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Report for the Calendar Year or Quarter Ended: 12-31-2023

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Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

Name: FIRST MERCHANTS CORP
200 East Jackson Street

Address: Muncie IN 47305

Form 13F File Number: 028-13037

CRD Number (if applicable):

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Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: Candy Shannon
Title: Director of Wealth Operations
Phone: 765-747-1315

Signature, Place, and Date of Signing:

Candy Shannon Muncie, INDIANA 01-09-2024
[Signature] [City, State] [Date]

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Report Type (Check only one.):

Checkbox checked 13F HOLDINGS REPORT. (Check here if all holdings of this reporting manager are reported in this report.)

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Report Summary:

Number of Other Included Managers: 0

Form 13F Information table Entry Total: 337

Form 13F Information table Value Total: 1220340677

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List of Other Included Managers:

Provide a numbered list of the name(s) and Form 13F number(s) of all institutional investment managers with respect to which this report is filed, other than the manager filing this report.

NONE

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