



## Fill in the gaps

### The Trooper by Iron Maiden

You'll take my life but I'll take yours too

You'll fire your (1)\_\_\_\_\_ but I'll run you through

So when you're (2)\_\_\_\_\_ for the next attack

You'd better stand there's no (3)\_\_\_\_\_ back.

The bugle (4)\_\_\_\_\_ and the charge begins

But on this (5)\_\_\_\_\_ no one wins

The (6)\_\_\_\_\_ of acrid smoke and horses breath

As I (7)\_\_\_\_\_ on into certain death.

The horse he sweats (8)\_\_\_\_\_ fear we break to run

The mighty (9)\_\_\_\_\_ of the Russian guns

And as we race towards the human wall

The (10)\_\_\_\_\_ of (11)\_\_\_\_\_ as my comrades fall

We (12)\_\_\_\_\_ bodies that lay on the ground

And the (13)\_\_\_\_\_ fire (14)\_\_\_\_\_ round

We get so near yet so far away

We (15)\_\_\_\_\_ meant to fight (16)\_\_\_\_\_ day.

We get so close near enough to fight

When a Russian gets 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 forgotten and alone

Without a tear I draw my parting (21)\_\_\_\_\_



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### Answer

1. musket
2. waiting
3. turning
4. sounds
5. battlefield
6. smell
7. plunge
8. with
9. roar
10. screams
11. pain
12. hurdle
13. Russians
14. another
15. were
16. another
17. take
18. horse
19. there
20. numb
21. groan