FORM 5

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Form 3 Holdings Reported

Form 4 Transactions

Reported

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reportin CATON DOUGLAS E	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNION BANKSHARES CORP [ubsh]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) 102 SOUTH FIRST ST, SU	(Middle) UITE 301	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2004			Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)			
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA						_X_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui					dired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)		Beneficial Ownership
Union Bankshares							276,520.744	D	

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Deriv Secur Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D (Instr	rative rities ired rosed) . 3,			on Date Amount		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Issuer's	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial	
				(A)	,	Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CATON DOUGLAS E 102 SOUTH FIRST ST SUITE 301 CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902	X						

Signatures

Douglas E. Caton	01/18/2005
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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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