

"Once men turned their thinking over to machines hoping that this would set them free. But that only permitted other men with machines to enslave them."

DUNE

Sound familiar?
BLINE WAS
first published
in 1965.

Putting every-
thing online seems
like a bad idea. A put-
ting all your eggs
in one basket" kind
of short-sightedness.
My favorite parts of
the story are about

human potential.
superior abilities
attained by practice
and insight.
I saw the same
idea in the Kung Fu
television series in
the '70s. Human
abilities overcoming
brutality and tech-
nological enhance-
ments. I wonder if

There is some real
connection. Frank
Herbert uses middle
east references. Koran?

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