## The Trooper by Iron Maiden

## Fill in the gaps

| You'll take my (1) but I'll take yours too   |
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| You'll fire your musket but I'll run you through   |
| So when you're waiting for the next attack   |
| You'd better stand there's no turning back.  |
| The bugle (2) and the charge begins  |
| But on this battlefield no one wins  |
| The (3) of acrid smoke and (4) breath  |
| As I (5) on into certain death.  |
| The horse he sweats with fear we break to run  |
| The mighty roar of the Russian guns  |
| And as we race towards the human wall  |
| The screams of pain as my (6) fall   |
| We (7) bodies that lay on the ground   |
| And the (8) fire another round   |
| We get so near yet so far away   |
| We were meant to fight another day.  |
| We get so close near enough to fight   |
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| When a Russian gets me in his sights   |
| When a Russian gets me in his sights He pulls the trigger and I feel the blow  |
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| He pulls the trigger and I feel the blow   |
| He pulls the trigger and I feel the blow  A burst of rounds take my horse below.                                     |
| He pulls the trigger and I feel the blow  A burst of rounds take my horse below.  And as I lay (9) gazing at the sky |

Without a tear I draw my parting groan



- 1. life
- 2. sounds
- 3. smell
- 4. horses
- 5. plunge
- 6. comrades
- 7. hurdle
- 8. Russians
- 9. there
- 10. forgotten

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