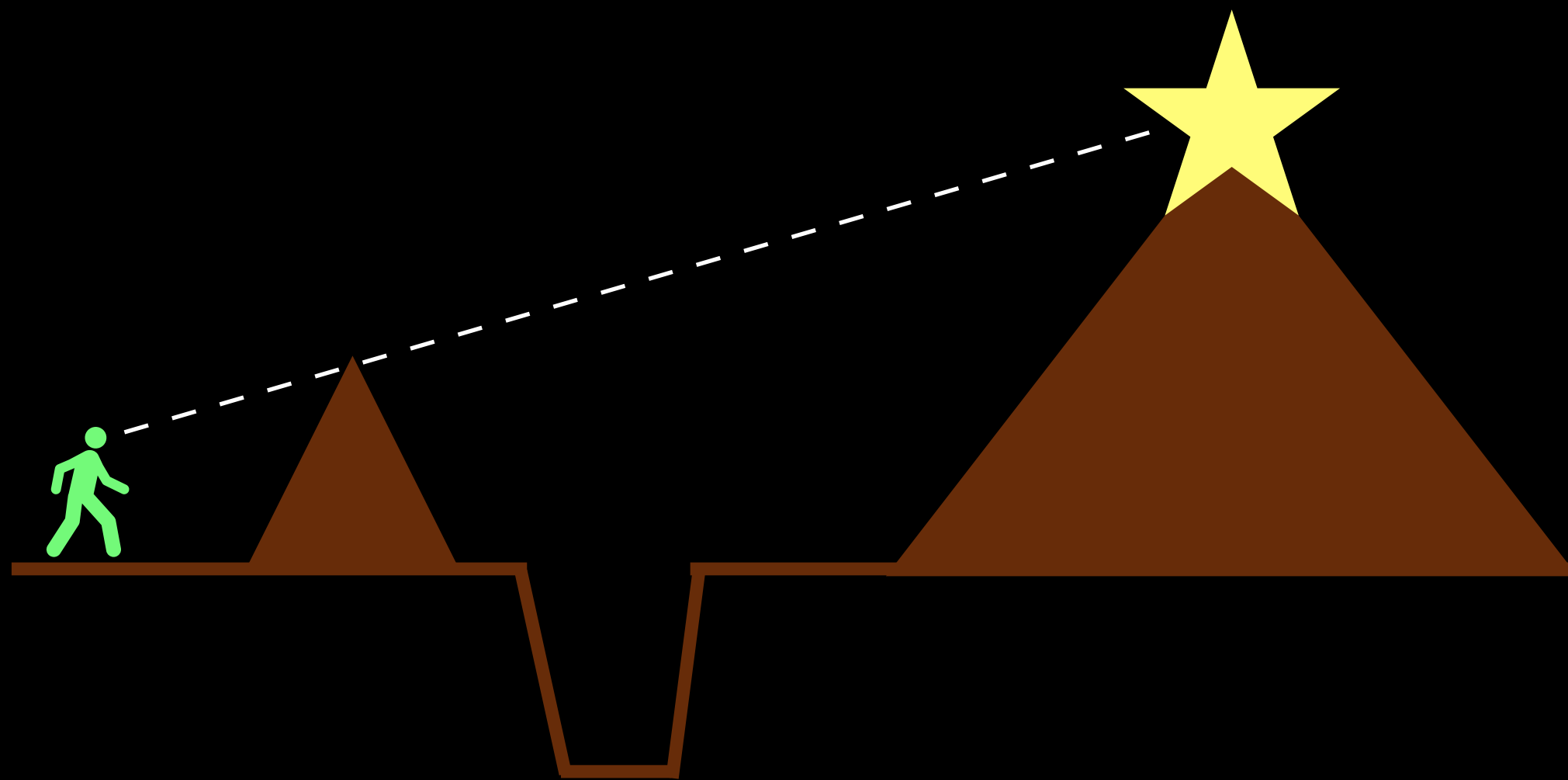


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*FROM CREATION TO CHRIST:  
KEY MOMENTS IN THE OT*

