

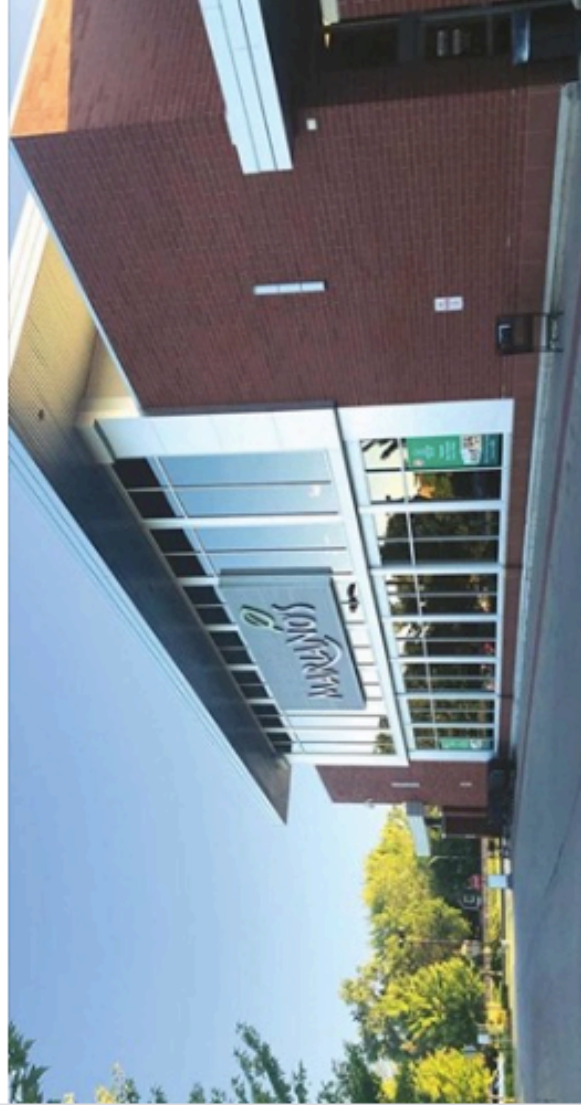


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What's Mariano's without Mariano?

A lot more like Kroger. Since founder Bob Mariano retired two years ago, the upscale Chicago-area grocery chain has come to resemble the midmarket stores of its Cincinnati-based owner, which acquired Mariano's parent company for \$800 million in 2015.



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Why Mariano's isn't so upscale anymore

The grocer's unique appeal starts to fade as parent Kroger asserts control.

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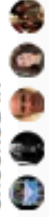
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