



## Fill in the gaps

### The Trooper by Iron Maiden

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

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

So (2)\_\_\_\_\_ you're waiting for the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ attack

You'd (4)\_\_\_\_\_ stand there's no turning back.

The (5)\_\_\_\_\_ sounds and the charge begins

But on (6)\_\_\_\_\_ battlefield no one wins

The smell of (7)\_\_\_\_\_ smoke and (8)\_\_\_\_\_ breath

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

The horse he sweats (10)\_\_\_\_\_ (11)\_\_\_\_\_ we break to run

The (12)\_\_\_\_\_ roar of the Russian guns

And as we race towards the human wall

The (13)\_\_\_\_\_ of (14)\_\_\_\_\_ as my (15)\_\_\_\_\_ fall

We (16)\_\_\_\_\_ bodies that lay on the ground

And the (17)\_\_\_\_\_ (18)\_\_\_\_\_ another round

We get so (19)\_\_\_\_\_ yet so far away

We were (20)\_\_\_\_\_ to (21)\_\_\_\_\_ (22)\_\_\_\_\_ day.

We get so close near enough to fight

When a Russian gets me in his sights

He (23)\_\_\_\_\_ the trigger and I feel the blow

A (24)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (25)\_\_\_\_\_ my (26)\_\_\_\_\_ groan



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### Answer

1. take
2. when
3. next
4. better
5. bugle
6. this
7. acrid
8. horses
9. certain
10. with
11. fear
12. mighty
13. screams
14. pain
15. comrades
16. hurdle
17. Russians
18. fire
19. near
20. meant
21. fight
22. another
23. pulls
24. burst
25. draw
26. parting