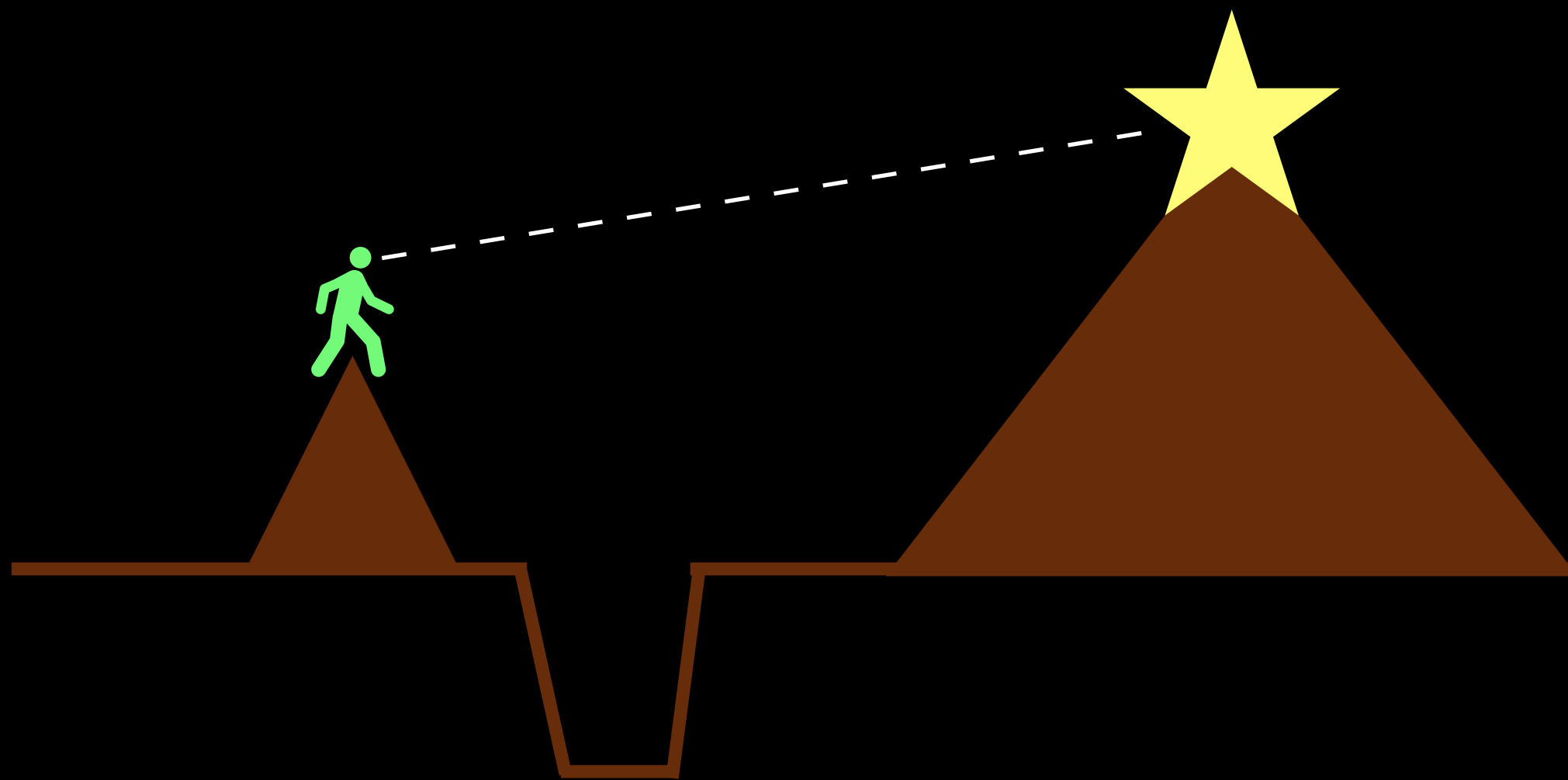


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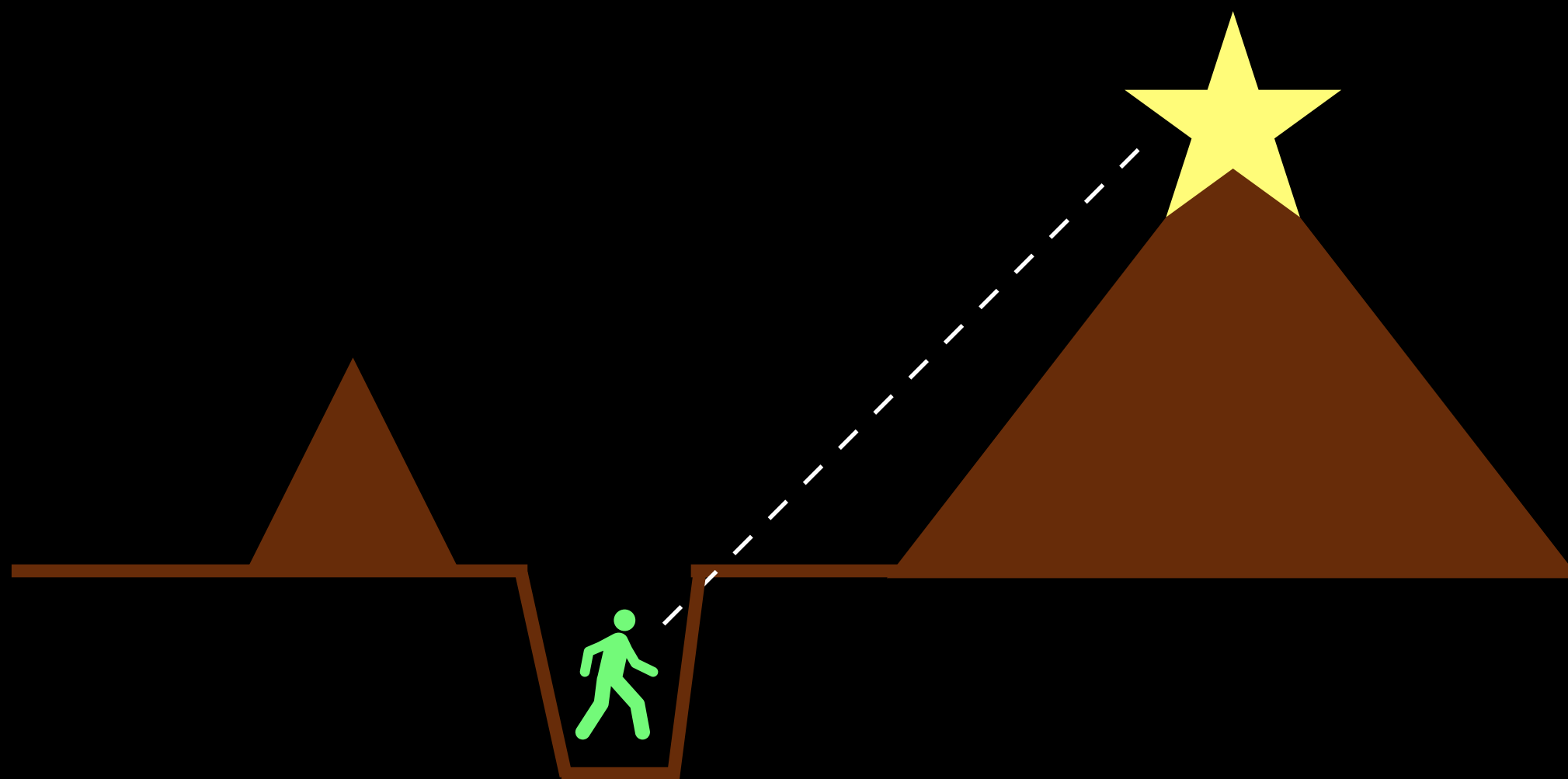


