

AMAZON COM INC  
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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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## FORM 8-K

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CURRENT REPORT

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

October 21, 2004

DATE OF REPORT

(DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED)

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## AMAZON.COM, INC.

(EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN CHARTER)

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DELAWARE  
(STATE OR OTHER JURISDICTION

OF INCORPORATION)

000-22513  
(COMMISSION FILE NO.)

91-1646860  
(IRS EMPLOYER

IDENTIFICATION NO.)

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1200 12TH AVENUE SOUTH, SUITE 1200, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON 98144

(ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES, INCLUDING ZIP CODE)

(206) 266-1000

(REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE)

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**ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION**

On October 21, 2004, Amazon.com, Inc. announced its third quarter 2004 financial results. A copy of the press release containing the announcement is included as Exhibit 99.1 and additional information regarding non-GAAP financial measures included in certain of Amazon.com's public disclosures, including its third quarter 2004 financial results announcement, is included as Exhibit 99.2. Both of these exhibits are incorporated herein by reference.

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**SIGNATURES**

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 hereunto duly authorized.

**AMAZON.COM, INC. (REGISTRANT)**

By: /s/ THOMAS J. SZKUTAK

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Thomas J. Szkutak  
Senior Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

Dated: October 21, 2004

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<b><u>Exhibit Number</u></b>	<b><u>Description</u></b>
99.1	Press Release dated October 21, 2004 announcing Amazon.com, Inc.'s Third Quarter 2004 Financial Results.
99.2	Information Regarding Certain Non-GAAP Financial Measures.