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### ...since she started reading The National Observer!

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15. How to save money-perhaps hundreds of dollars when

you are purchasing a new car.

16. Why many people and even clergymen are secretly—and seriously—practicing witchcraft.

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"Where did Barbara get all of
this information? Certainly not
from day time television or the

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