$	1,432,504		
Tangible common equity to tangible assets		7.87%	<u> </u>	8.10%	<u> </u>	7.89%	<u></u>	6.37%	<u> </u>	5.59%		

¹ All share amounts have been restated to reflect the ten percent stock dividend paid December 14, 2017 to shareholders of record as of December 8, 2017.

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We define core net income as net income less tax effected securities gains and non-recurring events such as acquisition expenses.

We define core loans as loans net of unearned income less syndicated loans.