

## Get A Leg Up – John Mellencamp

A G

Don't look at me, don't touch me  
Keep your mind straight ahead  
Don't get no funny ideas about me  
You'll wish that you were dead

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That's what I'm thinking she must be thinking  
The girl I spent 53 bucks on last night

A G

She gives me a look from the corner of her eye  
I said, "Boy, keep acting right"

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How surprised was I            E  
When she leaned over and whispered in my  
ear

A G

Get a leg up, get a leg over boy  
Get a leg up, what's the matter  
Are you shy, shy, shy?

I'm pretty good with first impressions  
But sometimes I'm not always right  
I pulled the car to the shoulder of the road  
To see what she had in mind  
    Want me to spend the night  
    Hey lover boy you know I will  
And my best girlfriend lived down the road  
Together we will thrill ya

I'm thinking to myself  
I could be lucky Pierre tonight

If I could get a leg up  
If I could get a leg over boy  
You know I ain't that handsome  
But you know I ain't shy, shy, shy

SOLO

Rest of the night went on and on  
And the moral to this song  
Don't go making hasty judgments  
Because sometimes they could be wrong  
    Nothing wrong with a good time  
    Just keep yourself protected, make a list  
You can bet your life that the women don't  
know  
The little girls are acting like this, yeah

So the next time a young one moves up  
And she whispers in your ear

Get a leg up  
Get a leg over boy  
Get a leg up  
Now don't you be shy, shy, shy

Now get a leg up  
Get a leg over boy  
You know I ain't that handsome  
But you know I ain't shy, shy, shy

Get a leg up  
Get a leg over boy  
Get a leg up  
Now don't you be shy, shy, shy