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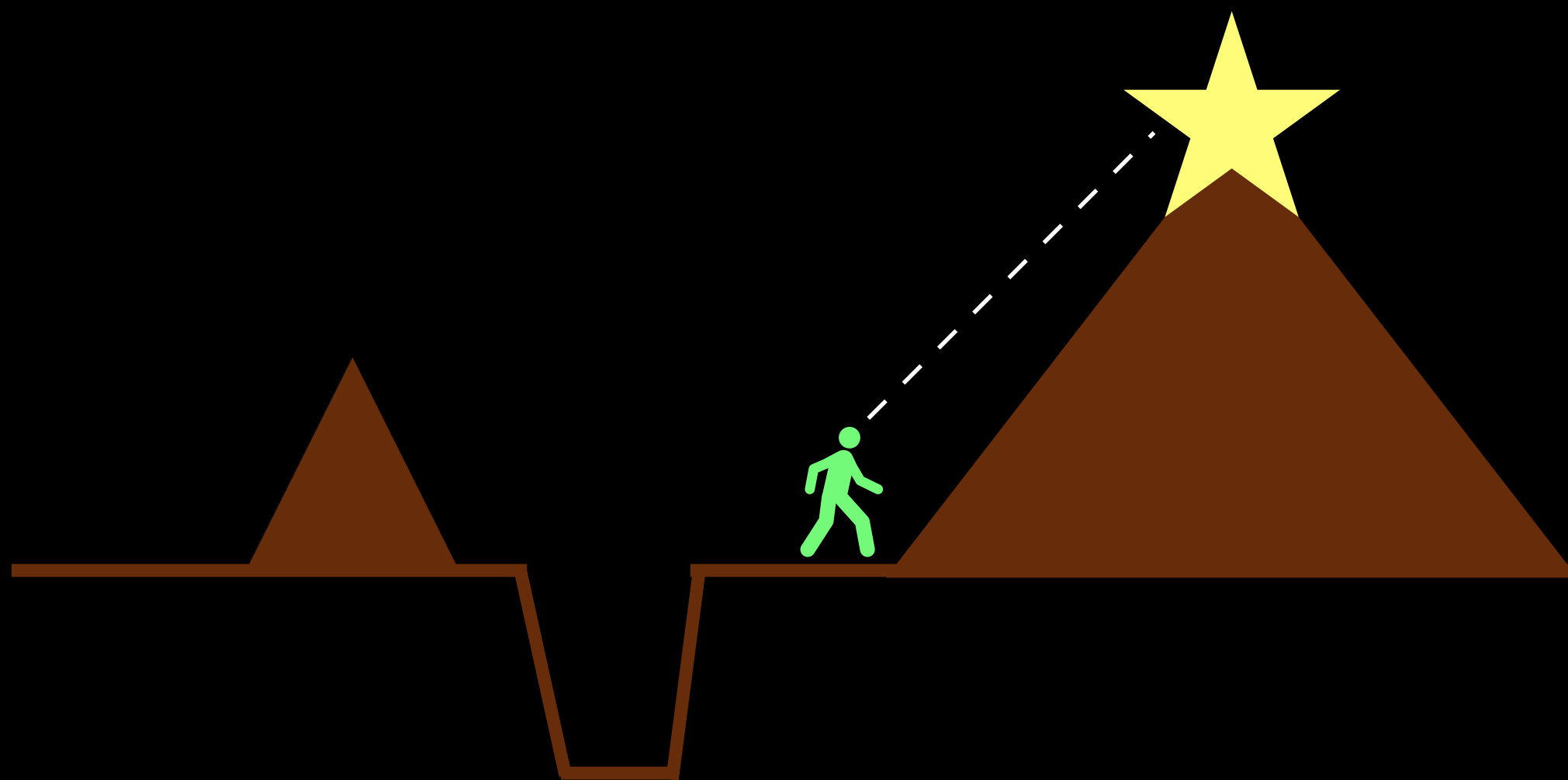
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