Fill in the gaps

The Trooper by Iron Maiden

You'll take my (1)_____ but I'll (2)_____ yours too

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

So (3)_____ you're waiting for the next attack

You'd better stand there's no (4)_____ back.

The (5)_____ sounds and the charge begins

But on this battlefield no one wins

The (6)_____ of (7)_____ smoke and horses breath

As I (8)_____ on into certain death.

The (9)_____ he (10)_____ with fear we break to run

The (11)_____ roar of the (12)_____ guns

And as we race (13)_____ the human wall

The screams of pain as my comrades fall

We (14)_____ bodies that lay on the ground

And the (15)_____ fire (16)_____ round

We get so (17)_____ yet so far away

We were (18)_____ to fight another day.

We get so close near (19)_____ to fight

When a Russian (20)_____ me in his sights

He pulls the (21)_____ and I (22)_____ the blow

A burst of rounds (23)_____ 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 (24)_____ and alone

Without a tear I draw my parting groan

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Answer

1. life
2. take
3. when
4. turning
5. bugle
6. smell
7. acrid
8. plunge
9. horse
10. sweats
11. mighty
12. Russian
13. towards
14. hurdle
15. Russians
16. another
17. near
18. meant
19. enough
20. gets
21. trigger
22. feel
23. take
24. forgotten