



## Fill in the gaps

### The Trooper by Iron Maiden

You'll take my life but I'll (1)\_\_\_\_\_ yours too

You'll fire your musket but I'll run you through

So when you're waiting for the next attack

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

The bugle (2)\_\_\_\_\_ and the charge begins

But on this battlefield no one wins

The smell of acrid smoke and (3)\_\_\_\_\_ breath

As I plunge on into certain death.

The horse he sweats (4)\_\_\_\_\_ fear we break to run

The mighty roar of the Russian guns

And as we race towards the human wall

The screams of (5)\_\_\_\_\_ as my comrades fall

We hurdle bodies that lay on the ground

And the Russians fire another round

We get so near yet so far away

We were (6)\_\_\_\_\_ to (7)\_\_\_\_\_ another day.

We get so close near enough to fight

When a Russian gets me in his sights

He (8)\_\_\_\_\_ the trigger and I feel the blow

A burst of rounds take my (9)\_\_\_\_\_ 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



Answer

1. take
2. sounds
3. horses
4. with
5. pain
6. meant
7. fight
8. pulls
9. horse

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