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Form 4
January 07, 2003

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
Posey, Steven C.
McDonald's Office
1733 S. Breiel
Middletown, OH 45044
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
First Financial Bancorp (FFBC)
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
289-42-9794
4. Statement for Month/Day/Year
01/06/2003
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(X) Director () 10% Owner
() Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
(X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
() Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

TABLE I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	2A. Execu- tion Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	3. Trans- action Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of Underlying Securities			
			Code	V	Amount	A/D	Price	Report
Common Stock					1594			
Common Stock					1716			
Common Stock					5295			
Common Stock					1366			
Common Stock					48077			
FFBC (Directors Fee Stock Plan)	01/06/2003			P	145	A	\$17.0985	2247

TABLE II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.	2.	3.	3A.	4.	5.	6.	7.	
Title of Derivative Security	Deriv- ative Security	(Month/ Day/ Year)	(Month/ Day/ Year)	Transac- tion Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exer- cisable Expiration Date	Title and Amount of Underlying Securities
	Conver- sion or Exercise Price of	Trans- action Date	Execu- tion Date		Number of Derivative Securities		Date Exer- cisable Expiration Date	Amount or Number of Shares

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1997 (NQ)	\$13.148	04/22/2007	Common
Stock			Stock
Option			
2000 (NQ)	\$20.671	04/22/2009	Common
Stock			Stock
Option			
2002 (NQ)	\$18.84	04/23/2012	Common
Stock			Stock
Option			

Explanation of Responses:

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON
/s/ Terri J. Ziepfel

DATE
01/07/2003