

Charge of the Light Brigade Vs Green Beret

In this essay I will compare and contrast Charge of the Light Brigade by

Alfred Lord Tennyson and Green Beret by Ho Thien.

These two poems both deal with the subject of war and death.

The Charge of the Light Brigade is about an army of six hundred men on horseback going into war without a say on whether they want to or not. The poem is structured into six stanzas and the rhyming scheme is A,B,C,B,D,E,C,B. Someone in charge had "blunder'd" and called out orders for six hundred British Calvary to storm a full Russian battalion. Suddenly they were surrounded;

"Cannon to the right of them"

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