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 Form 4  
 March 13, 2003

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person  
 COCCIA, JOSEPH, JR.  
 1455 VALLEY ROAD  
 WAYNE, NJ 07470-
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP (VLY)
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
4. Statement for Month/Day/Year  
 03/14/2003
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 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
Common Stock					267825
Common Stock					0
Common Stock					0
Common Stock	03/12/2003		P	10000 A \$24.0000	42271

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

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Derivative Security	3. (Month/Day/Year)	3A. (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code	5. (A)   (D)	6. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A)   Disposed (D)	7. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities

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Explanation of Responses:

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON  
/s/ JOSEPH, JR. COCCIA

DATE  
03/13/2003