



## Fill in the gaps

### The Trooper by Iron Maiden

You'll (1)\_\_\_\_\_ my (2)\_\_\_\_\_ but I'll take (3)\_\_\_\_\_ too

You'll (4)\_\_\_\_\_ (5)\_\_\_\_\_ musket but I'll run you through

So when you're (6)\_\_\_\_\_ for the next attack

You'd better (7)\_\_\_\_\_ there's no turning back.

The bugle (8)\_\_\_\_\_ and the (9)\_\_\_\_\_ begins

But on (10)\_\_\_\_\_ (11)\_\_\_\_\_ no one wins

The (12)\_\_\_\_\_ of acrid (13)\_\_\_\_\_ and horses breath

As I (14)\_\_\_\_\_ on into (15)\_\_\_\_\_ death.

The horse he sweats with fear we (16)\_\_\_\_\_ to run

The mighty roar of the Russian guns

And as we race towards the human wall

The screams of pain as my comrades fall

We hurdle bodies (17)\_\_\_\_\_ lay on the ground

And the Russians fire another round

We get so near yet so far away

We were meant to (18)\_\_\_\_\_ another day.

We get so (19)\_\_\_\_\_ near enough to fight

When a Russian gets me in his sights

He (20)\_\_\_\_\_ the trigger and I (21)\_\_\_\_\_ the blow

A burst of rounds take my (22)\_\_\_\_\_ below.

And as I lay there gazing at the sky

My body's (23)\_\_\_\_\_ and my (24)\_\_\_\_\_ is dry

And as I lay forgotten and alone

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



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**Answer**

1. take
2. life
3. yours
4. fire
5. your
6. waiting
7. stand
8. sounds
9. charge
10. this
11. battlefield
12. smell
13. smoke
14. plunge
15. certain
16. break
17. that
18. fight
19. close
20. pulls
21. feel
22. horse
23. numb
24. throat
25. draw