



There are several tributes to the life of [the Rev. Fred L. Shuttlesworth](#) available as family members and residents throughout the city and the country prepare to honor the civil rights leader this weekend.

There was a wreath laying at the statue bearing his resemblance in front of the [Birmingham Civil Rights Institute](#) on October 12 by members of the Birmingham chapter of the NAACP. [CBS 42](#) and [Weld for Birmingham](#) have also collected Shuttlesworth's own thoughts, with Weld's publisher, Mark Kelly, offering [this reflective account](#) on October 15.

The October 21 print edition of *The Birmingham News* includes a special section (contained in section A) complete with quotes from Shuttlesworth, [a photo gallery](#) and remembrances from individuals [including one from BCRI president Lawrence Pijaux](#).

Wade Black, executive director of the [Birmingham Pledge Foundation](#), [has shared a remembrance of Shuttlesworth and his importance to the civil rights movement in our editorial section today](#).

Reverend Shuttlesworth will be remembered at a private family service at Bethel Baptist Church on October 22. His body will be at the Birmingham Civil Rights Institute for public respects Sunday, October 23, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. [Diane McWhorter](#) and [Robert Corley](#) will be co-moderating [Historians and History Makers Pay Tribute to the Rev. Fred Shuttlesworth](#), from 3 - 5 p.m. that day at the [Birmingham Museum of Art](#).

A funeral service will begin at 10 a.m. October 24 at Faith Chapel Christian Center in Wylam prior to private burial at Oak Hill Cemetery (just north of downtown).

**Photo:** *Shuttlesworth Memorial at BCRI, October 13, 2011.* [acnatta/bhamterminal.com](http://acnatta/bhamterminal.com).