



Fill in the gaps

The Trooper by Iron Maiden

You'll take my life but I'll take (1)_____ too

You'll fire your (2)_____ but I'll run you through

So when you're waiting for the next attack

You'd (3)_____ stand there's no turning back.

The bugle (4)_____ and the charge begins

But on this battlefield no one wins

The (5)_____ of acrid smoke and (6)_____ breath

As I plunge on into certain death.

The horse he sweats with (7)_____ we break to run

The mighty (8)_____ of the Russian guns

And as we race towards the (9)_____ wall

The screams of pain as my (10)_____ fall

We (11)_____ bodies (12)_____ lay on the ground

And the Russians (13)_____ another round

We get so near yet so far away

We were meant to fight (14)_____ day.

We get so (15)_____ near enough to fight

When a Russian (16)_____ me in his sights

He pulls the trigger and I feel the blow

A burst of rounds (17)_____ my (18)_____ below.

And as I lay (19)_____ gazing at the sky

My body's (20)_____ and my throat is dry

And as I lay (21)_____ and alone

Without a (22)_____ I (23)_____ my parting (24)_____



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Answer

1. yours
2. musket
3. better
4. sounds
5. smell
6. horses
7. fear
8. roar
9. human
10. comrades
11. hurdle
12. that
13. fire
14. another
15. close
16. gets
17. take
18. horse
19. there
20. numb
21. forgotten
22. tear
23. draw
24. groan