The Trooper by Iron Maiden

Fill in the gaps

You'll take my life but I'll take yours too You'll fire (1)_____ (2)____ but I'll run you through So when you're (3)_____ for the next attack You'd (4)_____ stand there's no (5)____ back. The bugle sounds and the (6)______ begins But on this battlefield no one wins The (7)_____ of (8)____ smoke and horses breath As I plunge on into certain death. The horse he (9)_____ with fear we (10)____ to run The mighty roar of the Russian guns And as we (11)_____ the human wall The (13)_____ of (14)____ as my comrades fall We hurdle bodies that lay on the ground And the Russians fire another round We get so (15)_____ yet so far away We were meant to (16)_____ day. We get so (18)_____ near (19)____ to fight When a Russian gets me in his sights He pulls the trigger and I (20)_____ the blow A burst of rounds (21)_____ my horse below. And as I lay there (22)_____ at the sky My body's numb and my throat is dry And as I lay forgotten and alone Without a tear I (23)_____ my parting groan



1. your

- 2. musket
- 3. waiting
- 4. better
- 5. turning
- 6. charge
- 7. smell
- 8. acrid
- 9. sweats
- 10. break
- 11. race
- 12. towards
- 13. screams
- 14. pain
- 15. near
- 16. fight
- 17. another
- 18. close
- 19. enough
- 20. feel
- 21. take
- 22. gazing
- 23. draw

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