The Trooper by Iron Maiden

Fill in the gaps

You'll take my life but I'll take (1) too
You'll fire your musket but I'll run you through
So when you're waiting for the (2) 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 smell of acrid smoke and horses breath
As I plunge on into certain death.
The horse he sweats with fear we (3) to run
The mighty roar of the Russian guns
And as we race towards the human wall
The screams of pain as my comrades fall
We hurdle bodies (4) lay on the ground
And the Russians fire (5) round
We get so near yet so far away
We (6) meant to (7) another day.
We get so close near enough to fight
When a Russian gets me in his sights
He (8) the trigger and I (9) the blow
A burst of rounds take my (10) 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 tear I draw my parting groap



- 1. yours
- 2. next
- 3. break
- 4. that
- 5. another
- 6. were
- 7. fight
- 8. pulls
- 9. feel
- 10. horse

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