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These first verses are a tuning of the harp. Certainly, he uses no vain repetitions, for the Holy Spirit guides his pen; and thus he shews us that we have need, again and again, to bestir ourselves when we are about to worship God, for it would be shameful to offer him anything less than the utmost our souls can render.

Charles Spurgeon, The Treasury Of David

Mark 12

NLT

29 Jesus replied, “The most important commandment is this: ‘Listen, O Israel! The Lord our God is the one and only Lord.

30 And you must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, all your mind, and all your strength.’

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All That I Am

- Man
- Husband
- Pastor
- Board Member
- Son
- Grandson
- Brother
- Uncle
- Cousin
- Friend
- Employee
- Coworker
- Manager
- Web Developer
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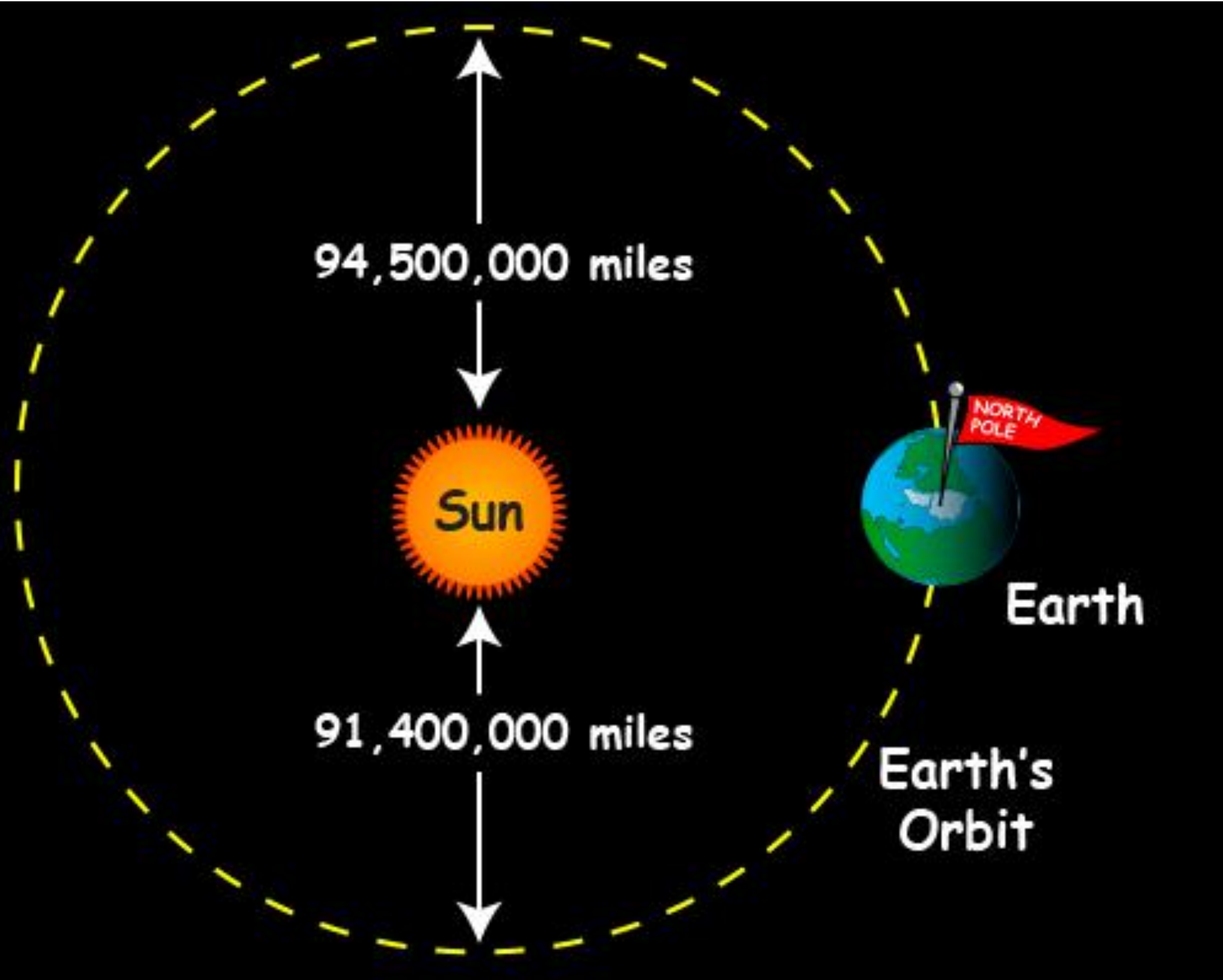
- 6** The Lord gives righteousness and justice to all who are treated unfairly.
- 7** He revealed his character to Moses and his deeds to the people of Israel.
- 8** The Lord is compassionate and merciful, slow to get angry and filled with unfailing love.
- 9** He will not constantly accuse us, nor remain angry forever.
- 10** He does not punish us for all our sins; he does not deal harshly with us, as we deserve.
- 11** For his unfailing love toward those who fear him is as great as the height of the heavens above the earth.
- 12** He has removed our sins as far from us as the east is from the west.

