**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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**E7 A**

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