



## Fill in the gaps

### The Trooper by Iron Maiden

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

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

So (3)\_\_\_\_\_ you're (4)\_\_\_\_\_ for the next attack

You'd better stand there's no (5)\_\_\_\_\_ back.

The bugle sounds and the charge begins

But on (6)\_\_\_\_\_ battlefield no one wins

The smell of (7)\_\_\_\_\_ smoke and horses breath

As I (8)\_\_\_\_\_ on (9)\_\_\_\_\_ (10)\_\_\_\_\_ death.

The (11)\_\_\_\_\_ he sweats with fear we break to run

The (12)\_\_\_\_\_ (13)\_\_\_\_\_ of the (14)\_\_\_\_\_ guns

And as we race towards the human wall

The screams of (15)\_\_\_\_\_ as my comrades fall

We (16)\_\_\_\_\_ bodies (17)\_\_\_\_\_ lay on the ground

And the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ fire another round

We get so near yet so far away

We were meant to (19)\_\_\_\_\_ another day.

We get so close near enough to fight

When a Russian gets me in his sights

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

A (21)\_\_\_\_\_ of rounds (22)\_\_\_\_\_ my horse below.

And as I lay (23)\_\_\_\_\_ gazing at the sky

My body's numb and my throat is dry

And as I lay (24)\_\_\_\_\_ and alone

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



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### Answer

1. take
2. life
3. when
4. waiting
5. turning
6. this
7. acrid
8. plunge
9. into
10. certain
11. horse
12. mighty
13. roar
14. Russian
15. pain
16. hurdle
17. that
18. Russians
19. fight
20. feel
21. burst
22. take
23. there
24. forgotten
25. parting