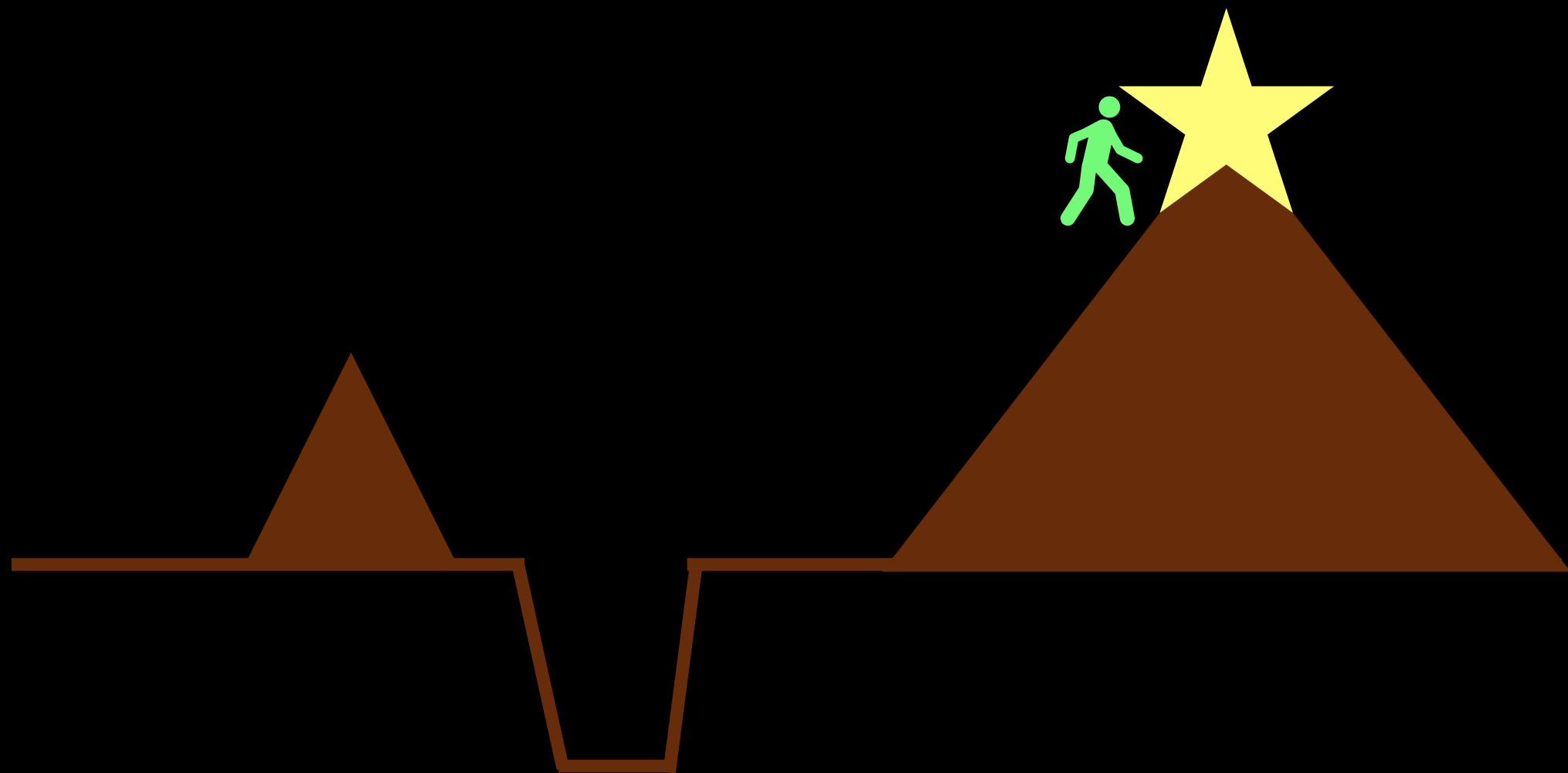
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*KEY MOMENTS IN THE OT:  
THE ABRAHAM STORY*

