



## Fill in the gaps

### The Trooper by Iron Maiden

You'll take my life but I'll take yours too

You'll (1)\_\_\_\_\_ your musket but I'll run you through

So when you're (2)\_\_\_\_\_ for the next attack

You'd better stand there's no turning back.

The bugle (3)\_\_\_\_\_ and the charge begins

But on (4)\_\_\_\_\_ battlefield no one wins

The (5)\_\_\_\_\_ of (6)\_\_\_\_\_ smoke and (7)\_\_\_\_\_ breath

As I (8)\_\_\_\_\_ on (9)\_\_\_\_\_ certain death.

The horse he sweats with fear we (10)\_\_\_\_\_ to run

The mighty roar of the Russian guns

And as we race (11)\_\_\_\_\_ the human wall

The screams of (12)\_\_\_\_\_ as my (13)\_\_\_\_\_ fall

We hurdle (14)\_\_\_\_\_ that lay on the ground

And the (15)\_\_\_\_\_ fire another round

We get so (16)\_\_\_\_\_ yet so far away

We (17)\_\_\_\_\_ meant to fight another day.

We get so (18)\_\_\_\_\_ near (19)\_\_\_\_\_ to fight

When a Russian gets me in his sights

He pulls the (20)\_\_\_\_\_ and I (21)\_\_\_\_\_ the blow

A (22)\_\_\_\_\_ of (23)\_\_\_\_\_ (24)\_\_\_\_\_ my horse below.

And as I lay there gazing at the sky

My body's numb and my throat is dry

And as I lay forgotten and alone

Without a tear I draw my parting groan



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### Answer

1. fire
2. waiting
3. sounds
4. this
5. smell
6. acrid
7. horses
8. plunge
9. into
10. break
11. towards
12. pain
13. comrades
14. bodies
15. Russians
16. near
17. were
18. close
19. enough
20. trigger
21. feel
22. burst
23. rounds
24. take