**Purple People Eater (Sheb Wooley) (C)**

[**Purple People Eater**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=besDdDuKxdU) **by Sheb Wooley**

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| **Intro: G7 G C** **C**Well, I saw the thing comin' out of the sky **G C**It had the one long horn, one big eye **F**I commenced to shakin' and I said "ooh-eee" **G C**It looks like a purple eater to me**Chorus** **C**It was a one-eyed, one-horned, flyin' purple people eater**G***One-eyed, one-horned, flyin' purple people eater* **C**A one-eyed, one-horned, flyin' purple people eater**G7 C**Sure looks strange to me (*one eye*? / *2nd time:* *one horn*?)**C**Well he came down to earth and he lit in a tree **G C**I said Mr. Purple People Eater, don't eat me **C7 F**I heard him say in a voice so gruff **G**"*I wouldn't eat you 'cause you're so tough*." **Chorus** |  |  |
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***Purple People Eater (C) – Page 2***

 **C**

I said Mr. Purple People Eater, what's your line?

 **G C**

He said “eatin' purple people and it sure is fine

 **C7 F**

But that's not the reason that I came to land

 **G**

*I want to get a job in a rock and roll band*"

 **C**

Well bless my soul, rock and roll, flyin' purple people eater

**G**

Pigeon-toed, under-growed, flyin' purple people eater

 **C**

"*We wear short shorts*" friendly little people eater

**G7 C E**

What a sight to see ( oh )

 **D**

And then he swung from the tree and he lit on the ground

 **A D**

And he started to rock, really rockin' around

 **D7 G**

It was a crazy ditty with a swingin' tune

 **A7**

*“Singin' bop-bop, a-boopa lopa lum bam boom*" well ….

 **D**

Well, bless my soul, rock and roll, flyin' purple people eater

**A**

Pigeon-toed, under growed, flyin' purple people eater

 **D**

"*I like short shorts*!" flyin' purple people eater

**A7 D**

What a sight to see (*purple people?*)

 **D**

Well, he went on his way, and then what do ya know?

 **A D**

I saw him last night on a TV show

 **D7 G**

He was blowing it out, really knockin' em dead

 **A7 D** **G7 D G7 D D (Hold)**

Playin' rock and roll music through the horn in his head.

**"*Tequila!*"**

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**D7 G B**

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**E**

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