

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

D C

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"

B

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