

MEREDITH CORP  
Form 8-K  
April 29, 2003

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UNITED STATES  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K**

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)      April 29, 2003  
Commission file number                                      1-5128

MEREDITH CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

IOWA  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

42-0410230  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1716 Locust Street, Des Moines, Iowa  
(Address of principal executive offices)

50309-3023  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 515-284-3000

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Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

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News release issued by Meredith Corporation dated April 29, 2003 concerning financial results for the quarter and nine-months ended March 31, 2003.

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

On April 29, 2003, Meredith Corporation issued a news release reporting earnings for the third fiscal quarter and nine-months ended March 31, 2003. That news release is attached as an exhibit.

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SIGNATURE

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, thereunto duly authorized.

MEREDITH CORPORATION

Registrant

/s/ Suku V. Radia

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Suku V. Radia

Vice President - Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

Date: April 29, 2003

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