



## Fill in the gaps

### The Trooper by Iron Maiden

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

You'll (2)\_\_\_\_\_ (3)\_\_\_\_\_ musket but I'll run you through

So when you're waiting for the (4)\_\_\_\_\_ attack

You'd better stand there's no (5)\_\_\_\_\_ back.

The bugle sounds and the (6)\_\_\_\_\_ begins

But on this battlefield no one wins

The (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of acrid (8)\_\_\_\_\_ and horses breath

As I plunge on into (9)\_\_\_\_\_ death.

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

The mighty roar of the Russian guns

And as we race towards the human wall

The (11)\_\_\_\_\_ of (12)\_\_\_\_\_ as my (13)\_\_\_\_\_ fall

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

And the Russians fire another round

We get so (15)\_\_\_\_\_ yet so far away

We (16)\_\_\_\_\_ meant to fight another day.

We get so close near enough to fight

When a (17)\_\_\_\_\_ (18)\_\_\_\_\_ me in his sights

He pulls the trigger and I feel the blow

A burst of rounds (19)\_\_\_\_\_ my (20)\_\_\_\_\_ below.

And as I lay there (21)\_\_\_\_\_ at the sky

My body's (22)\_\_\_\_\_ and my (23)\_\_\_\_\_ is dry

And as I lay (24)\_\_\_\_\_ and alone

Without a (25)\_\_\_\_\_ I draw my parting groan



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### Answer

1. take
2. fire
3. your
4. next
5. turning
6. charge
7. smell
8. smoke
9. certain
10. break
11. screams
12. pain
13. comrades
14. hurdle
15. near
16. were
17. Russian
18. gets
19. take
20. horse
21. gazing
22. numb
23. throat
24. forgotten
25. tear