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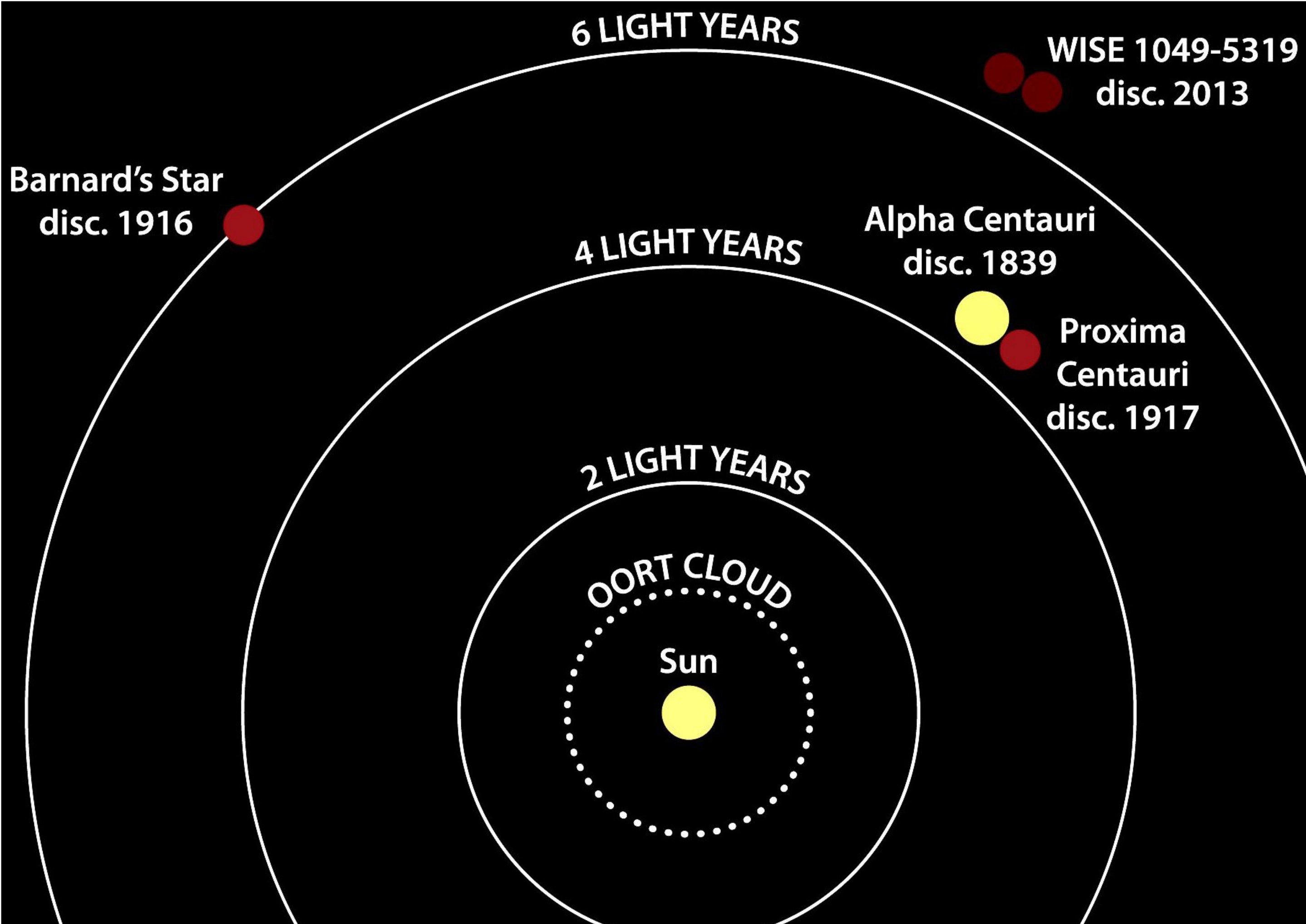
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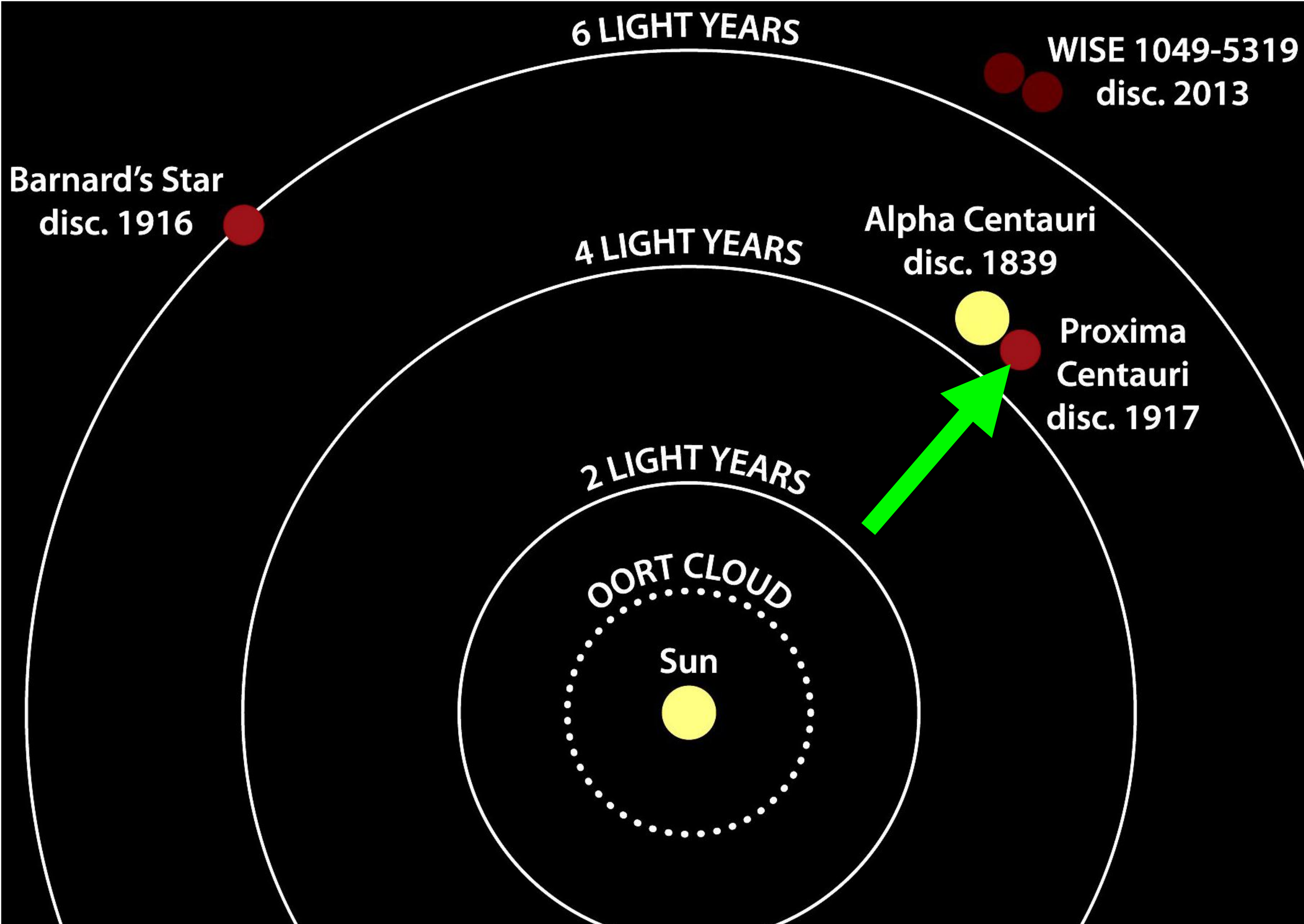
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Albert Barnes, Source

