



Fill in the gaps

The Trooper by Iron Maiden

You'll (1)_____ my life but I'll (2)_____ (3)_____ too

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

So (4)_____ you're waiting for the next attack

You'd better stand there's no turning back.

The bugle sounds and the charge begins

But on (5)_____ battlefield no one wins

The smell of acrid smoke and (6)_____ breath

As I plunge on into certain death.

The horse he sweats (7)_____ fear we break to run

The (8)_____ roar of the Russian guns

And as we (9)_____ towards the (10)_____ wall

The screams of (11)_____ as my (12)_____ fall

We hurdle bodies that lay on the ground

And the (13)_____ (14)_____ (15)_____ round

We get so (16)_____ yet so far away

We were (17)_____ to (18)_____ (19)_____ day.

We get so (20)_____ near enough to fight

When a Russian (21)_____ me in his sights

He (22)_____ the trigger and I feel the blow

A burst of rounds take my (23)_____ 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 draw my parting (24)_____



Answer

1. take
2. take
3. yours
4. when
5. this
6. horses
7. with
8. mighty
9. race
10. human
11. pain
12. comrades
13. Russians
14. fire
15. another
16. near
17. meant
18. fight
19. another
20. close
21. gets
22. pulls
23. horse
24. groan

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