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

**SCHEDULE 13G/A** 

(Amendment No. 2)\*

**Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934** 

# **Investar Holding Corporation**

(Name of Issuer)

# Common Stock, \$1.00 par value per share

(Titles of Class of Securities)
46134L105

(CUSIP Number)
December 31, 2022
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)
Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:
⊠ Rule 13d-1(b)
☐ Rule 13d-1(c)
☐ Rule 13d-1(d)
* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out of a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.
The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the <i>Notes</i> ).
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON Fourthstone LLC							
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP							
	(a) □ (b) □							
3	SEC USE ONLY							
4	CITIZENSHII Missouri	OR P	LACE OF ORGANIZA	TION				
		5	SOLE VOTING POV	VER				
			- 0 -					
NUMBER OF SHARES 6 SHARED VOTING POWER								
BEN	NEFICIALLY OWNED		983,888					
BY EACH REPORTING 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER								
-	PERSON WITH: -0-							
	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER							
	983,888							
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON							
	983,888							
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES $\square$							
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9							
	9.95% (1)							
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON							
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON Fourthstone Master Opportunity Fund Ltd						
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP						
	(a) □ (b) □						
3	SEC USE ONLY						
4	CITIZENSHIE Cayman Island		LACE OF ORGANIZA	ATION			
		5	SOLE VOTING POV	VER			
			- 0 -				
	JMBER OF SHARES	6	SHARED VOTING	POWER			
	IEFICIALLY OWNED		615,831				
BY EACH REPORTING 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER							
	PERSON WITH: -0-						
	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER						
	615,831						
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON						
	615,831						
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES $\square$						
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9						
	6.23% (2)						
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON						
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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON Fourthstone GP LLC							
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP							
	(a) □ (b) □							
3	SEC USE ONLY							
4	CITIZENSHII Missouri	P OR P	LACE OF ORGANIZA	ATION				
		5	SOLE VOTING POV	VER				
			- 0 -					
	JMBER OF SHARES	6	SHARED VOTING I	POWER				
	NEFICIALLY OWNED		340,957					
	BY EACH EPORTING	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE	POWER				
	PERSON WITH: -0-							
8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER								
	340,957							
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON							
	340,957							
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □							
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9							
	3.45% (3)							
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON							
	00							

(3) Based on 9,890,880 shares of Common Stock (as defined below) of the Issuer (as defined below) outstanding as of October 31, 2022, based on the Issuer's 10-Q filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 2, 2022. Fourthstone GP LLC is the general partner of and may be deemed to beneficially own securities owned by Fourthstone QP Opportunity Fund LP and Fourthstone Small-Cap Financials Fund LP.

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON Fourthstone QP Opportunity Fund LP						
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP						
	(a) □ (b) □						
3	SEC USE ONLY						
4	CITIZENSHII Delaware	OR P	LACE OF ORGANIZA	TION			
		5	SOLE VOTING POV	VER			
			- 0 -				
	JMBER OF SHARES	6	SHARED VOTING I	POWER			
	IEFICIALLY OWNED		315,217				
BY EACH REPORTING 7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER							
	PERSON WITH: - 0 -						
	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER						
	315,217						
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON						
	315,217						
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES $\Box$						
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9						
	3.19% (4)						
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON						
	PN						

1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON Fourthstone Small-Cap Financials Fund LP						
2	CHECK THE	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP					
	(a) □ (b) □						
3	SEC USE ON	LY					
4	CITIZENSHII Delaware	P OR F	PLACE OF ORGANIZATION				
		5	SOLE VOTING POWER				
			- 0 -				
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING		6	SHARED VOTING POWER				
			25,740				
		7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
	PERSON WITH:		- 0 -				
	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER						
	25,740						
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON						
	25,740						
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES □						
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9						
	0.26% (5)						
12	TYPE OF RE	PORTI	NG PERSON				
	PN						