Who of us can fail to stand in awe
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what God "might" have justly done
to us; what sufferings he "might"
have brought upon us, which would
have been no more than we have
deserved

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Isaiah 53

NLT

4 Yet it was our weaknesses he carried; it was our sorrows that weighed him down. And we thought his troubles were a punishment from God, a punishment for his own sins!

5 But he was pierced for our rebellion, crushed for our sins. He was beaten so we could be whole. He was whipped so we could be healed.

6 All of us, like sheep, have strayed away. We have left God's paths to follow our own. Yet the Lord laid on him the sins of us all.

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13 The Lord is like a father to his children, tender and compassionate to those who fear him.

14 For he knows how weak we are; he remembers we are only dust.

15 Our days on earth are like grass; like wildflowers, we bloom and die.

16 The wind blows, and we are gone— as though we had never been here.

17 But the love of the Lord remains forever with those who fear him. His salvation extends to the children's children

18 of those who are faithful to his covenant, of those who obey his commandments!

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Recorded History



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Recorded History + 10,000 Years Of Eternity

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Our heavenly Father never overloads us, and never fails to give us strength equal to our day, because he always takes our frailty into account when he is apportioning to us our lot. Blessed be his holy name for this gentleness towards his frail creatures.

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16 Then he told them a story: “A rich man had a fertile farm that produced fine crops.

17 He said to himself, ‘What should I do? I don’t have room for all my crops.’

18 Then he said, ‘I know! I’ll tear down my barns and build bigger ones. Then I’ll have room enough to store all my wheat and other goods.

19 And I’ll sit back and say to myself, “My friend, you have enough stored away for years to come. Now take it easy! Eat, drink, and be merry!” ’

20 “But God said to him, ‘You fool! You will die this very night. Then who will get everything you worked for?’

21 “Yes, a person is a fool to store up earthly wealth but not have a rich relationship with God.”

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19 The Lord has made the heavens his throne; from there he rules over everything.

20 Praise the Lord, you angels, you mighty ones who carry out his plans, listening for each of his commands.

21 Yes, praise the Lord, you armies of angels who serve him and do his will!

22 Praise the Lord, everything he has created, everything in all his kingdom.
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