

TARGET CORP  
Form 8-K  
August 12, 2004

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**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) **August 12, 2004**

**Target Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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

**1-6049**  
(Commission File Number)

**41-0215170**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**1000 Nicollet Mall**  
**Minneapolis, Minnesota**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**55403**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **(612) 304-6073**

**Item 5. Other Events.**

On August 12, 2004, Target Corporation issued a News Release containing its financial results for the quarter ended July 31, 2004. The News Release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99. Forward-looking statements in this release should be considered in conjunction with the cautionary statements in Exhibit (99)C to Target Corporation's 2003 Form 10-K.

**Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(c) Exhibits.**

99. Target Corporation's News Release dated August 12, 2004 containing its financial results for the quarter ended July 31, 2004.

**Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On August 12, 2004, Target Corporation issued a News Release containing its financial results for the quarter ended July 31, 2004. The News Release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99. Forward-looking statements in this release should be considered in conjunction with the cautionary statements in Exhibit (99)C to Target Corporation's 2003 Form 10-K.

**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: August 12, 2004

TARGET CORPORATION

/s/ Douglas A. Scovanner  
Douglas A. Scovanner  
Executive Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

| <b>Exhibit</b> | <b>Description</b>                                      | <b>Method of Filing</b> |
|----------------|---|-------------------------|
| 99.            | Target Corporation's News Release dated August 12, 2004 | Electronic Transmission |