



Fill in the gaps

The Trooper by Iron Maiden

You'll take my life but I'll take yours too

You'll (1)_____ (2)_____ musket but I'll run you through

So (3)_____ you're waiting for the next attack

You'd better stand there's no (4)_____ back.

The bugle sounds and the charge begins

But on (5)_____ battlefield no one wins

The (6)_____ of (7)_____ (8)_____ and horses breath

As I plunge on into certain death.

The (9)_____ he sweats (10)_____ fear we break to run

The mighty roar of the Russian guns

And as we (11)_____ towards the (12)_____ wall

The screams of pain as my comrades fall

We hurdle (13)_____ (14)_____ lay on the ground

And the Russians (15)_____ another round

We get so (16)_____ yet so far away

We were meant to fight (17)_____ day.

We get so (18)_____ (19)_____ enough to fight

When a Russian gets me in his sights

He pulls the trigger and I feel the blow

A (20)_____ of (21)_____ (22)_____ my horse below.

And as I lay there gazing at the sky

My body's (23)_____ and my (24)_____ is dry

And as I lay forgotten and alone

Without a tear I draw my parting groan



Answer

1. fire
2. your
3. when
4. turning
5. this
6. smell
7. acrid
8. smoke
9. horse
10. with
11. race
12. human
13. bodies
14. that
15. fire
16. near
17. another
18. close
19. near
20. burst
21. rounds
22. take
23. numb
24. throat

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