



Fill in the gaps

The Trooper by Iron Maiden

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

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

So when you're (2)_____ for the next attack

You'd better (3)_____ there's no turning back.

The bugle sounds and the charge begins

But on this battlefield no one wins

The smell of acrid smoke and horses breath

As I plunge on into certain death.

The horse he sweats with fear we break to run

The mighty (4)_____ of the Russian guns

And as we race towards the human wall

The screams of pain as my (5)_____ fall

We hurdle bodies that lay on the ground

And the Russians fire (6)_____ round

We get so near yet so far away

We were meant to (7)_____ another day.

We get so close near (8)_____ to fight

When a Russian gets me in his sights

He pulls the trigger and I feel the blow

A burst of rounds take 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 forgotten and alone

Without a (9)_____ I (10)_____ my parting groan



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Answer

1. life
2. waiting
3. stand
4. roar
5. comrades
6. another
7. fight
8. enough
9. tear
10. draw