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1		NAME OF REPORTING PERSON L. Phillip Stone, IV				
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP					
	(a) □ (b) □					
3	SEC USE ON	LY				
4	CITIZENSHIF U.S.A.	OR P	LACE OF ORGANIZATION			
		5	SOLE VOTING POWER			
			- 0 -			
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING		6	SHARED VOTING POWER			
			983,888			
		7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER			
PERSON WITH: - 0 -			- 0 -			
	8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER					
	983,888					
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON					
	983,888					
10	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES $\square$					
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9					
	9.95% (6)					
12	TYPE OF REI	PORTI	NG PERSON			
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#### Item 1(a). Name of Issuer:

Investar Holding Corporation (the "Issuer")

# Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

10500 Coursey Blvd Baton Rouge, LA 70816

## Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing:

This Schedule 13G is being filed by Fourthstone LLC, a Missouri Limited Liability Company and Investment Adviser ("Fourthstone"). The persons reporting information on this Schedule 13G include, in addition to Fourthstone, a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands ("Fourthstone Master Opportunity Fund"), a Delaware Limited Partnership ("Fourthstone QP Opportunity"), a Delaware Limited Partnership ("Fourthstone Small-Cap Financials"), a Missouri Limited Liability Company ("Fourthstone GP," General Partner of Fourthstone QP Opportunity and Fourthstone Small-Cap Financials), and L. Phillip Stone, IV, a citizen of the United States of America, who is the Managing Member of Fourthstone and Fourthstone GP (each, a "Reporting Person" and, together, the "Reporting Persons").

Fourthstone directly holds 983,888 shares of Common Stock on behalf of its advisory clients. Each of the Reporting Persons listed in this filing certify the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the Issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that effect.

# Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence:

The principal business address of each of the Reporting Persons is as follows:

The registered office of Fourthstone LLC, Fourthstone Master Opportunity Fund Ltd., Fourthstone GP LLC, Fourthstone QP Opportunity Fund LP, Fourthstone Small-Cap Financials Fund LP is 575 Maryville Centre Drive, Suite 110, St. Louis, MO 63141.

# Item 2(c). Citizenship:

See response to Item 4 of each of the cover pages.

# Item 2(d). Titles of Classes of Securities:

Common Stock, \$1.00 par value per share ("Common Stock")

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Item 2(e).	1 2(e). CUSIP Number:							
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Item 3.	If This Statement is Filed Pursuant t	o Rule 13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b) or (c), Check Whether t	he Person Filing is a(n):					
	(a)   Broker or dealer registered ur	der Section 15 of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. 78o).						
	(b) ☐ Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).							
	(c)  Insurance company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Exchange Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).							
	(d)   Investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C 80a-8).							
	(e)   Investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E).							
	(f)   Employee benefit plan or end	owment fund in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F	).					
(g)   ■ Parent holding company or control person in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G).								
	(h)   Savings association as defined	3 U.S.C. 1813).						
(i) ☐ Church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Com U.S.C. 80a-3).								
	(j) Non-U.S. institution in accord	dance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).						
	(k) ☐ Group in accordance with §24	10.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).						
	If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of institution:							
Item 4.	Ownership							
	(a) Amount Beneficially Owned:							
	See responses to Item 9 on each cover page.							
	(b) Percent of Class:							
(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:								
	(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:							
	See responses to Item 5 on ea	ch cover page.						
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#### (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:

See responses to Item 6 on each cover page.

# (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

See responses to Item 7 on each cover page.

# (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

See responses to Item 8 on each cover page.

#### Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following  $\Box$ .

#### Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not Applicable.

# Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company.

Not applicable.

#### Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not applicable.

#### Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable.

#### Item 10. Certification.

By signing the below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having the purpose or effect, other than activities solely in connection with a nomination under §240.14a-11.

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# **SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 14, 2023

Fourthstone LLC

By: /s/ Amy M. Stone

Name: Amy M. Stone

Title: Chief Executive Officer

Fourthstone Master Opportunity Fund Ltd

By: /s/ Amy M. Stone

Name: Amy M. Stone

Title: Chief Executive Officer

Fourthstone QP Opportunity Fund LP

Fourthstone Small-Cap Financials Fund LP

By: Fourthstone GP LLC, the General Partner

By: /s/ Amy M. Stone

Name: Amy M. Stone

Title: Chief Executive Officer