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In this note we prove refined estimates for the linearized KdV operator, which allow us to prove scattering for perturbations of solitons in the scaling space appropriate for the quartic nonlinearity, $\dot{H}^{-\frac{1}{6}}$. This is an improvement of the work of Tao in that we are able to work purely in the scaling space without additional regularity assumptions. (Received August 20, 2009)