The universe is about 15 billion years old, give or take a few hundred million years. Life began on Earth about 4 billion years ago, 4 B y.a. “In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word IS God.” [modified Gospel according to John]. But we can’t assume God is as old as our cosmos. We have to assume that God evolved just like us; we have no other precedent. As a fictional time-frame reference that might provide a reasonable estimate of that evolutionary time-frame, consider Errand of Mercy, an original Star Trek episode by Gene L. Coon where the Organians, according to Spock, are around 1 million years ahead of us, evolution-wise. A reasonable extension of that time-frame would put “the gods” approximately 1 B years ahead. Now, considering the Prime Goddess aka Ms. Noname aka The archetype of Mary aka Mom, and the one lucid dream where she appeared 40-ish, would place her when?

It is reasonable to assume that She, along with her husband Fred* and several Children**, chose Earth because of its habitability – to place life on it. Further, it’s also reasonable to assume they attained god-hood around the same time as placing life on Earth. In that same logical evolutionary framework, they must have originated on their home-planet around 5 B years previous or – 9 B y.a. That leaves the 6 B years previous as lifeless galaxies. This appears to me, the most reasonable time-frame for sentient life to evolve statistically in our cosmos.

*the name Fred came to me in a dream a night or so ago as a kind of generic American English male name from the 50s
**Jesus was not the only child of Fred and Mom; there are others from mythology that the reader may guess at

When I was around 8, I asked God her age without knowing it was a She I was speaking with; as we all know, you never ask a lady her age.