Putting On The Style
(Lonnie Donegan)

Intro:  C  C  C  C

C
Sweet sixteen, goes to church, just to see the boys,
G7
Laughs and screams and giggles at every little noise,
C
Turns her head a little and turns her head a while,
F
But we know she’s only putting on the style.

Chorus: Putting on the agony, putting on the style,
C
That’s what all the young folk are doing all the while,
F
And as I look around me I sometimes have to smile,
G7
Seeing all the young folk putting on the style.

C
Young man in a hot rod car driving like he’s mad,
G7
With a pair of yellow gloves he borrowed from his dad,
C
He makes it roar so loudly just to see his girlfriend smile,
F
But we know he’s only putting on the style.

Repeat Chorus:

C
Preacher in the pulpit roars with all his might,
G7
Shouts “Glory Hallelujah”, puts the folks all in a fright,
C
Now you might think it’s Satan that’s coming down the aisle,
F
But it’s only our poor preacher boy that’s putting on the style.

Repeat Chorus: ( x2 )

Extend singing the last line then finish with  C↓ G7↓ C↓