



## Fill in the gaps

### The Trooper by Iron Maiden

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 better stand there's no (4)\_\_\_\_\_ back.

The bugle sounds and the charge begins

But on this battlefield no one wins

The smell of (5)\_\_\_\_\_ (6)\_\_\_\_\_ and (7)\_\_\_\_\_ breath

As I plunge on (8)\_\_\_\_\_ (9)\_\_\_\_\_ death.

The horse he sweats with fear we (10)\_\_\_\_\_ to run

The mighty roar of the (11)\_\_\_\_\_ guns

And as we (12)\_\_\_\_\_ towards the human wall

The (13)\_\_\_\_\_ of pain as my comrades fall

We hurdle bodies that lay on the ground

And the Russians fire another round

We get so near yet so far away

We (14)\_\_\_\_\_ meant to fight another day.

We get so (15)\_\_\_\_\_ near enough to fight

When a Russian (16)\_\_\_\_\_ me in his sights

He (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ and I feel the blow

A burst of (19)\_\_\_\_\_ take my (20)\_\_\_\_\_ below.

And as I lay there (21)\_\_\_\_\_ at the sky

My body's numb and my throat is dry

And as I lay forgotten and alone

Without a tear I (22)\_\_\_\_\_ my (23)\_\_\_\_\_ groan



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### Answer

1. your
2. musket
3. waiting
4. turning
5. acrid
6. smoke
7. horses
8. into
9. certain
10. break
11. Russian
12. race
13. screams
14. were
15. close
16. gets
17. pulls
18. trigger
19. rounds
20. horse
21. gazing
22. draw
23. parting