

Ortale Gary John
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FORM 4

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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 *
 Ortale Gary John

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 MidWestOne Financial Group, Inc.
 [MOFG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 ___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 EVP, CFO & Treasurer

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 102 S. CLINTON STREET, P.O.
 BOX 1700
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 12/05/2011

IOWA CITY, IA 52244-1700

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock					3,583	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2011		P		500	A	\$ 14.8
Common Stock					1,500	I	By Spousal IRA
Common Stock					934 ⁽⁴⁾	I	By ESOP

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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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V (A) (D)		
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.69					<u>(1)</u> 04/01/2018		Common Stock	500
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.34					<u>(2)</u> 01/22/2019		Common Stock	500
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.02					<u>(3)</u> 07/16/2019		Common Stock	4,800

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Ortale Gary John 102 S. CLINTON STREET P.O. BOX 1700 IOWA CITY, IA 52244-1700			EVP, CFO & Treasurer	

Signatures

Kenneth R. Urmie, under Power of Attorney dated January 22,
2009

12/07/2011

__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) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on April 1, 2009.
- (2) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on January 22, 2010.
- (3) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on July 16, 2010.
- (4) Shares held in MidWestOne Financial Group, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan and allocated to reporting person's account as of September 9, 2011.

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