Purple People Eater (key of C)  
by Sheb Wooley (1958)

 Intro:  G7~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~G7\\\ 
 'Ahhhhhhhhhhhhhhh!

Well I saw the thing, comin' out of the sky, it had one long horn and one big eye (oooh!) 

I com-menced to shakin' and I said, “oooh-eee”! It looked like a purple people eater to me

Chorus1:  It was a one-eyed, one-horned flying purple people eater

(One-eyed, one-horned flying purple people eater)

A one-eyed, one-horned flying purple people eater

Sure looked strange to me. (one eye?)

When he came down to earth and he lit in a tree, I said, “Mr. Purple People Eater, don’t eat me”

I hear-rd him say in a voice so gruff, “I wouldn’t eat you ’cause you’re so tough.”

Chorus1:  It was a one-eyed, one-horned flying purple people eater

(One-eyed, one-horned flying purple people eater)

A one-eyed, one-horned flying purple people eater

Sure looked strange to me. (one horn?)

I said ”Mister Purple People Eater, what’s your line?” he said eating purple people and it sure is fine

But that’s not the reason that I came to land, “I wanna get a job in a rock and roll band.”

Chorus2:  Well, bless my soul, rock and roll, flying purple people eater

Pigeon-toed, under-growed, flying purple people eater

(We wear short-shorts!) friendly little people eater

What a sight to see! (ooooo!)
Then he swung from a tree and he lit on the ground, and he started to rock, really rockin’ a-round.

It was a cra-zy ditty with a swing-ing tune, “Sing a lop bop a lula, a lop bam boom”

Chorus2: Well, bless my soul, rock and roll, flying purple people eater
Pigeon-toed, under-grewed, flying purple people eater
(I like short-shorts!) flying purple people eater
What a sight to see! (purple people)

Well he went on his way and what do you know, I saw him last night on a TV show
He was blowing it out, really knockin’ ‘em dead, playing rock and roll music through the horn in his head

Instrumental with kazooos:
Te-qui-la!