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# THE ABRAHAM STORY:

## GENESIS 11-22

- Abram (Abraham) was called out of idolatry to follow God (Genesis 12.1-3; Joshua 24.2f).
- God's promises to Abraham (Gen. 12):
  - Blessings (2), Great name (2), Protection (3)
  - Land (1), Nation (2), Blessings for All Humanity (3)





# THE ABRAHAM STORY:

## GENESIS 11-22

- Though he made a few bad choices, Abraham's life was generally one of belief and righteousness (15.6).
- Abraham and Sarah made a bad choice regarding Hagar and Ishmael (16.2ff).
- God reminds Abraham and Sarah that His promise of a nation will come through their future child (17.21).



# THE ABRAHAM STORY:

## GENESIS 11-22

- Isaac is eventually born to Abraham and Sarah (21.3ff).
- Abraham is called to sacrifice Isaac as a sacrifice to God (22).
- God stops the sacrifice, praising Abraham's faith (22.8,12).
- Isaac is revealed as not only part of the Nation promise, but also the Seed promise (22.17-18).



# WHAT IS GOD REVEALING?

## GENESIS 11-22

- The universal nature of His love.
  - Ur, Haran, "all the families of the earth"
- His unique ability to make man righteous through submission to Him (15.6).
- His trustworthiness as Promise-maker.
- The perfection of His timing.
- The Seed through whom the world would be blessed was coming (22.18).
  - Galatians 3.8,16

