



Fill in the gaps

The Trooper by Iron Maiden

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

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

So when you're (3)_____ for the (4)_____ attack

You'd better stand there's no turning back.

The bugle sounds and the charge begins

But on this battlefield no one wins

The (5)_____ of acrid smoke and horses breath

As I (6)_____ on into certain death.

The horse he sweats with (7)_____ we (8)_____ to run

The (9)_____ (10)_____ of the Russian guns

And as we race towards the (11)_____ wall

The screams of pain as my comrades fall

We hurdle bodies that lay on the ground

And the Russians fire (12)_____ round

We get so (13)_____ yet so far away

We were meant to fight another day.

We get so close (14)_____ (15)_____ to fight

When a (16)_____ (17)_____ me in his sights

He pulls the trigger and I (18)_____ the blow

A (19)_____ of rounds take my horse below.

And as I lay there gazing at the sky

My body's (20)_____ and my throat is dry

And as I lay forgotten and alone

Without a tear I (21)_____ my (22)_____ (23)_____



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Answer

1. take
2. your
3. waiting
4. next
5. smell
6. plunge
7. fear
8. break
9. mighty
10. roar
11. human
12. another
13. near
14. near
15. enough
16. Russian
17. gets
18. feel
19. burst
20. numb
21. draw
22. parting
23. groan