## The Trooper by Iron Maiden

## Fill in the gaps

You'll take my (1) but I'll take (2) to	0
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 (3) and the charge begins	
But on this battlefield no one wins	
The smell of acrid smoke and horses breath	
As I plunge on into certain death.	
The horse he sweats with fear we break to run	
The mighty (4) of the Russian guns	
And as we (5) towards the human wall	
The screams of pain as my (6) fall	
We hurdle bodies that lay on the ground	
And the Russians (7) another round	
We get so near yet so far away	
We were (8) to fight another day.	
We get so close near (9) to fight	
When a Russian gets me in his sights	
He pulls the trigger and I feel the blow	
A burst of rounds take 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 (10)	



- 1. life
- 2. yours
- 3. sounds
- 4. roar
- 5. race
- 6. comrades
- 7. fire
- 8. meant
- 9. enough
- 10. groan

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