

THOMPSON KATHY C
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 THOMPSON KATHY C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

6804 FAIRWAY VIEW CT.

(Street)

PROSPECT, KY 40059

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 S Y BANCORP INC [SYBT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/20/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

Sr. Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, 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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/20/2012		A	2,565	A 41,215.8811	D	
Common Stock					14,763.4342	I	By ESOP/401k-fbo Kathy Thompson

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.619					06/17/2003 12/17/2012	Common Stock 7,1
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.1714					06/16/2004 12/16/2013	Common Stock 9,7
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.8095					06/14/2005 06/14/2014	Common Stock 9,3
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.0667					07/17/2006 11/07/2016	Common Stock 14,7
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.83					08/20/2007 02/20/2017	Common Stock 9,5
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 23.37					08/19/2008 02/19/2018	Common Stock 6,0
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22.14					02/17/2010 02/17/2019	Common Stock 5,5
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 21.03					02/16/2011 02/16/2020	Common Stock 9,0
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 23.76					03/15/2012 03/15/2021	Common Stock 6,1
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22.86	02/20/2012		A	10,640	02/20/2013 02/20/2022	Common Stock 10,6

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
THOMPSON KATHY C 6804 FAIRWAY VIEW CT. PROSPECT, KY 40059	X		Sr. Executive Vice President	

Signatures

//Kathy C.
Thompson

02/22/2012

__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).
- (1) Restricted Stock Grant
- (2) Stock Appreciation Rights Grant

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